



**2017 Kansas APCO Fall Conference**  
 Hosted by the KS Chapter of APCO and  
 KS 911 Coordinating Council  
 Meridian Center – Newton KS



**Schedule of Events**

**Monday, October 9, 2017**

- 900-1200 Registration Open – **Grand Lobby** (Front Desk) –
- 1300-1700 Registration Open – **Grand Lobby** (Front Desk)
- 0900-1700 Pre-conference meetings & training (**see detailed scheduled attached**)

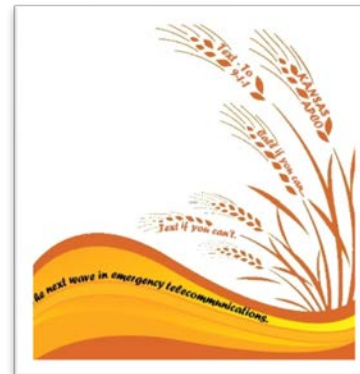


\*APCO registration is not required to attend the NG911 Coordinating Council meetings, Vesta Users Training, GIS Data Steward or Vesta User’s Group. You must be registered with Kansas APCO to attend any conference functions, including the Monday evening social and Tuesday banquet.

\*Vesta User’s and Admin Training is free. Training is limited to agencies currently using or signed up to join the statewide call handling system supported by the 911 Coordinating Council. Registration is required as class size is limited. Please email Lori Alexander at [lori.alexander@kansas911.org](mailto:lori.alexander@kansas911.org) to reserve your seat.

\*GIS Data Steward registration: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/kansas-ng911-gis-data-steward-certification-class-ks-apco-fall-conference-in-newton-registration-37489586362>

Conference Theme:  
***The Next Wave in Emergency Telecommunications***  
 Winner of contest: *Leon Boyea of Hutchinson-Reno County*  
*Emergency Communications!*



# NG911 Coordinating Council Meeting Schedule

Monday, October 9th, 2017

	South Pointe 3 Vesta Lab	South Pointe 2 <b>Computer Lab</b>	South Pointe 1	Meridian	North Pointe
0800-0900	<b>Vesta Users Training Class One Airbus Trainer</b> *must pre-register with Lori Alexander due to seat space	<b>OpenFox Tips and Tricks</b> Sandy Surber & Brenda Forrester Kansas Highway Patrol	<b>Technical Committee</b> Jay Coverdale Chairperson	<b>Stress and PTSD</b> Brody Flavin Harvey County	<b>Operations Committee Meeting</b> Michele Abbott Chairperson
0900-1000					
1000-12:00			<b>Things We Learned Building a Training Program</b>  Dawn Frey Shawnee County	<b>How do I know I need TERT?</b> Leon Boyea Assistant Director Hutch/Reno	<b>911 Coordinating Council</b> Chief Dick Heitschmidt Chairperson (Eileen and Kelly- portal demo)
10:00-11:00				<b>National Weather Service</b> Vanessa Pearce Brad Ketcham	
1200-1300	<b>Break</b>				
1300-1400	<b>Vesta Users Training Class Two Airbus Trainer</b> *must pre-register with Lori Alexander due to seat space	<b>KS Knowledge Center Lab Creating Classes and Tests</b> Ellen Wernicke Training Chair- Council Lori Alexander KS 911 Liaison	<b>GIS Data Steward</b> *must pre-register Sherry Massey GIS Coordinator Dickinson County	<b>TERT</b> (Current and Future Members) JL Ellis OEC	<b>FirstNet - AT&amp;T OPT-IN Next Steps</b>  SIEC, AT&T, FirstNet, 911
1400-1500					
1500-1600					
1600-1700					<b>New Attendee Orientation</b> Bill Duggan Director/Lyon County Josh Michaelis Director/Rice County

1700-1800 Tour of Harvey County Emergency Communications-

2100-2300 Welcome Social sponsored by **Voice Products** -- Eastgate Lanes Cosmic Bowling

## Tuesday, October 10th, 2017

\*\*Registration Open 0700-1600 in the **Grand Lobby** (Front Desk) APCO Board/911 Council

