

# National LTAP and TTAP Conference

July 21-25, 2024

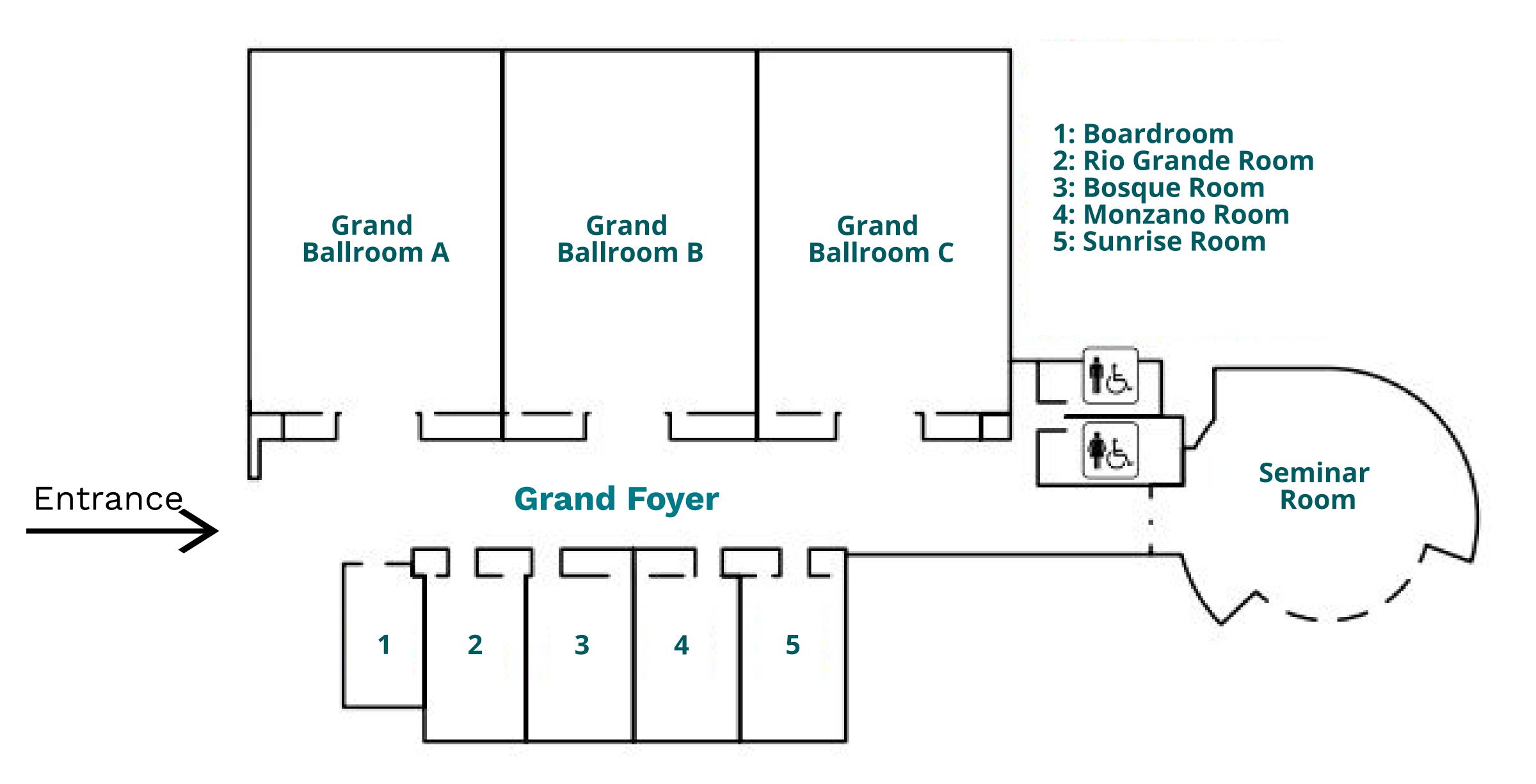
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# Conference Map



Room	Abbreviation
Grand Ballroom A	ВА
Grand Ballroom B	ВВ
Grand Ballroom C	ВС
Boardroom	BD
Grand Foyer	GF
Rio Grande	RG
Bosque	BQ
Manzano	MZ
Sunrise	SR
Seminar	SM
Lobby	

## Conference At-a-Glance

#### **Sunday: July 21, 2024**

Room	Start	End	Title
GF	3:00PM	7:00PM	Registration
RG	3:00PM	5:00PM	EC Meeting
SM	6:00PM	8:00PM	Welcome Event

#### Monday: July 22, 2024

Room	Start	End	Title
L	6:00AM	7:00AM	Morning Walk
ВС	7:00AM	8:00AM	Breakfast
GF	7:00AM	5:00PM	Registration
ВА	8:00AM	8:30AM	Day 1 Welcome
ВА	8:30AM	10:30AM	LTAP/TTAP U
ВВ	8:30AM	10:30AM	MUTCD Train-the-Trainer
SR	10:00AM	3:00PM	LAS One-on-Ones
GF	10:30AM	11:00AM	Coffee and Networking
ВА	11:00AM	12:30PM	LTAP/TTAP U (continued)
ВВ	11:00AM	12:30PM	MUTCD Train-the-Trainer (continued)
ВС	12:30PM	1:30PM	Lunch (provided)
ВА	1:30PM	2:30PM	LTAP/TTAP U (continued)
ВВ	1:30PM	3:30PM	MUTCD Train the Trainer (continued)
RG	2:30PM	3:30PM	Mentor Program
ВА	2:30PM	3:30PM	New Director Meeting
BQ	3:30PM	4:30PM	LTAP Work Group: Training Resources
	5:30PM	8:00PM	Dinner at Sawmill- Bus to location Meals not provided

#### **Tuesday: July 23, 2024**

Room	Start	End	Title
L	6:00AM	7:00AM	Morning Walk
ВС	7:00AM	8:00AM	Breakfast
GF	7:00AM	5:00PM	Registration
ВА	8:00AM	9:00AM	Welcome/ Tribal Dance
*	9:00AM	11:00AM	Breakout sessions
SR	10:00AM	3:00PM	LAS One-on-Ones
GF	11:00AM	11:30AM	Coffee and Networking
ВА	11:30AM	12:30PM	Keynote Speaker: Sheri Bozic
ВС	12:30PM	1:30PM	Lunch- Build a Better Mousetrap Winner Announcement (video)

#### **Tuesday: July 23, 2024**

Room	Start	End	Title
ВА	1:30PM	2:00PM	State Sharing Session
*	2:00PM	3:30PM	Breakout Sessions
GF	3:30PM	4:00PM	Coffee and Networking
BQ	4:00PM	5:00PM	WG: Safety
MZ	4:00PM	5:00PM	WG: Professional Development
ВС	6:00PM	8:00PM	Dinner- NLTAPA Provided

