

NAWLA Regional Meeting – Portland, OR • April 6, 2010



Location

Portland Golf Club
5900 Scholls Ferry Road
Portland, OR 97225
503-292-2651
www.portlandgolfclub.com

Registration Fees – Cocktails, Dinner and Presentation by Local Economist

\$99 / person

\$59 / person – student fee

Registration will open on March 1, 2010. Contact NAWLA at (800) 527-8258 for further details.

NAWLA Co-Chairs

Mark Donovan, Western International
Scott Elston, Forest City Trading Group

Preliminary Schedule

4:45pm	Registration
5:00 pm	Networking & Cocktails
6:15 pm	<u>Welcome</u> Regional Meeting Chairs NAWLA President or Chairman
6:30 – 7:15 pm	Dinner
7:15 pm	Introduction of Speakers – Regional Meeting Chairs Remarks – Gary F. Vitale, NAWLA President
7:30 pm	<u>Educational Program</u>

Peeking Out of the Foxhole

Presenter: John Mitchell – M&H Economic Consultants



The carnage and collapse of 2006 to early 2009 are behind us. Housing activity has started to rebound, and the worst business cycle downturn since the 1930's is over. It is not back to business as usual-unease stalks the land. At this writing, employment has stabilized, but has not yet begun to increase after a more than 8 million job decline. We are coming back a different place with de-leveraging consumers, a weakened financial system and a larger government sector. Long term debt worries have risen on the worry list. The region has been humbled and hobbled. Prospects for the recovery, the nation and the region will be covered.

8:30 pm Networking & Cocktails