## MISSISSIPPI ASSOCIATION OF SUPERVISORS

2023 New Term Orientation | December 6 & 7 Sheraton Refuge Conference Center | Rankin County



# 2023 New Term Orientation Tentative Agenda

#### Wednesday, December 6

8:00 am Meet and Greet Vendor Table Setup

Pre-function Area

9:00 am – 3:00 pm Registration

Pre-function Area

9:00 am – 3:00 pm Photographer Session

Meeting Room B

9:00 am – 4:00 pm Network with "Meet and Greet" Vendors

Pre-function Area

9:15 am – 9:30 am *Morning Refreshments* 

Pre-function Area

9:30 am – 3:30 pm INSTITUTE EDUCATION CLASSES

**Grand Ballroom** 

9:30 am – 10:15 am Welcome and Overview of MAS

MAS President, Steven Crotwell &MAS Exec. Dir., Derrick Surrette

(1 Elective Credit)

10:15 am - 11:45 am County Audits, Budgeting, and How to Properly Spend County Dollars

Tom Chain, Director of Technical Assistance, MS State Auditors Office

(1 Core Credit)

11:45 am – 1:00 pm Luncheon

**Grand Ballroom** 

1:00 pm - 3:30 pm INSTITUTE EDUCATION CLASSES CONT'D

Grand Ballroom

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Personnel Issues & Employment Law

Will Allen, Attorney of Allen, Allen, Breeland, & Allen PLLC

1 Core Credit

2:00 pm – 2:30 pm Role of County Administrator

Danielle Ashley, MACAC President

(1 Elective Credit)

2:30 pm – 2:45 pm Afternoon Refreshments

Pre-function Area

2:45 pm – 3:30 pm Concurrent Breakout Sessions Moderated by Supervisors

JR Ballroom A/B

Let's Talk **Beat** Counties: Peer to Peer Exchange

Jr Ballroom C/D

Let's Talk **Unit** Counties: Peer to Peer Exchange

(1 Elective Credit)

4:30 pm Networking Reception

**Grand Ballroom** 

Event dates and times subject to change.

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7:30 am — 8:30 am Breakfast

**Grand Ballroom** 

8:00 am – 10:00 am Registration

Pre-function Area

8:00 am – 2:00 pm Photographer Session

Meeting Room B

8:00 am – 2:00 pm Network with "Meet and Greet" Vendors

**Pre-function Area** 

8:30 am – 2:30 pm INSTITUTE EDUCATION CLASSES

**Grand Ballroom** 

8:30 am – 8:45 am Welcoming Remarks and Pledge

Steven Crotwell, MAS President

Derrick Surrette, MAS Executive Director

8:45 am – 9:45 am Supervisors 101: First Board Meeting and More

Sumner Davis, MSU Extension Service

(1 Core Credit)

9:45 am – 10:30 am Introduction & Overview of OSARC & Infrastructure Funding

Harry Lee James, State Aid Engineer

(1 Core Credit)

10:30 am – 10:45 am *Morning Refreshments* 

**Pre-function Area** 

10:45 am – 12:00 pm Discussion with MAS Executive Director & Legislative Affairs Dir.

Derrick Surrette, Exec. Dir.& Steve Gray, Dir. of Govt. Affairs

(1 Elective Credit)

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Luncheon

**Grand Ballroom** 

1:00 pm – 2:30 pm INSTITUTE EDUCATION CLASSES CONTD

Grand Ballroom

1:00 pm – 1:45 pm Supervisor Panel: Peer to Peer Exchange

(1 Elective Credit)

1:45 pm Final Thoughts before Adjourning

Derrick Surrette, MAS Executive Director

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm MAS Office Open House - *Offsite* 

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