#### Wednesday: July 24, 2024

Room	Start	End	Title
L	6:00AM	7:00AM	Morning Walk
ВС	7:00AM	8:00AM	Breakfast
ВА	8:00AM	9:30AM	Partner Updates
GF	9:30AM	10:00AM	Coffee and Networking
SR	10:00AM	3:00PM	LAS One-on-Ones
*	10:00AM	11:00AM	Breakout Sessions
ВА	11:00AM	12:00PM	Local Aid Support and TTAP
ВС	12:00PM	1:00PM	Lunch/ Awards
*	1:00PM	2:30PM	Breakout Sessions
GF	2:30PM	3:00PM	Coffee and Networking
ВА	3:00PM	4:00PM	Business Meeting
ВА	4:00PM	4:15PM	Announcements
BQ	4:30PM	5:30PM	LTAP Work Group: Communications
MZ	4:30PM	5:30PM	LTAP Work Group: Partnerships
	5:30PM	8:00PM	Dinner on your own

#### Thursday: July 25, 2024

Room	Start	End	Title		
L	6:00AM	7:00AM	Morning Walk		
ВС	7:00AM	8:00AM	Breakfast		
ВА	8:00AM	8:30AM	Announcements		
ВА	8:30AM	9:30AM	Hot Topic		
GF	9:30AM	10:00AM	Coffee and Networking		
ВА	10:00AM	11:00AM	Business Meeting continued		
ВА	11:00AM	12:00PM	FHWA Update, Innovation, and BIL		
ВА	12:00PM	12:30PM	Closing Remarks, 2025 Conference Announcement		
TBD	12:30PM	1:30PM	Conference Debrief (invite only)		

#### **Sunday July 21, 2024**

3:00PM- 7:00PM

Room: Grand Foyer

Registration

**3:00PM- 5:00PM**Room: Rio Grande

**NLTAPA Executive Committee Meeting** 

**Moderator:** Tim Colling

6:00PM-8:00PM

**Opening Reception** 

Room: Seminar

Join us in the Isleta Seminar Room for a wonderful conference opening, including <u>free tethered</u> hot air balloons rides from New Mexico's own Rainbow Ryders!

#### Monday July 22, 2024

6:00AM-7:00AM

Room: Lobby

**Morning Walk around Isleta Property** 

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7:00AM- 5:00PM

Room: Grand Foyer

Registration

7:00AM-8:00AM

Room: Ballroom C

**Breakfast** 

8:00AM- 8:30AM

Room: Ballroom A

**Morning 1 Welcome** 

Moderator: Heath Pickerill

8:30AM- 10:30AM

Room: Ballroom A

LTAP/TTAP U

The LTAP/TTAP U program is designed for all LTAP/TTAP individuals: seasoned veterans, those brand new to the program, and those somewhere in the middle. The format includes a variety of short sessions covering a range of topics. The topics for this year's agenda range from LTAP/TTAP basics, to developing a roads scholar program, having a successful advisory board, ways to market your center, and more! The content for the first hour of this year's program will be geared to our newer LTAP/TTAP Association members, but all are welcome.

No matter what your role is at your center, LTAP/TTAP U has something for you! We hope you can join us.

Moderators: Kim Carr and Mary McCarthy

8:30AM-10:30AM

Room: Ballroom B

**MUTCD Train-the-Trainer** 

Join us for an essential Train-the-Trainer session on the updated Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) at this year's conference. This comprehensive session is designed for experienced professionals to gain an in-depth understanding of the latest MUTCD updates and effective teaching strategies. Participants will engage in interactive discussions, hands-on exercises, and receive valuable resources to confidently train their teams on the new standards, ensuring consistent application across projects. Enhance your skills and become a key resource in implementing these crucial traffic control updates.

**Moderator:** Matthew Enders

10:00AM-3:00PM

Room: Sunrise

**Local Aid Support One-on-One Meetings** 

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10:30AM-11:00AM

Room: Grand Foyer

**Coffee and Networking** 

10:30AM-12:30PM

Room: Ballroom A

LTAP/TTAP U Continued

**10:30AM-12:30PM**Room: Ballroom B

**MUTCD Train-the-Trainer U Continued** 

#### Monday July 22, 2024 continued

12:30PM-1:30PM

Room: Grand Foyer

**Lunch- Provided** 

1:30PM-2:30PM

Room: Ballroom A

LTAP/TTAP U Continued

1:30PM-3:30PM

Room: Ballroom B

**MUTCD Train-the-Trainer Continued** 

2:30PM-3:30PM

Room: Rio Grande

**Mentor Program** 

We encourage you to stick around after LTAP/TTAP U and the MUTCD Train-the Trainer sessions for the NLTAPA Peer-to Peer Mentor Program. If you are currently enrolled as a mentor or mentee, this is the perfect opportunity for you to meet in-person! This session will also provide the opportunity to join members of the Professional Development Workgroup as we connect with existing Mentor Program Pairs and meet new and experienced staff that are interested in learning more about the program.

Moderators: Kim Carr and Mary McCarthy

2:30PM- 3:30PM

Room: Ballroom A

**New Director Meetings** 

Are you a new Center Director (or newish)? Join us for a brief orientation of NLTAPA and the chance to connect with your center leader colleagues. We want to know how you are doing and what you need so we can support you and your center!

Moderators: Kim Carr and Mary McCarthy

3:30PM-4:30PM

Room: Bosque

LTAP Work Group: Training Resources

**Moderators:** Andrew Morgan and Matheu Carter

5:30PM-9:00PM

Room: Lobby roundabout

**Dinner at Sawmill Market** 

Join your peers for dinner at Sawmill Market in the Old Town area! Sawmill has 30 food and beverage options for you to choose from! Two <u>free</u> shuttles will run every half hour from Isleta to Sawmill Market and back! Transportation is provided but dinner is on your own. Follow instructions found on

page 16.

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Room: Ballroom C

Breakfast

8:00AM-9:00AM

Room: Ballroom A

**NLTAPA Conference Opening** 

Join us for the 2024 NLTAPA Conference Opening featuring:

- Recognition of tribal lands
- Traditional Hoop Dance by Josiah Enriquez of Pueblo of Pojoaque, the 2024 World Hoop Dance Champion accompanied by a live drummer
- Welcome from Dan Ciernia, New Mexico Department of Transportation
- Conference call to action with NLTAPA President Elect, Heath Pickerill

Moderator: Heath Pickerill

9:00AM-11:00AM

Room: \*\*

**Breakout Sessions** 

See next page for more details.

#### **Tuesday July 23, 2024**

Room	Start time	End Time	Type	Session
Rio Grande	9:00AM	10:00AM	Training/Development	Getting, Sharing, Presenting, and Evaluating Ideas and Information
Bosque	9:00AM	9:30AM	Safety	Introduction to Public Health in Transportation
Monzano	9:00AM	10:00AM	Cultivating Relationships	LTAP/TTAP Collaboration - Lessons Learned from a Collaborative Gravel Roads Class
Bosque	9:30AM	10:00AM	Safety	Aligning Training with the Safe Systems Approach
Rio Grande	10:00AM	11:00AM	Training/Development	The Art of Facilitation: A Creative Approach to Developing Powerful Learning Experiences
Bosque	10:00AM	10:45AM	Safety	Beyond Safety Circuit Rider
Monzano	10:00AM	10:30AM	Cultivating Relationships	Finding the Forgotten Locals and Tribes
Monzano	10:30AM	11:00AM	Cultivating Relationships	How to Help Local Agencies Find Candidates, Train Them, and Get The Money To Stay Busy
Bosque	10:45AM	11:00AM	Safety	SS4A Funding Opportunities and Helping Locals Apply

#### 9:00AM-10:00AM

#### Room: Rio Grande

#### Getting, Sharing, Presenting, and Evaluating Ideas and Information

Come join a Yankee and a Rebel as they show how flip charts, post-it notes, and presentations can be utilized to be more effective and engaging, and help all of your meetings by encouraging the sharing of ideas, obtaining meaningful feedback, and improving networking.