### North Pointe

- 0800-0815    **Opening Remarks** from Elora Forshee, President, Kansas APCO and Chief Heitschmidt, Chair, KS 911 Council  
**Presentation of Flags** by the combined discipline  
**National Anthem** - (Skyler Anderson- Salina "The Voice" Contestant)  
**Opening prayer** – (Randall White)
- 0815-1030    Customer Service in the PSAP – **Dawn Frey, Shawnee County**
- 1030-1100    Networking BREAK – **Grand Lobby- AT&T Cookies & Pop**
- 1100-1200    **Fish Philosophy – Paula Phillips**
- 1200-1300    Lunch (**Provided**) – (Meet your APCO Board Candidates) **Meridian**
- 1300-1630    Breakout Sessions (See detailed schedule)

**Tuesday, October 10th, 2017**  
**Breakout Sessions**

	South Pointe 3 Vesta Lab	South Pointe 2 <b>Computer Lab</b>	South Pointe 1	Meridian	North Pointe
1300-1350	<b>Vesta Admin</b> *must pre-register with <b>Lori Alexander due to seat space</b>	<b>ECaTS - Training and New Features</b>  Dustin Isbell ECaTS911	<b>Social Media Round Table</b>  Liz Phillips Director/KU Public Safety		<b>Human Trafficking</b> Rebekah Halloran Director/Restore Hope
1400-1450		<b>Switch/Web Portal Demo on Searches</b>  Javier Barajas Jeffrey Downing KBI	<b>NG911, Now What? It's Up to YOU to Deliver on the Promise!</b>  Tracy Eldridge RapidSOS	<b>Vesta Users Group</b>  For All Vesta Users  Airbus Tips & Short Cuts	<b>Fraud and Elder Abuse</b> Steve Karrer, Deputy Director Fraud, Abuse and Litigation & Tonya Hutchings Director of Investigations Consumer Protection and Antitrust Division
1500-1530	<b>NETWORKING BREAK</b>				
1540-1630	<b>Vesta Admin Continued</b>	<b>KS 911 Portal-Features/Functionality</b>  Eileen Battles Lori Alexander	<b>Workplace Communication 101</b> Kim Hill, Trainer/Auditor Kansas Highway Patrol	<b>NG911: What it is and Why it matters to Kansas</b> Sherry Massey GIS Coordinator Dickinson County	<b>Text-2-911 Status Update/Users Group</b> Josh Michaelis Director, Rice County 911

- 1800-2200 **Cash Bar/Cocktail Hour** – Grand Lobby
- 1900-2030 **Banquet** – North Pointe
- 2030-2200 **Games** -- Bean Bag Toss, Big Jenga, Cowboy Bowling, Spoons- etc;

## Wednesday, October 11th, 2017

### Breakout Sessions

\*\*Registration Open 0700-1500 in the Grand Lobby (Front Desk)

0800-0815 Daily opening remarks

0815-11:50 **General Session: Building Your 911 Liability Shield, Leda Fantoni/PSTC- North Pointe**

1200-1330 **Lunch (Provided) during APCO Business Meeting** (Board Elections) – **Meridian**

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1330-1420	Text to 911/Vesta  *class sign-up required at registration desk	Expenditure Reporting <b>101</b> Lori Alexander Michele Abbott Scott Ekberg	Servant Leadership Elora Forshee Sedgwick County 911 Director		<b>Building a Training Program to meet State Standards</b> Kristin Gill Sedgwick County 911
1430-1520	Text to 911/Vesta  *class sign-up required at registration desk	<b>Call Taking and Dispatching for Critical Incidents</b> Alayna Moreno Sedgwick County 911	<b>Radio Operations for Dispatchers</b> Leon Boyea H.R.C.E.C/E911 Assistant Director	<b>No More Drama in Dispatch!</b>  Aleta “Leda” Fantoni PSTC	
1530-1620	Text to 911/Vesta  *class sign-up required at registration desk				

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Safe travels! See you in the spring!