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Instructions for 2023 NAPPC Conference Participants

WELCOME

Thank you for your vital role as a NAPPC Conference Participant! Your input is an invaluable component to various discussions occurring throughout this Conference.

To ensure that together we meet Conference objectives and to enable you to get the most out of this experience, please familiarize yourself with this guide multiple days prior to the Conference.

PREPARATION

This year's conference will accommodate both in-person and virtual attendees. If you are attending virtually and aren't already familiarized with Zoom, you can access quick tutorials by clicking [here](#).

AGENDA

To download the full agenda, please click [here](#).

PARTICIPATION TIPS

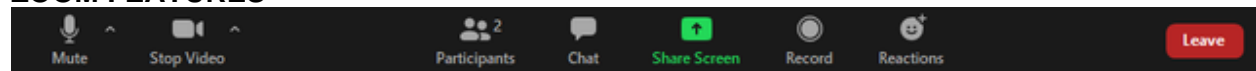
- Hear from everyone – call on someone for an idea if they're not speaking up
- Increase solidarity and camaraderie of the group – make this a friendly and rewarding experience
- To encourage smooth engagement for virtual attendees, fully utilize the Zoom features (chat, reactions, screen sharing, etc.)

PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

Your participation is a key factor in the success of the Conference. Opportunities to participate include the Q and A sessions, the Task Force Breakout Sessions on Day 2 and 3; and via the Conference Evaluation. In order to ensure effective participation, the following ground rules have been established:

1. Engage – Inquire and share
2. Create common understanding – Clarify technical terms and acronyms
3. Be empathetic – Assume good intent
4. Be curious – Listen
5. Disagree respectfully
6. Share screen/air time – Be mindful of question/comment length

ZOOM FEATURES



There are several useful Zoom attendee [controls](#) that may help you facilitate a smoother and more authentic Task Force session:

- Participants: Click this icon to see a list of participants in your meeting. This will allow you to see if you are missing anyone from your Task Force. If your displayed name is not as desired, you may change it here under 'more', then 'rename'.
- Chat: You may use this function to share links, answer simple questions, etc.

- Share Screen: Any participant may share their screen to the breakout room. This is useful when taking notes, looking at graphics, or working on the work plan.
- Reactions: Meeting reactions, nonverbal feedback, and Raise Hand allow you to communicate issues or feedback to the host or presenter without disrupting the meeting. These reactions are shown on your video panel and next to your name on the participants panel.

ZOOM PROTOCOL: VIRTUAL ETIQUETTE

- Join on time, or a few minutes early if new to the Zoom platform
- Name yourself with name and organization upon joining
- Merge your phone and video if joining with both
- Mute your microphone when not speaking
- Engage via video during the breakouts; be present
- Refrain from side conversations in the chat window

HOW WILL TASK FORCE SESSIONS WORK ON ZOOM?

Task Force Sessions will be occurring on Day 2 (10/18) and 3 (10/19) of the Conference through separate meeting links that will be provided by the Task Force co-chairs. Please check your email for a separate meeting link for the breakout sessions happening on 10/18 and 10/19. Email nappc@pollinator.org with any questions.

CONFIDENTIALITY PROTOCOL

Participants may characterize breakout discussions but may not attribute comments to an individual or organization.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

If assistance or any accommodations are needed, please contact Reed Lievers at nappc@pollinator.org with any questions.