Presenters: Brittany Cloyd, David Orr

#### 9:00AM- 9:30AM

#### Room: Bosque

#### **Introduction to Public Health in Transportation**

This session aims to identify the leading cause of death due to injury in tribal nations. It provides a brief introduction to the 4 E's, the public health approach, and how it can be applied to transportation in a culturally relevant and responsive way.

Presenter: Carrie Brown

#### 9:00AM-10:00AM

#### Room: Manzano

#### LTAP/TTAP Collaboration - Lessons Learned from a Collaborative Gravel Roads Class.

Discussion of a successful training class collaboration that occurred in February 2024. Presentations will cover how costs were divided and how the event was organized. It will also include information on the class itself which combined multiple levels of expertise.

Presenters: Cina Fisher, Vicky Wolf, Billy Connor, Matt Ulberg

#### 9:30AM- 10:00AM

#### Room: Bosque

#### Aligning Training with the Safe Systems Approach

In January 2022, the Federal Highway Administration released the National Roadway Safety Strategy. The Resource Center is providing technical assistance around the country to help achieve the long-term goal of reaching zero roadway fatalities. In this session, we will discuss new training courses that are available or under development. These include Equity in Advancing Systemic Safety, Data-Driven Safety Analysis Methods, Road Safety Audits, Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety, and Planning and Designing for Complete Streets. We will also highlight planned outreach, implementation, and training activities associated with the release of the Second Edition of the Highway Safety Manual. The session would conclude with a discussion of the activities shared and how best to support local agencies.

**Presenter:** Derek Troyer

#### 10:00AM-11:00AM

#### Room: Rio Grande

#### The Art of Facilitation: A Creative Approach to Developing Powerful Learning Experiences

Join us for this experiential workshop that will help you shift your approach to instruction and create learning experiences that last.

Presenter: Jeff Flowers

#### **Tuesday July 23, 2024**

#### 10:00AM- 10:45AM

#### Room: Bosque

#### **Beyond Safety Circuit Rider**

This session will provide an overview of Kentucky's Safety Circuit Rider and how KYLTAP has used the program to expand its services, from serving a few counties per year to implementing and supporting Local Road Safety Plans statewide for Kentucky Counties. This session will review the relationship established by KYLTAP and the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet through the SCRP and LRSP programs and how those programs laid the groundwork for the widespread pursuit of Safe Streets and Roads for All. In addition, technical resources that have been developed for all local agencies will be shared, such as statewide local crash mapping and systemic review of local roadways for hazardous locations.

Presenters: Martha Horseman and Adam Kirk

#### 10:45AM- 11:00AM

#### Room: Bosque

#### **SS4A Funding Opportunities and Helping Locals Apply**

Join us for this session on how LTAP centers have assisted locals become aware of and pursue SS4A funding. This panel will focus on SS4A, finding BIL funding opportunities, and staying in compliance with federal aide requirements. Bring your questions, experiences, and insights to this informative and interactive session!

Presenters: Andi Bill, Lauren Gehner, and Adam Kirk

#### 10:00AM- 10:30AM

#### Room: Monzano

#### Finding the Forgotten Locals and Tribes

Finding Forgotten Locals – the programs, initiatives, and ways you're finding and building relationships with the smallest or most rural of your local agencies, and establishing relationships between local agencies and LTAP, to bring them into your program.

**Presenter:** Rebecca Mayher

#### 10:30AM- 11:00AM

#### Room: Monzano

#### How to Help Local Agencies Find Candidates, Train Them, and Get the Money to Stay Busy

A discussion on industry trends with regards to recruitment and retention of employees will funnel into what local agencies can do now and what FHWA's Strategic Workforce Development initiative champion, Colorado LTAP, is doing to help. The conversation continues with identifying projects, finding and applying for the funding to complete them and what to do when the monies arrive!

Presenter: Heather Carlson

#### 10:00AM-3:00PM

#### Room: Sunrise

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#### 11:00AM-11:30AM

#### Room: Grand Foyer

#### **Coffee and Networking**

#### 11:30AM-12:30PM

#### Room: Ballroom A

#### **Keynote Address: Sheri Bozic**

Sheri Bozic is the Director of Planning and Development for the Pueblo of Jemez and serves as the Chair of the Transportation Research Board (TRB) Standing Committee on Native American Transportation Issues.

Presenter: Sheri Bozic

Lunch

Moderator: Callie Thomason French

#### 12:30PM-1:30PM

#### Room: Ballroom C

## During lunch, LAS will provide updates on the Build a Better Mousetrap competition, including categoric winners and introduce a vote for the overall winner!

Moderator: Heath Pickerill

#### 1:30PM-2:00PM

#### Room: Ballroom A

#### **State Sharing Sessions**

Moderator: Megan Patent-Nygren

#### **Tuesday July 23, 2024**

2:00PM-3:30PM

**Breakout Sessions** 

Room: \*\*

See below for details.

Room	Start time	End Time	Type	Session
Rio Grande	2:00 PM	3:30PM	Training/Development	Getting and Keeping People Engaged
Monzano	2:00 PM	3:00PM	Cultivating Relationships	Innovative Partnerships in Workforce Development
Monzano	3:00 PM	3:30PM	Cultivating Relationships	Evaluating LTAP Training Programs for College Credit
Bosque	2:00 PM	2:45PM	Safety	Faster Than A Speeding Bullet: Addressing Speeding and Speed Management
Bosque	2:45 PM	3:30 PM	Safety	How to Market Safety Outreach and PSA Campaigns

#### 2:00PM- 3:30PM Room: Rio Grande

#### **Getting and Keeping People Engaged**

It's happened to many of us: you're running a meeting or teaching a class and you ask a question. Silence. Crickets. Perhaps you start a group activity and some participants aren't, well...participating. Or maybe class started out great but now you feel like you're walking through quicksand, uphill, to get anyone to share their ideas.

Do we have a session for you?! Stacey Caston, NHI Director, and Lauren Harrington, Instructional Systems Designer, returns to the conference this year with a new set of practical tips and tricks. Join us in this interactive session as we discuss classroom management strategies to manage real-life situations. Come try out techniques to increase learner participation. Walk away with real tools you can use to engage your learners.

**Presenters:** Stacey J. Caston and Lauren Harrington

#### 2:00PM- 3:00PM

Room: Monzano

#### Innovative Partnerships in Workforce Development: Building the Pipeline

Centers are finding many ways to support local agencies in their workforce development needs. This panel discussion will focus on examples from a few states and their experiences in partnering with outside workforce development organizations. Join us to learn more about opportunities that may be available in your state, and how centers are helping advance workforce development in transportation.

