



## Pacific Chapter of the Western Dredging Association Fall 2008 Conference

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**When:** Wednesday, November 5 through Friday, November 7, 2008

**Where:** Mayflower Park Hotel

405 Olive Way  
Seattle, WA 98101

Reservations: (206) 623-8700 or (800) 426-5100

**Call for Abstracts:** Please consider submitting an abstract for a technical presentation you would like to offer during the conference. Presentations on all aspects of dredging and disposal, navigation structures, environmental restoration, and related topics are welcome and may be sent to Allen Churchill at e.allen.churchill@usace.army.mil. The deadline for submission of abstracts is **July 31**.

### Conference Agenda:

- ❖ Wednesday session: Corps/Industry Meeting from 1-3 PM, 2009 Federal Dredging Program presentation from 3-5 PM, Hosted Ice Breaker 6-9 PM.
- ❖ Thursday's planned agenda consists of technical presentations and a luncheon including Dr. Lorraine McConaghy of the Museum of History & Industry speaking on Seattle waterfront and maritime history. Lunch will be followed by an afternoon cruise on Lake Union and the Ship Canal aboard the historic steamer *Virginia V*.
- ❖ Friday morning will continue with technical presentations and conclude with chapter business about noon.

**Reservations:** Book your reservations prior to October 15, 2008 for the special WEDA Pacific Chapter group rate: \$165 per night (Classic Queen, single or double occupancy) plus tax. Some rooms are also available at the prevailing government per diem rate for qualifying government employees. Room rates will be available 3 days prior to and 3 days after the conference based on space availability.

The historic Mayflower Park Hotel is steps away from Seattle's most exciting attractions, including the famous **Pike Place Market, Seattle Waterfront, and Space Needle**, plus a full array of museums, theaters, shops and restaurants. The hotel opens directly into **Westlake Center**, with 80 specialty shops. The flagship **Nordstrom** and **Macy's** are just one block away.

Contact any of the Board members for more information. Registration materials are attached and a detailed agenda will be prepared after abstracts are received and presentations are selected. **See you in Seattle!**



**PACIFIC CHAPTER OF THE WESTERN DREDGING ASSOCIATION  
FALL 2008 CONFERENCE  
MAYFLOWER PARK HOTEL, SEATTLE, WA  
NOVEMBER 5-7, 2008**

**MEETING REGISTRATION FORM**

Please make your hotel reservations directly by calling (206) 623-8700 or (800) 426-5100.

Request the Western Dredging Association Pacific Chapter group rate when making the reservations.

**NOTE:** The special hotel rate is only available until **October 15, 2008**, space allowing.

**REGISTRATION FEE:**

\_\_\_\_\_ WEDA Member \$225 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Member \$250 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Registration fee includes the Wednesday Ice Breaker, and Thursday Luncheon/Afternoon Tour for the Registrant. It also includes a guest for the Ice Breaker.*

**Name:** (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (MI) \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please attach your business card**

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**

WEDA, Pacific Chapter

**MAIL REGISTRATION FORM AND PAYMENT TO:**

WEDA Pacific Chapter Conference Registration  
 C/O Bill Hussin, Secretary  
 Manson Construction Co.  
 PO Box 24067  
 Seattle, WA 98124

Please indicate if you plan on attending:

**Ice Breaker (Wednesday Night):**

You Yes  No  No Charge  
 Guest Yes  No  No Charge

**Luncheon (Thursday):**

Please indicate if vegetarian meal is desired.

You Yes  No  Veg.  No Charge  
 Guest \$25 Yes  No  Veg.  \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Tour (Thursday Afternoon):**

You Yes  No  No Charge  
 Guest Yes  No  No Charge

**TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Please submit your completed registration form by **September 12, 2008** regardless of whether you intend to pay now or at the conference.*

**IMPORTANT:**

**PAYMENT MUST BE BY CHECK OR CASH  
NO CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED**