

3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

OTA Board of Directors and Membership Meetings Cycle Pub

5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Welcome Reception & Visit Exhibits

7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Silent Auction, Raffle, Scholarship Awards, Buffet

## Tuesday, June 6

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **Buffet Breakfast** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Registration Desk Open 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Exhibit Hall Open

8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. Welcome & Announcements | Vendor Introductions

8:15 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. **Opening Keynote Session** 

L.D. Bennett of Maximize Consulting - LD began our conference in 2022 with a terrific presentation and will join us again this year. LD will again lead us through a process designed to enhance team member performance. Awareness of diverse and inclusive business practices will lead to competitive advantages and development of employees with skills your company will need in order to thrive. Refreshment Break & Visit Exhibits

9:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

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**Joan Engebretson, Editor of Telecompetitor magazine** - Joan will join us for a lively discussion of the issues facing the telecommunications industry. Joan has a unique position from which to observe and report on issues such as federal funding programs and broadband deployment.

11:15a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Refreshment Break & Visit Exhibits

11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. General Session III

> NTCA and WTA - Our friends with NTCA - The Rural Broadband Association and WTA Advocates for Rural Broadband, will join us to discuss the latest political and regulatory developments in Washington D.C.

12:15 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. Lunch Buffet & Visit Exhibits

1:45p.m. - 2:30 p.m. General Session IV

> Oregon Public Utility Commission Panel - Nicola Peterson, Sr. Telecommunications Analyst and Heide Caswell, Administrator of the Utility Safety, Reliability and Security Program, will join us for a presentation and discussion on the Oregon USF program

and joint use issues, among other matters.

2:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. Refreshment Break & Visit Exhibits

**Breakout Sessions / Vendor Breakout** 

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. We will have two concurrent sessions during this hour. Topics and presenters to be

determined.

3:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Closing Statements & Adjournment

## **Activities**

For this year's program we are keeping with the same format as last year. There will NOT be an organized golf tournament. However, a few tee times have been reserved for some four-somes for those interested in putting together a golf game. You will need to contact the Club House at Widgi Creek to secure those arrangements and pay your golf fees directly.

When in Rome! Or Bend? Experience one of the best ways to get around town while tasting the nationally famous beers from Central Oregon! Hop on the Cycle Pub tour for a trip in style. You'll turn heads and have a great time; guaranteed! "Vehicle" options include the original Cycle Pub big bike, smaller bike versions and even an electric Tuk Tuk! Seats are limited; register quickly for first choice. Some options have a minimum participant requirement and may be subject to cancellation if not met. Please be in good physical condition

## **Conference Registration**

Registration forms must be received in the OTA office by Monday, May 15. Registration fees: OTA member (includes non-employee spouse) \$525.

OTA Premier Associate Members are given one discounted registration at 50% for one attendee per company. See the registration form for event fees.

Registration forms received after Monday, May 15 will be assessed a \$50.00 late fee. The registration fee includes: meals, non-employee spouse or guest registration, program sessions, breaks, receptions, materials and one

All conference information and forms will be available on the OTA website: www.ota-telecom.org. Register online and pay with a credit card through OTA's website with our secure system or opt to be invoiced for payment. If you prefer, you can print the form, fill it in and mail with a check

All cancellations must be received in writing by May 15. 2023. Refunds will be processed within 3 weeks after the close of the conference. Due to contractual obligations, we regret that refunds cannot be granted after May 15. Late cancellations or "no-shows" will be charged at the full rate. OTA assumes no liability for non-refundable transportation costs, hotel accommodations or additional costs incurred

If you require special arrangements in order to fully participate in the conference, please call the OTA office so we can discuss how to meet your needs. The dress code for the conference is "Resort Casual."

## **Resort Reservations**

For reservations: Please call 458-281-0306 and ask for the Oregon Telecommunications Association Annual Conference group rates. You can also visit www.riverhouse.com and use group code OTAtel, as well as using the following link: Oregon Telecommunications Annual Meeting-Reservations

Reservation Cancellation Policy: Cancel 14 days prior to arrival to avoid forfeiture of deposit. Deposit less \$35 will be refunded if cancelled earlier. A confirmed guest who fails to arrive on the scheduled arrival date will be considered a "no show," charged the full rate for the entire reservation, and the entire reservation will be cancelled.

odging rates are subject to county and state taxes at the time of check-in urrently 10.3%). In addition, a 13.5% resort fee will be charged. Taxes and fees are subject to change without notice.



Room TypesSi	ngle / Double
Deluxe King (no view)	\$189/night
Superior King w/sofa bed (with view)	\$219/night

Guestrooms have a check in time at 4:00 p.m. and check out on the day of departure at 11:00 a.m. Each deluxe room features a private balcony or patio with property views. Deluxe rooms also feature Keurig's and an executive desk. Each superior room features a river view with a sofa bed and includes a Keurig and an executive desk, as well as a microwave and small refrigerator.

> **HOTEL RESERVATION DEADLINE:** May 15, 2023