Presenters: Carrie Brown, Tom O'Brien, Cindy Schaedig

#### 3:00PM-3:30PM

Room: Monzano

#### Professional Development Partnerships- Evaluating LTAP Training Programs for College Credits

Front Range Community College's Highway Maintenance Management Degree Program awards college credits for LTAP courses and programs that employees can use to earn their Associate degree. We currently have agreements to award credits with four LTAP/TTAP's across the country and our students have already earned over 50 college credits for their LTAP certificates. Let us evaluate your program outcomes to award credits for the employees in your state who want to earn a degree that helps them achieve their personal goals or step into the next promotion.

Presenter: Susan Baillargeon

#### 2:00PM-2:45PM

Room: Bosque

#### Faster Than A Speeding Bullet: Addressing Speeding and Speed Management

Speeding, speed management, and setting speed limits remain high priorities for most local and tribal agencies across the country. This session will share highlights from what was learned in a 2023 Speeding & Speed Management peer exchange and provide examples of what Centers are doing to support agencies in tackling this issue, as well as different countermeasures or approaches being taken.

Presenters: Rosemarie Anderson and Donna Shea

## **2:45PM-3:30PM**Room: Bosque

#### **How to Market Safety Outreach and PSA Campaigns**

This session will teach centers how to better communicate safety messages to their locals and/or the public. Kevin Elliott of ARA and the marketing manager of the National Center for Rural Road Safety will facilitate the session and use National Rural Road Safety Awareness Week as a sample outreach campaign. We will identify several centers (or their locals/partners) to share how they have successfully conducted safety outreach or developed safety PSAs in their state. Additional case studies could be Work Zone Safety Awareness Week, promoting FoRRRwD or other FHWA-proven safety countermeasures, National Roundabouts Week, STEP, etc.

Presenter: Kevin Elliott

#### **Tuesday July 23, 2024**

**3:30PM-4:00PM**Room: Grand Foyer

**Coffee and Networking** 

4:00PM-5:00PM

Room: Bosque

LTAP Work Group: Safety
Presenter: Matthew Enders

4:00PM-5:00PM

Room: Monzano

LTAP Work Group: Professional Development

**Presenters:** Kim Carr and Mary McCarthy

6:00PM-8:00PM

Room: Ballroom C

**Dinner: Provided by NLTAPA** 

Wednesday July 24, 2024

6:00AM-7:00AM

Morning Walk around Isleta

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7:00AM- 5:00PM

Room: Grand Foyer

Registration

7:00AM-8:00AM

Room: Ballroom C

**Breakfast** 

8:00AM-9:30AM

**Partner Updates** 

Room: Ballroom A

**Moderator:** Patrick Conner and Tim Peters

9:30AM-10:00AM

Room: Grand Foyer

**Coffee and Networking** 

10:00AM-3:00PM

Room: Sunrise

**Local Aid Support One-on-One Meetings** 

10:00AM-11:00AM

Room:

**Breakout Sessions** 

See details below.

Room	Start Time	End Time	Type	Session
Rio Grande	10:00 AM	10:00 AM	Training/Development	Tips and Tricks 8- The Ocho
Bosque	10:00 AM	10:00 AM	Specialty Programs	Building New Training Programs- Indiana LTAP's CDL Training
1Monzano	10:00 AM	10:00 AM	Employee Growth/Retention	In the Zone: Mindfulness Applications in the Workplace

10:00AM-11:00AM

Room: Rio Grande

Tips and Tricks 8- The Ocho

Now in its 8th consecutive year, the NLTAPA Training Resources Workgroup looks to continue the popular Tips and Tricks series. In this session, LTAP instructors will introduce and demonstrate proven exercises, techniques, and tools they use in their training courses. Attendees will learn about and experience tools they can implement in their own center's training.

Presenter: David Orr, Victoria Beale, Marilee Enus, and Ingrid Sandberg

#### Wednesday July 24, 2024

10:00AM-11:00AM

#### Building New Training Programs- Indiana LTAP's CDL Training

Room: Bosque

A look at Indiana LTAP's new CDL training program and the step-by-step process of adding a new program to your Center. Discussion will include identifying the need, messaging, funding, and program launch. Indiana LTAP's new program teaches CDL-provider requirements, online theory instruction, train-the-trainer course, behind-the-wheel (BTW) instruction, CDL training registration, and simulator-based driver training.

Presenters: Richard Domonkos, Todd Morrison, and Meredith Camp

10:00AM-11:00AM

#### In the Zone: Mindfulness Application in the Workplace

Room: Monzano

Join us for a discussion on the basics and science-based benefits behind mindfulness and its techniques. Many of these techniques have been repackaged (sometimes re-labeled) for application within the workplace. We will share some potential examples of how some might be used and, if time allows, we'll even apply the practices a bit.

Presenter: Keith Knapp

11:00AM-12:00PM

Room: Ballroom A

#### **Local Aid Support and Tribal Technical Assistance Center Updates**

Presenters: Danielle Mathis-Lee and Morgan Manning

12:00-1:00PM

#### **Lunch/ Awards/ Pass the Gavel Ceremony**

Room: Ballroom c

Moderator: Tim Colling

1:00PM-2:30PM

#### **Breakout Sessions**

Room: See details below.

Room	Start Time	End Time	Type	Session
Rio Grande	1:00 PM	2:30 PM	Training/Development	Hands-On Training- Building an eLearning Course
Bosque	1:00 PM	1:45 PM	Specialty Programs	Implementing a Road Scholar Program
Monzano	1:00 PM	1:45 PM	Employee Growth/Retention	Innovation in Action: Collaboration Creates a Culture of Innovation
Monzano	1:45 PM	2:30 PM	Employee Growth/Retention	Training Resources

1:00PM- 2:30PM

#### Hands-on Training- Building an eLearning Course

Room: Rio Grande

During this session, participants will utilize their laptops to build a simple eLearning course. Participants will be provided instructions ahead of time on how to download a free (trial) version of the software being utilized. At the conference, participants will join the presenter in following step-by-step instructions for building an eLearning course, including: how to structure information for a training module, utilizing a template, adding navigation buttons or other links, inserting text, images, audio files, video links, and surveys. This will be a basic level session. Knowledge of how to utilize a personal computer is required for the participant to be successful in completing the learning objectives.

Presenter: Victoria Beale

1:00PM- 1:45PM

#### Implementing a Road Scholar Program

Room: Bosque

Join us for an engaging panel discussion with representatives from the Kentucky and Iowa LTAP centers as they share insights and success stories from their FHWA Road Scholar Programs. Discover innovative strategies and best practices that are shaping the future of local transportation education and infrastructure development!

Presenters: Keith Knapp and Martha Horseman

1:00PM- 1:45PM

Room: Monzano

#### Innovations in Action: Collaboration Creates a Culture of Innovation

Innovation at the local level is stifled by fear, lack of leadership, short-term thinking, or lack of resources. To promote and create a culture of innovation among local agency transportation professionals, Indiana LTAP embraced a collaborative approach with its State DOT innovation partners. This presentation highlights approaches and strategies that LTAP centers can take to create sustainable, pioneering and innovation-focused partnerships that benefit transportation organizations and infrastructure organizations.

Presenters: Todd May and Jennifer Sharkey

#### Wednesday July 24, 2024

1:45PM- 2:30PM

Room: Monzano

**Training Resources Resources** 

Over the years, the Training Resources Workgroup has developed many resources. Come to this session to catch up on what is out there and what is coming. We will talk about crash videos, training

syntheses, Tailgate Talks, NHI classes and more.

