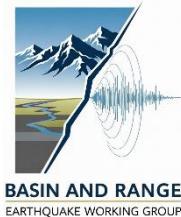




2026 BASIN AND RANGE EARTHQUAKE WORKING GROUP AGENDA

Tuesday, February 10, 2026
Utah Department of Natural Resources Building, Auditorium (1st floor)
1594 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah



The 2026 Basin and Range Earthquake Working Group (BRPEWG) meeting will be held Tuesday, February 10, 2026. This will be a hybrid (in-person and virtual) meeting.

8:00 Refreshments and Coffee

8:30 Welcome, Overview of Meeting, and Review of Previous Years' Activities: *Adam I. Hiscock, [Utah Geological Survey \(UGS\)](#)*

8:40 Update on the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) External Grants Program and Topics Across the Intermountain West Region: *Chris DuRoss, [U.S. Geological Survey \(USGS\) Geologic Hazards Science Center](#)*

9:00 Basin and Range States – Earthquake Geology and Seismology Updates:

- 9:00 Arizona – *Jeri Young Ben-Horin, [Arizona Geological Survey \(Virtual\)](#)*
- 9:30 Colorado – *Enrique Chan and Jim McCalpin, [Colorado Geological Survey \(Virtual\)](#)*
- 10:00 Idaho – *Zach Lifton, [Idaho Geological Survey](#)*

10:30 Break (10 minutes)

- 10:40 Montana Geology – *Yann Gavillot, [Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology](#)*
- 10:55 Montana Seismology – *Andres Pena Castro, [Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology](#)*
- 11:10 Nevada – *Rich D. Koehler, [Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology](#)*

11:45 Lunch

1:00 Basin and Range States – Earthquake Geology and Seismology Updates (continued):

- 1:00 New Mexico Geology – *Dan Koning, [New Mexico Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources](#)*
- 1:15 New Mexico Seismology – *Urbi Basu, [New Mexico Bureau of Geology & Mineral Resources](#)*
- 1:30 Oregon – *Lalo Guerrero, [Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries](#)*

2:00 Break (15 minutes)

- 2:15 Utah Geology – *Adam I. Hiscock, [Utah Geological Survey](#)*
- 2:30 Utah Seismology – *Emily Morton, [University of Utah Seismograph Stations](#)*
- 2:45 Wyoming – *James P. Mauch, [Wyoming State Geological Survey](#)*
- 3:15 Bureau of Reclamation Update – *Ellen A. Lamont, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation*

3:30 Break (15 minutes)

3:45 Group Discussion Time

- BRPEWG Member State Fault Priority Updates
- Working Group Priorities and Future Direction for 2027 and Beyond

5:00 Adjourn (maybe earlier)