



Jan. 11-13, 2023 • Ramkoda Hotel & Convention Center • Pierre, SD

# 81st Annual SDREA Meeting

## Wednesday, January 11

1:00 p.m. **SDREA Board Meeting** (Casey Tibbs Center, Fort Pierre)

## Thursday, January 12 (Theatre 2)

1:00 p.m. **Call to order**

1:05 p.m. **Andrew Don - CFC**

1:35 p.m. **Phil Irwin - Federated**

2:05 p.m. **Matt Hale - CoBank**

2:35 p.m. **Break**

2:45 p.m. **Mark Hofer - NRECA**

3:00 p.m. **Safety Awards**

3:15 p.m. **Financial Report - Treasurer Whitney Meek**

3:30 p.m. **President Don Heeren & SDREA General Manager**

4:00 p.m. **Business Session**

4:30 p.m. **Lobbyist Prep for Annual Meeting**

5:00 p.m. **SDREA Associate Members Showcase** (Convention Foyer)

6:00 p.m. **SDREA Legislative Dinner** (Galleria)

## Friday, January 13

7:00 a.m. **ACRE Breakfast**

8:00 a.m. **Lawyers' Breakfast and Swap Shop** (Lake Sharpe)

8:00 a.m. **Reconvene - Legacy of Leadership Awards**

8:15 a.m. **David Gattie, Ph.D.** - Associate Professor, University of Georgia College of Engineering

9:00 a.m. **Mark Glaess** - Author of *Aspire to Better: The 21st Century Electric Cooperative*

9:45 a.m. **Break**

10:00 a.m. **Michael Card, Ph.D.** - Professor Emeritus of Political Science & Administration, University of South Dakota

11:15 a.m. **Keynote Speaker Col. Mark Johnson** - "Lessons in Leadership; Straight Talk from a Green Beret" - Camouflage Communications Inc.

12:00 p.m. **Luncheon - Senator Mike Rounds**

1:00 p.m. **Reorganization Meeting**