**Presenters:** Matheu Carter and Andrew Morgan

2:30PM-3:00PM

Room: Grand Foyer

**Coffee and Networking** 

3:00PM-4:00PM

Room: Ballroom A

**NLTAPA Business Meeting Moderator:** Heath Pickerill

4:00PM-4:15PM Room: Ballroom A

**Wednesday Closing Remarks** 

Moderator: Heath Pickerill

4:30PM-5:30PM

Room: Bosque

**LTAP Work Group: Communications** 

Moderator: Marilee Enus and Brittany Cloyd

4:30PM-5:30PM

**LTAP Work Group: Partnerships** 

Room: Monzano

Moderator: Pat Conner and Heath Pickerill

Dinner on your own

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**Hot Topics!** 

Room: Ballroom A

**Moderator:** Matthew Enders

9:30AM-10:00AM

Room: Grand Foyer

**Coffee and Networking** 

10:00AM-11:00AM

Room: Ballroom A

**Business Meeting Continued** Moderator: Heath Pickerill

11:00AM-12:00PM

FHWA Update, Innovations, and BIL

Room: Ballroom A

**Presenters:** Danielle Mathis Lee, Trinette Ballard, Hans Anker, and Jeffrey Zaharewicz

12:00PM-12:15PM

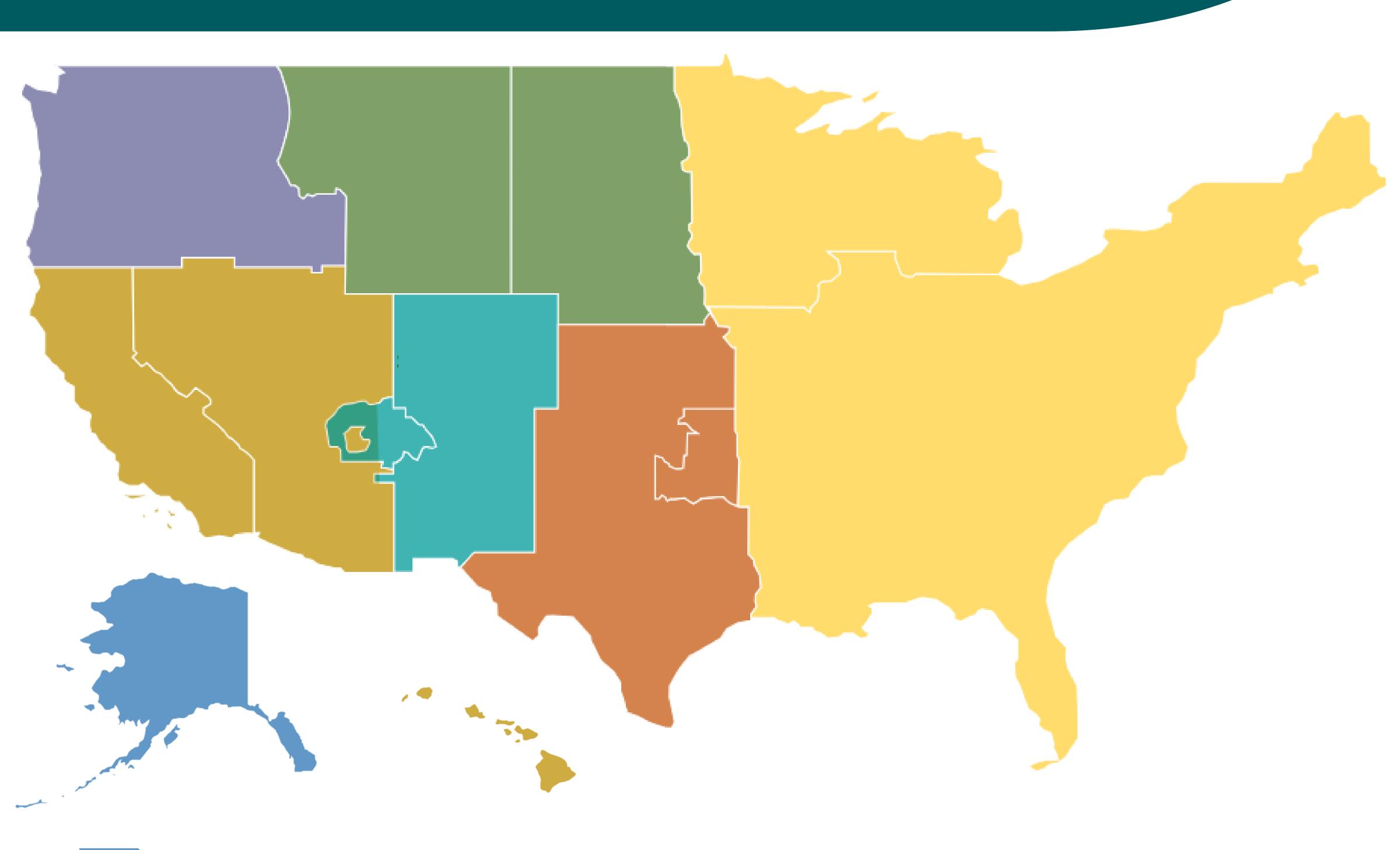
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**Closing Remarks and Conference 2025 Announcement** 

Moderator: Heath Pickerill

The National Local Technical Assistance Program acknowledges that indigenous peoples and nations, including the Isleta Pueblo and Tiwa tribe, have stewarded the land on which we hold this conference. We offer our gratitude and respect as we step onto their tribal lands.

## Tribal Technical Assistance Center Maps



#### Alaskan Region

Alaska

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#### Northwestern Region

Idaho, Oregon, Washington

#### **Southern Region**

Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas

#### Southwestern Region

Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona (including Navajo)

