

Friday September 13, 2024

- 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm **Registration**
- 7:00 pm **Roadeo Overview and Securement Training**
Presented by Lisa Nippolt and Adam Sharkey
Pizza & Soda Sponsored by Lisa Nippolt and Q'Straint/Sure-Lok

Saturday September 14, 2024

- 6:00 am – 7:00 **Breakfast Buffet**
- 7:00 am **Roadeo Participants & Judges Registration**
- 7:30 am **Roadeo Judges Meeting**
- 8:00 am **Drivers Written Test**
- 8:00 am **Judges Walk-Through**
- 9:00 am **Drivers Walk-Through**
- 10:00 am – 3:00 pm **Roadeo Circuit Competition**
A training session will be incorporated during the roadeo competition
- 12:00 pm **Box Lunch Provided**
- 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Social - Cash Bar**
- 6:00 pm – Midnight **DTA Awards Banquet**
8:00 pm – 10:00 pm *Dance - Up Town Sounds*

Sunday September 15, 2024

- 7:30 am – 8:30 am **Breakfast Buffet**
- 9:15 am – 10:45 am **“First Observer Plus Training” - TSA**
- 11:00 am **Lunch on your own - Free time**
- 4:00 pm – 8:00 pm **Conference Registration**

Monday September 16, 2024

6:30 am – 7:30 am

Breakfast Buffet

7:30 am – 9:30 am

Registration

8:00 am – 8:15 am

“DTA Welcome”

Jacque Senger, DTA Executive Director

8:30 am – 9:45 am

“Companion Workshop: THRIVE!!”

Carol Wright Kenderdine, Consultant, Carol Wright Consulting

Do you spend a lot of your time feeling overloaded with too many priorities making it difficult to decide what to tackle first? Do you sometimes feel like you have spent a lot of your time wasted on things that at the end of the day mattered the least? Deciding what it takes to THRIVE! is personal for each of us. What is *Thriving* for one, may not work for the person sitting next to you. This workshop will help you explore what it takes for you personally to THRIVE! in your work life, your home life, and in your relationships with others.

9:45 am – 10:00 am

Break

10:00 am – 11:30 am

“The Internet, Where Bedrooms Become Chatrooms”

Hollie Strand, Forensic Examiner, Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force

This presentation teaches attendees about the current trends in the online victimization of children and teens where computers, phones, tablets, emails, clouds, social media or other technology is used to facilitate a crime. The topics covered will include the following: digital footprints, social media, sextortion, child exploitation, sex trafficking, sexting, and other online threats.

11:30 am – 12:45 pm

Lunch

12:45 pm – 2:00 pm

“Succession Planning and Mentoring: A Win/Win for Everyone”

Carol Wright Kenderdine, Consultant, Carol Wright Consulting

As managers, we not only have the responsibility to build the best transportation program possible, but we need to make sure that steps are taken to sustain our efforts and set the stage for continued growth once we and our current key personnel have retired or moved on to other projects. By mentoring existing staff to be ready to move up the management ladder and by establishing a strong succession plan, we are giving our program every opportunity to succeed in the future. This workshop will address best practices for mentoring; evaluate

various approaches to succession planning; encourage discussion of existing plans and share ideas that have proven advantageous; assist managers to choose processes that will work in the present within the agency; and help create a flexible plan specific to your situation.

2:00 pm – 2:15 pm

Break

2:15 pm – 2:45 pm

“Federal Transit Administration Update”

Cindy Terwilliger, FTA Region 8 Administrator

FTA update on the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

“CTAA Legislative, Resource, and Training Update”

Scott Bogren, CTAA Executive Director

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm

“General Membership Meeting”

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

“FTA/SDDOT/NDDOT Meeting”

Tuesday, September 17, 2024

6:30 am – 7:30 am

Breakfast Buffet

8:00 am – 9:00 am

Federal Transit Administration: Civil Rights Transit Requirements & Hot Topics

Eboni Younger-Riehl – Regional Civil Rights Officer, FTA

This session will provide an overview of transit requirements under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program, along with hot topics in these areas. Attendees will gain knowledge of the new DBE Final Rule, potential ADA rulemakings, and practices in equity analyses, public participation, language assistance, and more.

9:00 am – 9:15 am

Break

9:15 am – 11:00 am

“Dealing With Difficult Employees”

Carol Wright Kenderdine, Consultant, Carol Wright Consulting

We all have employees from time to time, who whether right or wrong, drive us to distraction with their whining, demands on our time, or inability to get along with their co-workers. As the director of the team, it is our responsibility to treat everyone fairly and manage the behaviors of those who fail to meet our expectations. This workshop will provide coping skills for working with difficult people and methods to improve their behavior and performance on the job.

11:30 am – 4:00 pm **“Trade Show and Lunch”**
Lunch will be served during the Trade Show

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm **TENTATIVE ND Breakout Session**

5:00 pm – Whenever!!!! **“DTA 40th Anniversary 80’s Bash”**

Wednesday, September 18, 2024

6:30 am – 7:30 am **Breakfast Buffet**

8:00 am – 9:45 am **“Transportation Security Administration”**

9:45 am - 10:00 am **Break**

10:00 am – 11:30 am **“Round Table Discussions”**

Tentative