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NOMA Conference & AGM coming up next week!

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Thunder Bay, ON - The Northwestern Ontario Municipal Association (NOMA) is **pleased to announce that the 2024 NOMA Conference & AGM will take place at the Victoria Inn, Thunder Bay from April 24th at 12pm to April 26th at 12pm (EST). We have 250 people registered for the conference including 125 delegates, 31 exhibitors, sponsors, and guests.**

Participants will get to join in an exciting and interactive three-day agenda designed to learn best practices from sector and municipal leaders regarding economic development across the region as the theme of the conference this year is “Building a Brighter Future”.

The Conference Agenda and all relevant details is accessible on our website at [Northwestern Ontario Municipal Association - NOMA 2024 Conference & AGM](#) including a list of presenters.

This year’s keynote speaker is Althia Raj who will be speaking on “The State of Canadian Politics, a behind the scenes look at the inner workings of Ottawa and today’s political landscape”. Andrew Siegwart, David MacLachlan, Paul Anthony Pepe, Dan Bevilaqua, Todd Eastman and Denise Atkinson, all leaders of the tourism and service sector, will be participating in a panel discussion related to the current economic landscape and discuss key opportunities that can drive growth for the Northwestern Ontario’s tourism economy. There will also be many presentations on economic development opportunities for Northwestern Ontario and a panel discussion on building municipal and indigenous partnerships.

Joining us on April 24th is leader of NDP Marit Stiles, Mike Schreiner from the Green Party, Bonnie Crombie from the Ontario Liberals Party. We secured 7 Minister’s to join our Minister’s Forum on April 26th from 11:00am to noon including Ministers Calandra, Rickford, Dunlop, Parsa, Thompson, Smith, and Lecce. Also joining us prior to the Forum will be regional MP and MPPs to address our delegates.

Thank you to our amazing sponsors & supporters that helped make the Conference possible!

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