

TO: Recovery Boiler Managers, Superintendents, Supervisors, Steam Chiefs, AF&PA Recovery Boiler Program Members, Associates, Guests, and Other Recovery Boiler Professionals

**AF&PA RECOVERY BOILER PROGRAM
2022 ANNUAL CONFERENCE & MEETINGS
IN-PERSON EVENT!!!
FEBRUARY 1-2, 2022
ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

The 2022 Annual AF&PA Recovery Boiler Program Conference and Committee Meetings will be held on February 1st and 2nd at the Atlanta Airport Marriott Hotel in Atlanta, GA. This year's Conference and Meetings will be most informative for attendees from the operating companies as well as the manufacturers, vendors, and insurance companies. Presentations will cover various topics of interest to attendees. The dialogue among attendees has always added to the information presented. Presentations on the latest technology, techniques, and research being conducted for the safe and efficient operation of Recovery Boilers benefit all. Attendees will receive first-hand information on the issues being addressed and how each can benefit from the cooperative effort of the AF&PA Recovery Boiler Program.

The Program's aim is to make this a "one-stop" opportunity for attendees to obtain updates on industry issues. Reports on Subcommittee activities and developments for the safe and efficient operation of Recovery Boilers will also be presented.

The Committee Meetings will be held on Tuesday, February 1st, with a reception and dinner that evening. The Annual Conference will be held on Wednesday February 2nd.

The registration fee for the Conference and Meetings is **only \$400 (USD)/person** for AF&PA Recovery Boiler Program Member Companies, Conference Speakers, and Recovery Boiler Industry Manufacturers, Vendors, Consultants, Insurers, & Other Suppliers to the Recovery Boiler Industry. The registration fee is \$800 (USD)/person for Non-Member Pulp & Paper Companies that operate Recovery Boilers.

The fee covers all Conference Sessions, Subcommittee Meetings, Related Meals, and Reception.

Enclosed is a tentative agenda for the 2022 Annual Conference and Meetings which will include a great mix of subjects and research projects underway to help operate Recovery Boilers safer and more efficiently. In addition, views on selected critical areas in Recovery Boilers will be presented. The presentations and the open dialogue on subjects of utmost concern in the Recovery Boiler area have received much praise during the past Conferences and Meetings. We anticipate another excellent turn-out for the 2022 Conference and Meetings, especially given the importance of the current projects and research studies sponsored by the Research & Development and Operation & Maintenance Subcommittees.

The presentations will provide valuable information to members, as well as the boiler manufacturers, vendors, insurers, and others interested in Recovery Boilers. This format has proven to be most successful. Thus, this "open" Conference will provide information to all in the Recovery Boiler Community. Updates will also be presented on BLRBAC and Canadian BLRBAC activities, TAPPI Recovery Boiler Subcommittee, the Swedish-Norwegian Recovery Boiler Committee, and the Finnish Recovery Boiler Committee so there will be complete coverage of organizations involved with the safe and efficient operation of Recovery Boilers.



The Annual Conference is open to everyone. The Subcommittee Meetings are open to all AF&PA Recovery Boiler Program members & guests.

We hope you will plan to attend. The Registration Form for the AF&PA Recovery Boiler 2022 Annual Conference and Meetings is enclosed.

We have been fortunate to receive a special rate at the Atlanta Airport Marriott Hotel of \$159.00 (USD), plus taxes, for a standard guest room. This Group Rate applies to reservations made directly with the hotel and not through commission-based travel agencies. A block of rooms has been set aside for January 28th to February 4th. Hotel reservations may be made by calling **1 (800) 266-9432**, but you must request the **“AFPA Meeting” Group** rate. Reservations can also be made **online** through the following link: <https://book.passkey.com/e/50236272> You may also directly contact Jerrika Campbell, Marriott Senior Event Manager, at 404-209-6817 or jerrika.campbell@marriott.com for any additional assistance with room reservations. Additional Hotel Reservation Information is enclosed.

The cut-off date for the hotel special rate is Monday, January 10, 2022. Reservations made after that date will be on an “as available” basis only and possibly at a higher rate. The special room rate is available until Monday, January 10, 2022 or until the group block is sold-out, whichever comes first.

The Atlanta Airport Marriott Hotel is conveniently located near the Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport. Hotel shuttles leave every 15 minutes during most of the day and every 30 minutes between 12 Midnight and 5:00 am.

