

**2024 National Earthquake Program Managers (NEPM) Meeting Agenda**  
**Union Station Hotel | St. Louis, Missouri**  
**April 22-25, 2024**

**April 22, 2024 – Pre-NEPM Events<sup>1</sup>**

Time (CDT)	Activity
1:30PM - 4:00PM	NEPM Strategic Planning Session (Note: All NEPM attendees invited) - Facilitator: Scott Gauvin (Illinois), NEPM Chair
3:00PM - 4:30PM	NEPM Early Registration / Check-In
6:00PM	FEMA Team Dinner (Note: For FEMA staff only)

**April 23, 2024 – NEPM Day 1**

Time (CDT)	Activity/Topic
7:30AM	Registration / Check-In
8:00AM	Welcome & Introductions - Scott Gauvin (IL), NEPM Chair - FEMA RVII Division Director (Invited) - Thomas Sivak, FEMA RV Administrator (Invited)
9:15AM	FEMA NEHRP Updates and Notice of Funding Opportunity Session - Jon Foster (FEMA Headquarters)
9:45AM	Break
10:00AM	USGS 2024 National Seismic Hazard Model Update - Tom Pratt (U.S. Geological Survey)
11:00AM	Hazard Mitigation Access and NETAP Update - Jon Foster and Drew Herseth (FEMA Headquarters) - Mike Mahoney and Justin Moresco (Applied Technology Council)
12:00PM	Lunch
1:15PM	CUSEC Regional Rapid Visual Screening and Critical Facility Inventory Program - Brian Blake and Brenna Morse (Central U.S. Earthquake Consortium) - Scott Gauvin (Illinois)
2:15PM	Break
2:30PM	Post-Disaster Safety Evaluation Programs - Hilda Booth (Arkansas) - Jeff Briggs (Missouri)
3:30PM	State Updates
4:45PM – 5:00PM	Day 1 Recap and Adjourn Day 1
6:00PM	<i>Optional Activity: St. Louis Cardinals vs. Arizona Diamondbacks (Game at 6:45PM)</i>

<sup>1</sup> Note: Aside from the field trip, all NEPM meeting activities will take place in Midway Suite 5.

**April 24, 2024 – NEPM Day 2**

<b>Time (CDT)</b>	<b>Activity/Itinerary</b>
8:00AM	Assemble for Bus
8:30AM	Depart Hotel
8:40AM	USACE District – Robert A. Young Federal Building
9:30AM	Depart for Gateway Arch
9:45AM	Arrive at Arch / Group Picture on the Steps of the Arch
10:00AM	MoDOT Presentation on Bridge Safety/Retrofits
10:30AM	Arch Museum / Observation Deck Tours (purchase tickets on own)
11:30AM	Depart for Alton, IL
12:15PM	Lunch in Alton
1:45PM	Depart for USACE Lock and Dam
2:00PM	USACE Lock and Dam Tour/Presentation
4:00PM	Depart for Hotel
4:45PM	Arrive at Hotel/Adjourn Day 2
5:30PM	<i>Optional Activity: No-Host Social Hour (location TBD)</i>

**April 25, 2024 – NEPM Day 3**

<b>Time (CDT)</b>	<b>Activity/Topic</b>
8:00AM	Recap and Agenda Review - Scott Gauvin (Illinois), NEPM Chair
8:15AM	FEMA GO Training - Maigen Wise (FEMA HQ) and Matthew Hinton (FEMA GPD)
9:15AM	ShakeOut 2024: Resources/Guidance Updates and Annual Survey - Mark Benthien (Statewide California Earthquake Center and Earthquake Country Alliance)
9:45AM	Application and Use of Artificial Intelligence for Earthquake Program Managers - Pascal Schuback (Cascadia Region Earthquake Workgroup)
10:15AM	Break
10:30AM	Perspective on Evolving Seismic Risk Estimates in the United States - Mai Tong (FEMA HQ) - Kishor Jaiswal (USGS)
11:30AM	Lunch / Whaley Award Presentation
12:45PM	Earthquake Insurance Presentation and Strategy Session - Pascal Schuback and Kyra Nourse (CREW)
2:45PM	Break
3:00PM	Hazard Mitigation Planning for Seismic Risks Workshop - Cheickh Koma (FEMA RVII) - Anne Rosinski (FEMA RIX) - Janell Woodward (Nevada)
4:00PM – 5:00PM	Meeting Review, Election of Next NEPM Chair, and Adjourn Meeting - Scott Gauvin (Illinois) - Bill Blanton (FEMA HQ)

**Agenda Notes:**

**State Updates Confirmed (as of 3/19)**

- Arkansas
- Missouri
- Illinois
- Utah
- Arizona
- Idaho