

40th Annual Local Road Conference

October 20 – 22, 2025

Denny Sanford Premier Center – Sioux Falls, SD

Monday, October 20, 2025

Time	Event	Location
4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Kickoff – Vendor Sponsored Social and Exhibit Booth Visits	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2

Tuesday, October 21, 2025

Morning Moderator: *Paul Albritton, Iowa LTAP – Ballroom A*

Morning Moderator: *Dustin Hansen, City of Sioux Falls – Meeting Space 8-10*

Time	Event	Location
6:30 am – 7:45 am	Breakfast (provided)	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2
8:00 am – 8:15 am	Welcome – Gerald Beninga, Minnehaha County Commissioner	Ballroom A
8:15 am – 9:15 am	Basic Maintenance for Asphalt Roadways – Gill Hedman, SDLTAP	
9:15 am – 9:45 am	You Show Us – Innovation Champions (Heather Carlson and Paul Albritton)	

9:45 am – 10:15 am	Break – Exhibit Booth Visits	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2
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Time	Breakout Sessions	
10:15 am – 10:45 am	TLN – Chris Padilla, NDSU-UGPTI	Ballroom A
10:45 am – 11:45 am	Gravel Panel – Greg Vavra, SDLTAP to moderate - Joe Miller, Pennington County, SD; Brian Gustad, Brookings County, SD; Jon Regnier, Seward County, NE; & Adam Schultz, Ransom County, ND	
10:15 am – 11:00 am	Benefits of Construction Observation and Administration on Municipal Projects – Infrastructure Design Group, Phil Gundvaldson PE, F.NSPE & Astrid Potter, PE	Meeting Space 8-10
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Urban Drainage Modeling for Transportation Projects – TJ Yerdon, HDR Inc.	

Time	Event	Location
11:45 am – 1:00 pm	Lunch (provided)	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2

Afternoon Moderator: *Merl Hanson, SDLTAP – Ballroom A*
 Afternoon Moderator: *Heather Carlson, Colorado LTAP – Meeting Space 8-10*

Time	Event	Location
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	HR Related Items – <i>Genny Dienstmann, NDACO</i>	Ballroom A
2:00 pm – 2:45 pm	Cement Treated Stabilization – <i>Waylon Blasius - Noah Zacher, Banner and Associates</i> <i>Nick Bierle – GeoTek Engineering and Testing Services</i>	
2:45 pm – 3:15 pm	Break – <i>Exhibit Booth Visits (Vendor meeting at 3:15 pm)</i>	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2

Time	Breakout Sessions	
3:15 pm – 3:45 pm	Lifecycle Costs for Counties – <i>Greg Vavra, SDLTAP</i>	Ballroom A
	TLN – <i>Chris Padilla, NDSU-UGPTI</i>	Meeting Space 8-10
3:45 pm – 4:30 pm	Bridges – <i>Brian Keierleber, Buchanan County, IA</i>	Ballroom A
	Construction ADA (requirements) & Work Zone Traffic Control – <i>Megan Patent-Nygren, NLTAP</i>	Meeting Space 8-10

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4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Vendor Sponsored Social & Exhibit Booth Visits	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2

Wednesday, October 22, 2025

Morning Moderator: *Mike Eveslage, MNLTP – Ballroom A*
 Morning Moderator: *Bryon Fuchs, NDLTAP – Meeting Space 8-10*

Time	Event	Location
6:30 am – 7:45 am	Breakfast (<i>provided</i>)	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2

Time	Breakout Sessions	
8:00 am – 8:45 am	Innovative Midwest Install Ideas: Practical Solutions for County Success – <i>Kevin Good, Coleman Moore Company</i>	Ballroom A
	Traffic Signal Maintenance & Programming – <i>Heath Hoftiezer, City of Sioux Falls, SD</i>	Meeting Space 8-10
8:45 am – 9:30 am	Winter Maintenance (policies, pre-treat, etc.) – <i>Jason Kraft, Ramsey County, ND; David Kruger, Washington County, NE & Jacob Maras, Minnehaha County, SD</i>	Ballroom A
	Steady Hands on the Wheel – Leading Operations Teams Through Routine and Challenges – <i>Dustin Hansen, City of Sioux Falls</i>	Meeting Space 8-10

Time	Event	Location
9:30 am – 10:00 am	Break – <i>Final Exhibit Booth Visits</i>	Exhibit Hall 1 & 2

Time	Event	Location
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Implementing Transportation Safety Plans – <i>Luke Champa & Jamie Wark, SRF Consulting Group, Inc.</i>	Ballroom A
10:30 am – 11:00 am	SS4 Plan for Lincoln County – <i>Sam Trebilcock & Kyle Ten Napel, Houston Engineering, Inc.</i>	
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Striving for the 100-Year Pavement Foundation - Using Geosynthetics – <i>Eric Olson, Solmax</i>	
11:45 am	Conference Wrap Up & Discussion	

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