#### <u>Western Region</u>

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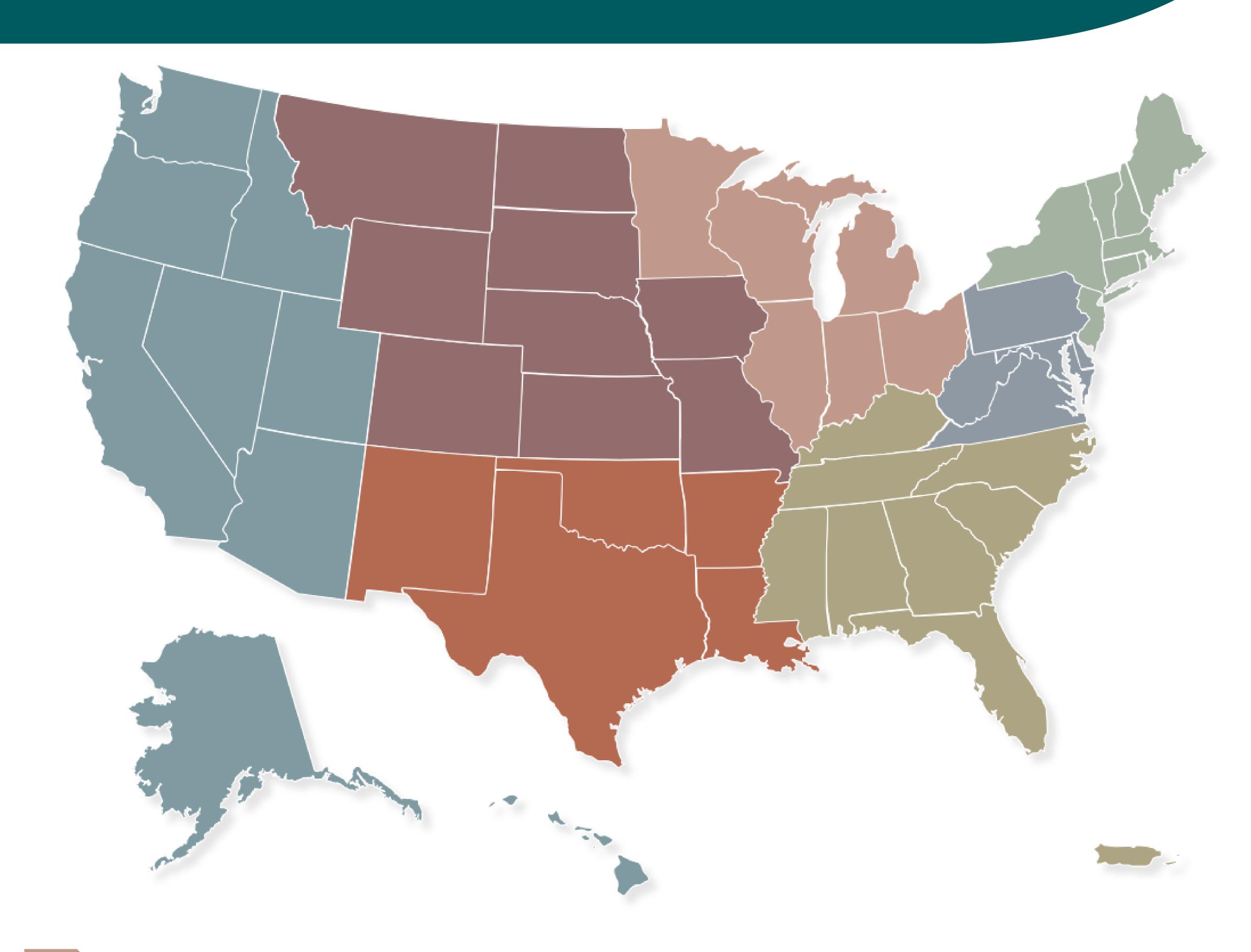
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Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin

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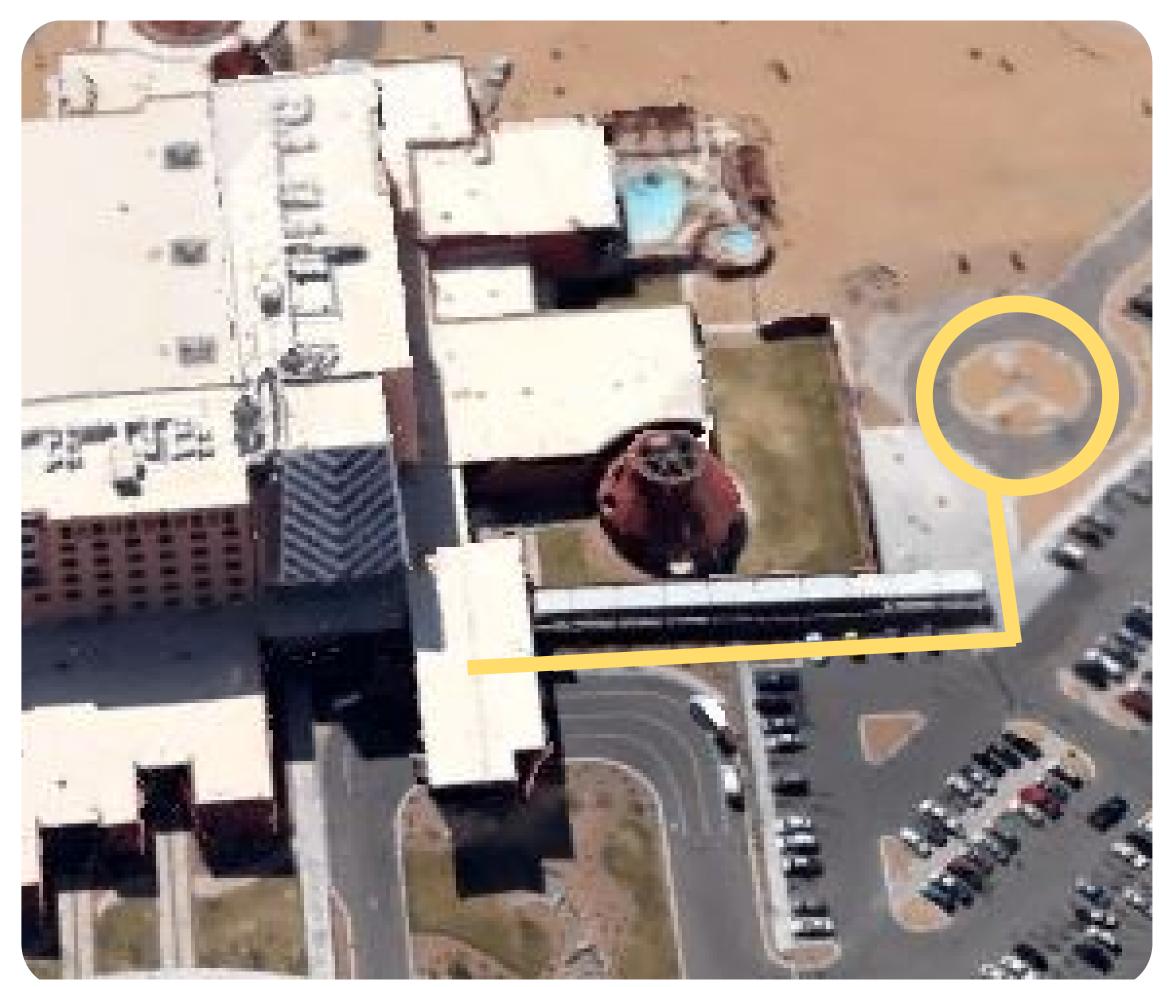
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Thank you to the Conference Planning Committee, NLTAPA Work Groups, the Missouri LTAP Center, Michigan LTAP Center, and the South Central Region for their dedication to ensuring this conference was a success. It was truly a team effort.

## Sawmill District

#### Monday 5:30PM-9:00PM



Buses will arrive at the roundabout south of the entrance. Exit from main lobby, turn left, and follow path to roundabout. An LTAP staff member will be there to assist.

We are pleased to offer complimentary shuttle services running on a loop between Isleta Resort and the Sawmill District. This service will allow you to conveniently explore the vibrant attractions of the Sawmill District, enjoy the local flavors at the Sawmill Market, and immerse yourself in the rich history and modern charm of this unique area. Relax and let us handle the transportation while you make the most of your evening! This is an optional event and meals are on your own.

Shuttle service will run continuously, averaging every half hour. Staff from New Mexico LTAP will be on site at both locations to ensure pick up. Find Callie or Heather if you have questions!

#### History:

Welcome to Albuquerque's Sawmill District! This historic area, once home to the bustling American Lumber Company in the early 1900s, has undergone an exciting transformation. The lumber company's vast complex made it a hub of industrial activity in the Southwest, a legacy continued by the Paxton Lumber Company in the late 1950s.

