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**Agenda - Landslide
Forum, February 6th, 2006
8:30AM - 4:00PM - Red Lion Inn, Salem**

8:30 AM - Introductions and Kickoff Speaker - Vicki McConnell, State Geologist, Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries (DOGAMI), and Mike Carrier, Policy Director, Governor's Natural Resources Office

9:00 AM - Overview of the weather events, February, November, 1996 - Tyree Wilde, Warning Coordination Meteorologist, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

9:20 AM - Landslide types and causes, Bill Burns, Geotechnical Specialist, DOGAMI

9:40 AM – The Floods and Landslides of '96 and The State's Response – Christine Valentine, Floodplain/Natural Hazards Coordinator, Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) and Abby Kershaw, Financial & Recovery Section Director, Oregon Emergency Management (OEM)

10:00 AM – Questions, Break

10:40 AM – The 1998 Task Force on Landslides and Public Safety, Recommendations and Ultimate Results – Gail Achterman, Director, Institute for Natural Resources

11:00 AM – The Oregon Debris Flow Warning System – Mike Ziolko, Meteorology Manager, Jason Hinkle, Geotechnical Specialist, Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF)

11:20 AM – An overview of DOGAMI Landslide Mitigation Efforts – Yumei Wang, Geotechnical Engineer, DOGAMI

11:40 AM - Questions

12:00 Noon – Buffet Lunch

Lunch presentations include:

Scott Burns, Geology Professor, Portland State University, presenting a collection of landslide data and analysis, damage estimates, plus highlights of the work being done in Oregon.

Andre LeDuc, Oregon Natural Hazards Workgroup (ONHW), Partners for Disaster Resistance & Resilience –Showcasing the measurable activities that Oregon has accomplished to reduce costs associated with landslides and other disasters since 1996. Plus an awards presentation recognizing outstanding mitigation efforts in the State of Oregon including:

Distinguished Leader in Natural Hazard Risk Reduction – Peter Courtney, Oregon Senate President, District 11

Non-Profit Leader in Natural Hazard Risk Reduction - Angie Karel, Partners for Loss Prevention

Outstanding Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan - Josephine County Integrated Fire Plan, Contact: Sara Nicholson

Exemplary Local Natural Hazard Mitigation Project - City of Seaside Tsunami Awareness Program, Contact: Kevin Cupples

Student Achievement in Natural Hazard Risk Reduction - University of Oregon's Community Planning Workshop Team: Julie Baxter, Morgan Ellis, Jessica Nunley, Kate Lenzser and Sam Fox for the Lane County Community Wildfire Protection Plan.

1:30 PM – Landslide Hazards and Planning – Paula Gori, Assistant Coordinator of the US Geological Survey (USGS) Landslide Hazards Program.

2:00 PM – Oregon Post-disaster mitigation activities following the three Presidential disaster declarations of 1996 and early 1997 - Dennis Sigrist, Hazard Mitigation Officer, OEM

2:20 PM – The City of Salem/Marion County Landslide Ordinance - Les Sasaki, Principal Planner, Marion County and Ron Derrick, Senior Development Services Engineer, City of Salem

2:40 PM – The DOGAMI/USGS Landslide Hazards Partnership and upcoming work – Ian Madin, DOGAMI and Rex Baum, USGS Landslide Hazards Program

3:00PM Agency updates/ Future work/ Q&A

4:00 PM wrap up and adjourn – Vicki McConnell, DOGAMI

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