

(Preliminary) AGENDA-AT-A-GLANCE

DAY 1 – February 11



Great Lakes Environmental Emergency Response and Management Conference

FEBRUARY 11-12, 2025 | NOVI, MI

TIME	SESSION		
8:30 a.m.	Registration - Breakfast and visit with exhibitors		
9:30 a.m.	Welcome and Introduction		
9:45 a.m.	Conference Kick-off: Phil Roos, Director, Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy; Col. James F. Grady II, Director, Michigan State Police (MSP)		
10:30 a.m.	Ziggy Awards Scholarship Presentation		
10:50 a.m.	Break – Move to Concurrent Sessions		
	PREPAREDNESS AND MITIGATION	INITIAL RESPONSE	RESPONSE AND RECOVERY
11:00 a.m.	Environmental Investigation Section-Know your Police	LEPCs: Enhancing effective two-way communication and engagement	Tribal Nations of the Great Lakes
11:45 a.m.	Lunch Networking Exhibitors		
1:15 p.m.	The U.S. Coast Guard Great Lakes Oil Spill Center of Expertise	Future fuels: risks, response, and recommendations	Security protection through partnership in the water sector in Michigan
2:00 p.m.	Networking break and refreshments – visit exhibitors		
2:30 p.m.	Taking the "Emergency" out of Emergency Preparedness: incorporating preparedness into routine activities	Ottawa Lake diesel fuel release	Navigating disaster recovery resources at the household level
3:15 p.m.	Break		
3:30 p.m.	Identification and protection of sensitive receptors	Enhancing collaboration during environmental public health emergencies: Ottawa Lake Diesel Spill	Process safety management as a prevention strategy
4:30-5:30 p.m.	Networking Reception with Exhibitors		

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DAY 2 – February 12

TIME	SESSION		
8:00 a.m.	Registration - Breakfast and visit with exhibitors		
	PREPAREDNESS AND MITIGATION	INITIAL RESPONSE	RESPONSE AND RECOVERY
9:00 a.m.	Advancements in common operating procedures: Linking preparedness to response in a real time domain	SARA Title III/LEPC 101	Best practices for communicating science and risk during a response
9:45 a.m.	Break		
10:00 a.m.	Relationships between municipalities and private Industry	MDARD and agrichemical spill response	Emergency notification of spills, response, and follow-up
10:45 a.m.	Break		
11:00 a.m.	Michigan Mapping Project	Case study: Lithium battery fire response (MVA w/ entrapment)	Great Lakes Oil Spill Science - Planning and response in a changing climate
11:45 a.m.	Lunch Networking Exhibitors		
1:15 p.m.	East Palestine Response		
3:15 p.m.	Break		
3:30 p.m.	No-Spills Committee / Give-a-ways		

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