Adding to the excitement are new mixed-use and workforce apartment complexes, which bring a dynamic urban vibe to the district. These developments offer stylish living spaces alongside retail and office areas, creating a bustling neighborhood where residents can live, work, and play. The Sawmill District is a shining example of how thoughtful revitalization can honor the past while building a bright future

Today, the Sawmill District is a vibrant, mixed-use community that beautifully blends its industrial past with modern flair. At the heart of the revitalization is the Sawmill Market, a lively food hall and community space that opened in 2019, showcasing local food, art, and culture. The Sawmill Community Land Trust has played a key role in this transformation, ensuring the area remains inclusive with affordable housing and sustainable opportunities for all

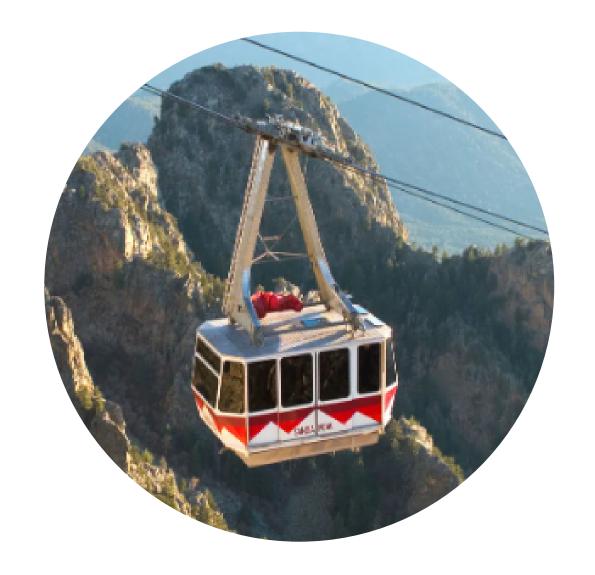
#### **Sawmill Market Hours**

1909 Bellamah Ave NW Albuquerque, NM 87104

Sunday-Thursday: 8AM-9PM Friday-Saturday: 8AM-10PM



## Albuquerque Area Attractions



#### **Sandia Tramway**

The Sandia Tramway in Albuquerque ascends over 10,000 feet, offering breathtaking views of the city and the vast New Mexican landscape. It's an iconic journey that transports visitors to the heights of the Sandia Mountains in just minutes, showcasing the natural beauty and allure of the region.

#### **Old Town**

Albuquerque's historic Old Town, dating back over 300 years, captivates visitors with its adobe architecture, art galleries, and vibrant cultural charm. Daily exploration allows visitors to immerse themselves in the rich history and artistic heritage of the Southwest.





#### Indian Pueblo Cultural Museum

The Indian Pueblo Cultural Center in Albuquerque offers a profound journey through the heritage and traditions of the Pueblo people, spanning centuries of history. Open daily, it invites visitors to experience authentic cultural exhibits, art, and performances that celebrate the enduring legacy of New Mexico's indigenous communities.

#### National Museum of Nuclear Science & History

The National Museum of Nuclear Science & History in Albuquerque explores the fascinating history and science behind nuclear technology and its impact on society. Open daily, it features interactive exhibits, artifacts, and educational programs that delve into the complexities and advancements of this critical field.





#### Santa Fe

Santa Fe, New Mexico, nestled in the Sangre de Cristo Mountains, is renowned for its adobe architecture, vibrant arts scene, and rich Native American and Spanish heritage dating back over 400 years. It is also the oldest state capital in the United States, founded in 1610! Visitors can explore its historic Plaza, art galleries, and museums that showcase the city's centuries-old cultural legacy.

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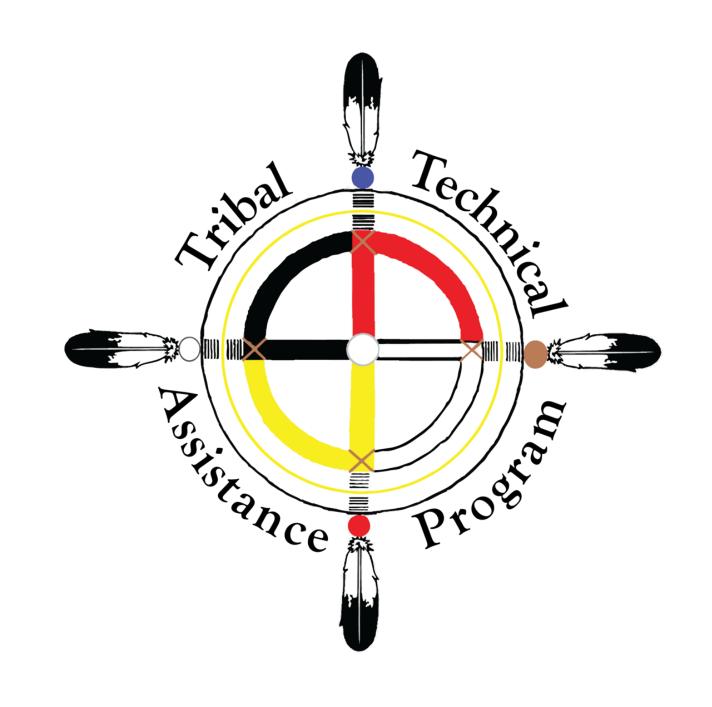














