



# NCDEA Update

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November 3, 2006

## ***November 29-30, 2006 Leadership Conference***

The registration forms should be sent in as soon as possible. The deadline is today November 3 for the early registration fee level. Thirty some district employees have already signed up. There is still time for you to do so. You will likely need to use one of the optional hotels as the room block is nearly full but we have hotels within walking distance and at similar prices to the headquarters hotel. The agenda is filled with many useful workshop topics and there will be a number of exercises and take home materials. Any questions please see <http://nacdnet.org/meetings/LC/> for copies of the agenda and the registration form or contact [Rich-Duesterhaus@nacdnet.org](mailto:Rich-Duesterhaus@nacdnet.org)

## ***2007 NCDEA officer nominations being accepted***

The nomination committee is accepting nominations for a national slate of officers for the positions of vice president, secretary, and treasurer. Email or postal mail address may be used as shown below:

### **RICH BADEN, Past President**

Spokane County CD,  
210 N Havana St, Spokane, WA 99202  
Phone: (509) 535-7274  
Fax: (509) 535-7410  
E-mail: [rich-baden@sccd.org](mailto:rich-baden@sccd.org)

President Dobbs appointed the following to the nominating committee to work with chair Rich Baden. Members are Tommy Brooks, Tim Riley, Peter Vigil, Greg Baneck, Phil Griswold and Irene Moore. Each nominee is required to submit a resume' and at least two letters of support. One should be from the SWCD board and the other possibly from a state partner. The deadline for this information to be sent to Rich Baden is December 15, 2006. Rich will then get them to the other committee members.

## ***NCDEA encourages attendance at the 2007 NACD annual meeting***

In early February, hundreds of conservation leaders from across America will gather in Los Angeles, Ca. to learn about, discuss, participate in and influence the POWER OF CONSERVATION the theme for this annual meeting. NCDEA is assisting with a number of activities in planning and implementing the meeting. Key breakout sessions with topics of interest to district employees and supervisors are but one of the many events that will make your attendance worthwhile. For a full range of information including

registration, program, tours, and other events please check this page <http://2007.nacdnet.org/>

NCDEA will also be holding an annual meeting, hosting a leadership and employees luncheon, conducting a tour to the Reagan Presidential library and hosting a dance for all participants. See the tour brochure below.

## Join NCDEA on our tour to the **Ronald Reagan**

Presidential Library

Sunday, February 4, 2007 – 12:00 Noon – 5:15 p.m.

**\$49.00  
Per  
Person**



*We will depart from the Westin Bonaventure Hotel and travel through Los Angeles and up the golden California coast to Simi Valley – the home of the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library.*

*The Reagan Presidential Library is chock full of artifacts from President Reagan's childhood and professional career provide physical evidence of his extraordinary life. Step through a model of the Dixon Arch in Illinois to experience Reagan's youth, while his Eureka College letter sweater recalls his student years. A recreated studio booth highlights his early radio broadcasting career, which led to an acting contract with Warner Brothers film clips.*

*Original costumes and movie posters trace his days in the movies, the Screen Actors Guild, and on television, as host of GE Theater and Death Valley Days. Glimpse into Ronald and Nancy Reagan's devoted marriage, a love story straight out of a Hollywood script. Learn about Reagan's growing involvement in politics. Witness his presidency, from reviving the economy, reducing the size of the federal government, and ending the threat of nuclear war. See a piece of the Berlin Wall, immerse yourself in Camp David and Rancho del Cielo. We will also be able to walk through Air Force One, the jet that President Reagan used throughout his eight years in office.*

***Availability is limited! DON'T GET SHUT OUT—  
RESERVATION DEADLINE IS JANUARY 15, 2007***

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### ***Registration Form for NCDEA Tour of Ronald Reagan Presidential Library***

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Conservation District/Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ # People attending the Ronald Reagan Library Tour X \$49 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL

***Make check payable to NCDEA and send to:*** Cindy Moon, NCDEA, 1607 W. Jackson Street, Macomb, IL 61455

***NOTE: NO REUNDS AFTER JANUARY 5, 2007 (\$5.00 SERVICE FEE)***

### ***Other Upcoming Items or Events:***

Raffle tickets are now available for a laptop computer and projector. A brochure and further information will soon be distributed. Tickets have been furnished to board members so that they will be available at annual meetings and we really encourage the sale of tickets so we can raise the scholarship fund by \$5,000.00.

**Reminder** to reach the web pages or email addresses in this update please press control key and then click on the respective address.