



Lt. Governor Rick Sheehy and the United States Attorney for Nebraska Deborah Gilg, would like to invite you to be part of the 2011 Nebraska Infrastructure Protection Conference - on April 11, 2011 at the Embassy Suites LaVista Conference Center in LaVista, Nebraska. The Nebraska Infrastructure Protection Conference is designed to assist in information sharing, collaboration and networking with those protecting Nebraska's critical infrastructure assets. It fosters participation in Nebraska's Homeland Security initiatives and programs by partnering industry representatives with government to share knowledge and expertise. Identification of mutual needs in the areas of joint response procedures, key asset surveillance, collaboration, information sharing regarding threats, contact lists and relationships, and participation in response exercises. Combining this year's conference with the Meta-Leadership Summit for Preparedness only further accomplishes this goal. Please visit our website at www.nipc.us.

This year, the Nebraska Infrastructure Protection Committee received word of a great opportunity to share with conference attendees. The Center for Preparedness Education, through a grant from the Upper Midwest Preparedness and Emergency Response Learning Center (UMPERLC) and State Farm Insurance are sponsoring the Nebraska Meta-Leadership Summit for Preparedness. The website to find more information is: www.metaleadershipsummit.org. The Meta-Leadership Summit for Preparedness is a unique national initiative to better prepare business, government and nonprofit leaders to work effectively together during a public health or safety crisis. Through the Summit, leaders learn skills needed for effective action during times of crisis and build organizational connections to strengthen community preparedness for responding to and recovering from emergencies.

The NIPC conference does not receive public or grant funding (only the Meta-Leadership Summit has been funded), relying instead on sponsorships from key resource organizations throughout the state of Nebraska. We hope that you would consider showing your support for the progress that NIPC promotes by way of information sharing and networking. Please look through this letter to see the various sponsorship categories. If your organization would like to be part of this opportunity and assist with the financial support please contact:

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Thank you for your support,

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Nebraska Infrastructure Protection Conference 2011 Sponsorship

* All of the information below is required for registration. Please submit by March 15, 2011.

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Platinum **: \$5,000---

Exhibit booth (please check if your organization wishes to exhibit)

Recognition consists of **(a)** All Gold level benefits AND **(b)** Complimentary conference registration for **three** participants

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Gold **: \$2,500---

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Recognition consists of: **(a)** Organizations name on the sponsor page of NIPC website and conference program, AND **(b)** Exhibit space for your organization in a separate area designated for sponsors (if requested)

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