

**Texas State Agency Business Administrators' Association
Thirtieth Mid-Winter Conference**

PROGRAM AGENDA

Wednesday, January 13, 2010

- 4:00 – 6:00 PM Early Registration (*Live Oak Ballroom Lobby*)
- 6:00 PM Welcome Reception (*Hotel Lobby*)

Thursday, January 14th, 2010

- 7:45 – 8:45 AM Registration and Breakfast (*Live Oak Ballroom Lobby*)
- 8:45 – 9:00 AM Opening Remarks (*Cypress Ballroom*)
- 9:00 – 10:00 AM The Economy, Revenue Projections and the Budget
(*Cypress Ballroom*)
John O'Brien, Legislative Budget Board
- 10:00 – 10:15 AM Break (*Live Oak Ballroom Lobby*)
- 10:15 – 10:45 AM ERP Update (*Cypress Ballroom*)
Sandra Woodruff, Comptroller of Public Accounts
J.P. Wardle, Comptroller of Public Accounts
- 10:45 – 11:30 AM Updates to the State Classification Plan (*Cypress Ballroom*)
Christine Bailey, State Auditor's Office
- 11:30 – 12:00PM ERS - An Update on the System (*Cypress Ballroom*)
Shack Nail, Employee Retirement System
- 12:00 – 1:30 PM Lunch (*Live Oak Ballroom*)
- 1:30 - 3:00 PM Communicating Under Pressure: Tips for Communicating Effectively
(*Cypress Ballroom*)
Laura Taylor-Woods, State Auditor's Office
- 3:00 – 3:30 PM Break (*Live Oak Ballroom Lobby*)
- 3:30 – 5:00 PM The Top 5 Practices of Highly Effective Leadership
(*Cypress Ballroom*)
Bart Loeser, JBL MicroTraining, Inc.

Friday, January 15, 2010

- 7:30 – 8:30 AM Breakfast (*Live Oak Ballroom Lobby*)
- 8:30 – 8:35 AM Announcements (*Cypress Ballroom*)
- 8:40 – 9:40 AM Leadership Training (*Cypress Ballroom*)
Dr. Boyd Bush, Jr., Texas Legislative Council

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- 9:40 – 10:40 AM Legislative Outlook: Predictions and Reminisces
(*Cypress Ballroom*)
Ross Ramsey, Texas Weekly
- 10:40 – 11:00 AM Break (*Grand Ballroom - North*)
- 11:00 – 11:45 AM Legislative Panel (*Cypress Ballroom*)
Don Green, Lt. Governors Office/Andrew Blifford, Speakers
Office/Sarah Hicks, Senate Finance Committee
- 11:45 – Noon Conference Closure and Evaluation (*Cypress Ballroom*)

10 Continuing education credits may be earned by attending this conference.
Hospitality Suite located in Chas. Russell 132-130.