



August 20 & 21, 2024
Bloomington, Illinois
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Tuesday, August 20th

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8:00 AM	Welcome & Opening Comments	Keith Fricke NAEHSS Board President
8:15	Keynote Address: Pesticide Messaging and the Power of a Credible Voice	Genevieve O'Sullivan Vice President, Communications & Marketing CropLife America
9:15	Best Management Practices for Operating a Containment Facility	Brad Beaver Bureau Chief Illinois Department of Agricultural
10:15	Break	
10:30	Drones in Agriculture	Sgt. Dustin Polasek, USMC Retired Chief Drone Pilot Nutrien Ag Solutions
Noon	Lunch (Provided)	
1:00 PM	DOT: State Implementation of Drug & Alcohol Clearinghouse	Tom Bray Editor, Transportation JJ Keller & Associates
2:30	Break	
2:45	OSHA: New Warehousing Emphasis Program	Brian Bothast Lead Safety & Occupational Health Specialist OSHA - Peoria Office
4:00	Don't Get Tangled: Railroad Tracks & Utility Wires	Dr. Fred Whitford Director, Purdue Pesticide Programs Purdue University
5:00	Conclude	

Wednesday, August 21st

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
7:45 AM	Welcome Back	Keith Fricke NAEHSS Board President
8:00	Emergency Response & Accident Investigations: Lessons Learned	Scott Birchfield Sr. Regional Corporate HSE Manager Syngenta Crop Protection
9:30	Implementing an Emergency Action Plan	Michael Gettinger E3 Environmental
10:30	Break	
10:45	Load Securement: Understanding Straps & Chains	Dr. Fred Whitford Director, Purdue Pesticide Programs Purdue University
11:45	That's a Wrap!	

Doors will open at 7:30 AM both days. A light breakfast and refreshments will be offered each day.