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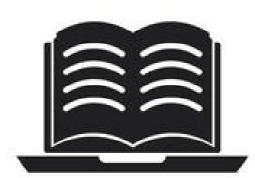
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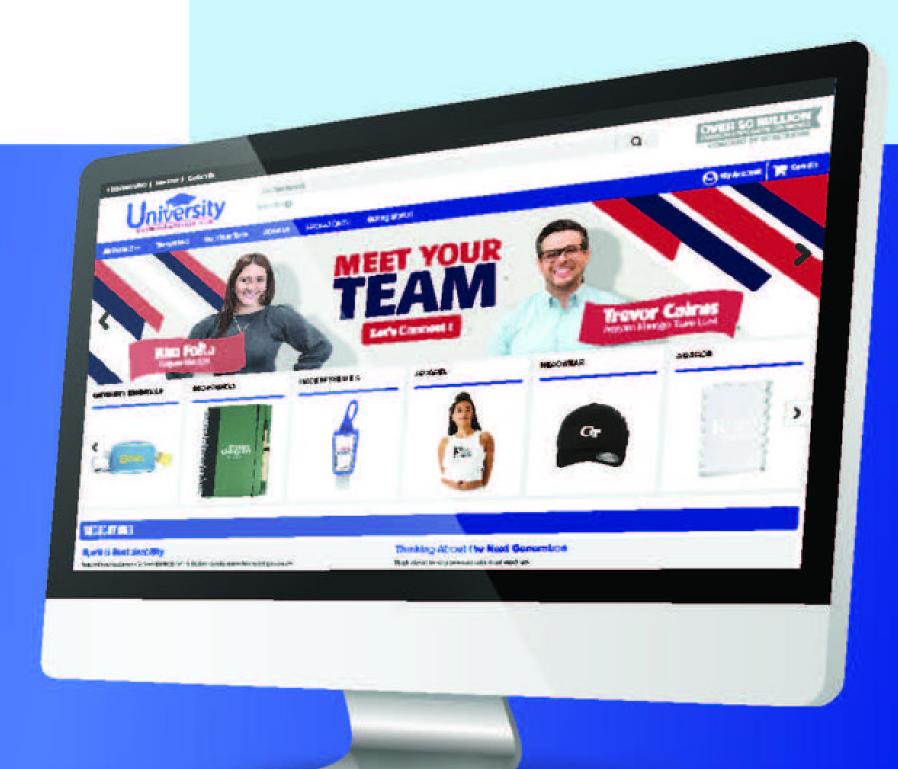
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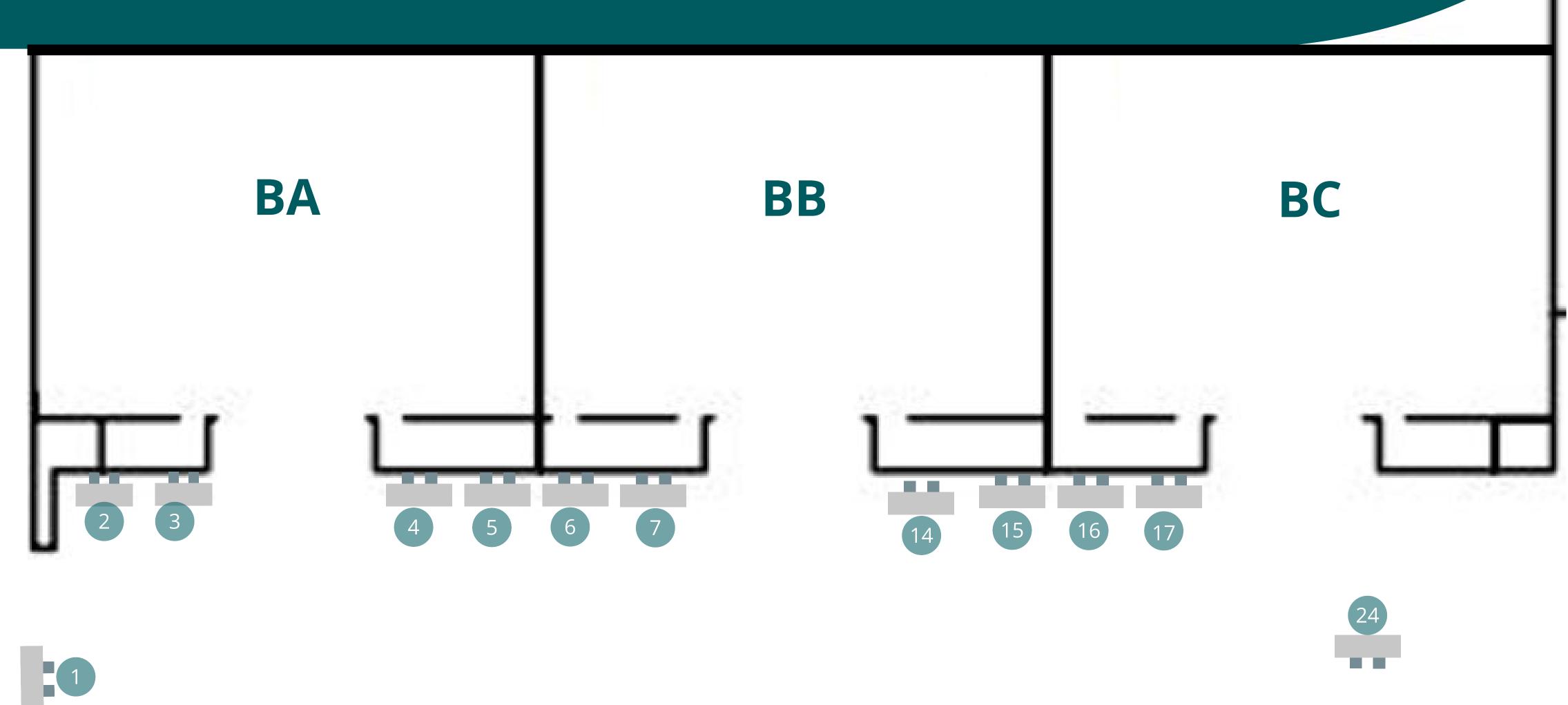
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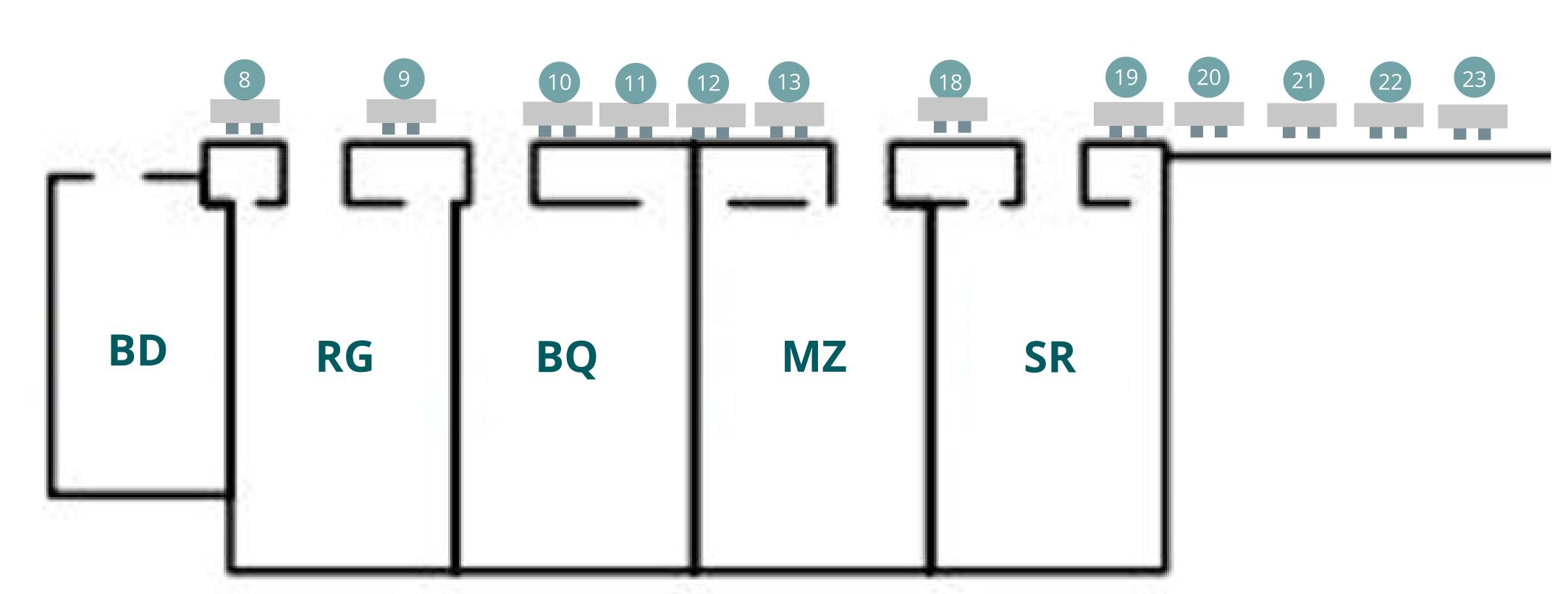


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