

We are excited to announce the 78th Annual CFOA Conference, hosted by White Pine County and Eureka County this September 19-21, 2023 in Ely, Nevada. The host committee has been working very hard to provide members with excellent speakers and opportunities to network with each other and with participating vendors.

The meetings will be held at the Bristlecone Convention Center located at 150 Sixth Street, Ely, Nevada. Currently four hotels have offered a set number of rooms at a discounted rate for the conference so make your reservations as soon as possible to take advantage of these lower rates and availability.

- * We will be adding details to the website throughout the summer, so check back to see any updates.
- * Tuesday night events include the opportunity to ride on a historic passenger railroad pulled by a century-old steam engine. We will be holding an early bird drawing for CFOA members that get their registrations turned in by June 15th the opportunity to “Be the Engineer along with Shawn Frehner” and experience what it is like to be in control of one of the Iron Horses, running it on the original mainline. Please note that if you are the successful winner of this drawing you will need to wear long-sleeves, long-pants, closed toed shoes and must be able to climb up to the cab unassisted.
- * Tuesday evening will end with fireworks and as we all know how the Nevada weather cooperates, please be prepared for anything.
- * Wednesday night dinner theme is a Murder Mystery titled “Party-Deception at the Disco” and if anyone would like to break out bright, flashy colors and bell bottom pants, nylon jumpsuits or platform shoes to fit the flare you are welcome to do so.
- * Thursday closing ceremonies theme is “The Great 80’s”. The greatest era in music history, in my opinion, and since there is going to be karaoke, I would encourage you to brush up on your Rick Springfield, Duran Duran, Queen, Bon Jovi, Wham!, Bryan Adams, Def Leppard, Michael Jackson, White Snake, Prince, Foreigner, Journey, Prince, Van Halen, I could go on and on but did I mention Rick Springfield? Come dressed as your favorite part of the 1980’s – it’s going to be RAD!!

We look forward to getting together again in September! Please call me with any questions. Until then, thank you very much to our host committee for all their work to make this year’s conference one for the record books!

Host Committee:

Catherine Bakaric, White Pine County Treasurer

Nichole Stephey, White Pine County Clerk

Chrissie Shady, White Pine County Recorder

Kim Todd, Eureka County Comptroller

Gina Rackley

CFOA President

50 W. 5th Street, Ste 203

Winnemucca, NV 89445

775-623-6467