The TSA lines at the Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport can be long at times. Airlines recommend being at the airport 2 hours prior to your flight time for USA domestic flights and 3 hours prior to your flight time for international flights.

The dress code for the Conference and Meetings is “business casual.”

If there are any questions regarding the Conference and/or Meetings, please do not hesitate to contact me at: wayne_grilliot@afandpa.org or (937) 602-1892.

Sincerely,

Wayne Grilliot

Attachments:

2022 Annual Conference & Committee Meetings Tentative Agenda

2022 Annual Conference & Meetings Registration Form

2022 Hotel Reservation Information

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DRAFT AGENDA

Tuesday, February 1, 2022 – Atlanta Airport Marriott Hotel

7:00 am - 8:30 am	Registration & Continental Breakfast (Tennessee/Alabama Rooms – 1 st Floor)
8:30 am - 3:30 pm	Operation and Maintenance Subcommittee Meeting (Florida/Tennessee Rooms – 1 st Floor)
9:45 am - 10:00 am	Coffee Break (Florida/Tennessee/Alabama/Georgia Rooms)
10:00 am - 3:30 pm	Research and Development Subcommittee Meeting (Alabama/Georgia Rooms – 1 st Floor)
12:00 N - 1:00 pm	Luncheon (B+ Restaurant – 1 st Floor)
2:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Coffee Breaks (Florida/Tennessee/Alabama/Georgia Rooms)
4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Steering Committee Meeting (Closed Meeting) - (FL/TN Rooms – 1st Floor)
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Reception (Mercedes Room – 16 th Floor)
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Dinner (Mercedes Room – 16 th Floor)

Wednesday, February 2, 2022 – Atlanta Airport Marriott Hotel

(Florida/Tennessee/Alabama Rooms – 1st Floor All Day - Except for Lunch)

7:00 am	Registration & Continental Breakfast - Wayne Grilliot
8:00 am	General Assembly – Review AF&PA Antitrust Policy & Chairman’s Report - Frank Navojoski – International Paper
8:10 am	Operation & Maintenance Subcommittee Report - Wes Hill – Georgia-Pacific
8:20 am	Research & Development Subcommittee Report - Jeff Wagoner – International Paper
8:30 am	TAPPI Energy, Recovery & Reconst Committee Report - Ryan Henry – Green Bay Packaging
8:45 am	Recovery Boiler Corrosion Environments - Honghi Tran – University of Toronto
9:25 am	University of Toronto Dissolving Tank Studies - Honghi Tran – University of Toronto
9:55 am	Coffee Break
10:10 am	TBD
10:30 am	TBD

Wednesday, February 2, 2022 (continued)
(Florida/Tennessee/Alabama Rooms – 1st Floor All Day - Except for Lunch)

11:00 am TBD

11:30 am Recovery Boiler Personal Protective Equipment
- Jim Ellis - W. L. Gore & Associates, Inc.

12:00 Noon Luncheon (B+ Restaurant – 1st Floor)

1:00 pm TBD
- Andritz

1:40 pm TBD
- Babcock & Wilcox

2:20 pm Recovery Boiler PPE - Smelt Deck Protection
- Valmet

3:00 pm Coffee Break

3:15 pm Recovery Boiler Ash Analyzer
- Valmet Automation

3:45 pm Canadian BLRBAC Report

4:00 pm Finnish Recovery Boiler Committee Report

4:15 pm Swedish-Norwegian Recovery Boiler Committee Report

4:30 pm BLRBAC Activities Report
- Dean Clay – Boiler Services & Inspection

4:45 pm BLRBAC ESP Subcommittee – Incidents ESP Report
- Dean Clay – Boiler Services & Inspection

5:00 pm Closing Remarks

5:10 pm Adjourn



HOTEL RESERVATION INFORMATION
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Atlanta Airport Marriott Hotel
Atlanta, Georgia

Please make Reservations Directly with the Hotel.

To make Hotel Reservations, Contact:

Atlanta Airport Marriott Hotel
4711 Best Road
Atlanta, Georgia 30337
Telephone: 1 (800) 266-9432

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ROOM RATE: Standard Guest Room \$159.00 (USD), plus tax

When calling: Request the “AFPA Meeting” Group rate and provide the following information.

Arrival Date: _____ Number in Party: _____
 Departure Date: _____
 Credit Card Number (If charging to a credit card) _____
 (Please indicate type of card and expiration date.) _____
 Name: _____
 Company: _____
 Address: _____
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Please make sure to guarantee the room for late arrival.

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