

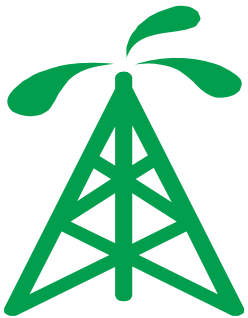
# ENERGY TOMORROW



21st Annual Conference  
September 27-29, 2009

*8th Annual BBQ Cook-Off*

Holiday Inn City Center  
Ft. Smith, AR



# ***Please come by our Silent Auction Table!***



**We are going to have a wonderful selection of Silent Auction items. Don't forget to stop by and take a look!**

**Remember all proceeds from the Silent Auction will go directly to the AGA Scholarship Fund program for our members.**

**We will be honoring the 2009 AGA Scholarship recipients at our Monday Night Social.**

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# CONFERENCE AGENDA

## SUNDAY, September 27, 2009


12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Registration & Vendor Setup Exhibitor Area <i>Vendors must be set up by 7:30 a.m. on Monday 09/28/08 Tear-down may begin at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday 09/29/08</i>	
11:00 p.m.- 12:00 p.m.	AGA Conference Committee Meeting	Holiday Inn Board Room
2:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	Annual Bar-B-Q Cook Off- <span style="float: right;">Pendergraft Park</span> <i>Sponsored by: CenterPoint Energy</i>  DRAWING FOR PRIZES-MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN <i>Sponsored by: <a href="#">Sponsorship Opportunity Available</a></i>	
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Bar-B-Q Cook Off-Judging begins at 3:30  BBQ BINGO!!! Play Bingo for door prizes in the tent set up on the lawn-Games begin at 3:30 thru 4:30 <i>Sponsored by: <a href="#">Sponsorship Opportunity Available</a></i>	
5:00 p.m. -7:30 p.m.	Enjoy the meal cooked by the BBQ teams	
8:00 p.m. - Conclusion	Hospitality Suite Room 903 <i>Sponsored by: <a href="#">Sponsorship Opportunity Available</a></i>	

## MONDAY, September 28, 2009

7:15 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.	Registration	Lobby
7:15 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.	Welcome by Mayor Ray Baker Breakfast <i>Sponsored by: CenterPoint Energy</i>	Exhibitor Area
8:15 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Speaker: Joe Peters Black & Veatch Senior Consultant Topic: Carbon Footprint Start of Silent Auction ... <i>All proceeds benefit AGA Scholarship Fund</i>	Exhibitor Area
9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	VENDOR BREAKOUT-Get your cards stamped for Grand Prize Drawing	
9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	Keynote Speaker - Colette Honorable Arkansas Public Service Commission Commissioner Topic: "Hot Topics in Energy- 2009."	
10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Speaker-Don Cortez Div. CenterPoint Energy VP Regulated Operations Technology Topic: Smart Grid Technology as it Relates to Natural Gas <i>Sponsored by: <a href="#">Sponsorship Opportunity Available</a></i> DRAWING FOR PRIZES - MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN	Exhibitor Area

# CONFERENCE AGENDA

MONDAY, September 28, 2009, continued

11:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.	<b><u>Afternoon Activities</u></b>		Lunch, Golf & Skeet, Vendors Reception, Social Hour, Casino Night
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Lunch will be provided at the Hardscrabble Country Club for Golfers and Guests  <i>Sponsored by: Dealer's Truck Sales &amp; Riser Ford</i>		Lunch will be provided at Pajaro Gun Club  <i>Lunch Sponsored by: Sponsorship Opportunity Available</i>
Afternoon Events	AGA Annual Golf Tournament Hardscrabble Country Club  Shotgun Start at 1:00 p.m.  <i>Sponsored by: Sponsorship Opportunity Available</i>	Guest/Spouse Lunch Hardscrabble Country Club  <i>Sponsored by: Sponsorship Opportunity Available</i>	AGA Annual Trap Shooting Tournament Pajaro Gun Club  Shooting begins at 12:30 p.m.  <i>Sponsored by: Sponsorship Opportunity Available</i>
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	<b>Vendor Booths OPEN</b>	Vendor's Reception-get your card stamped for the Prize Drawing Open Bar-Heavy hors d'oeuvres  <i>Sponsored by: Sponsorship Opportunity Available</i>  Exhibitor Area	
7:30 p.m.		Silent Auction - Last Call  Golf & Trap Tournament Awards and Presentation of Scholarship Winners	
7:45 p.m.		Silent Auction Closes - Good Luck!	
8:00 p.m.		Silent Auction Winners Announced-Drawing for Prizes	
8:00 p.m. - til???		<div style="text-align: center;">  <h2 style="margin: 0;">Casino Night</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">Try your luck at the Casino. Buses available for shuttle</p> <p style="margin: 0;"><i>Sponsored by: Sponsorship Opportunity Available</i></p> </div>	

# CONFERENCE AGENDA

TUESDAY, September 29, 2009

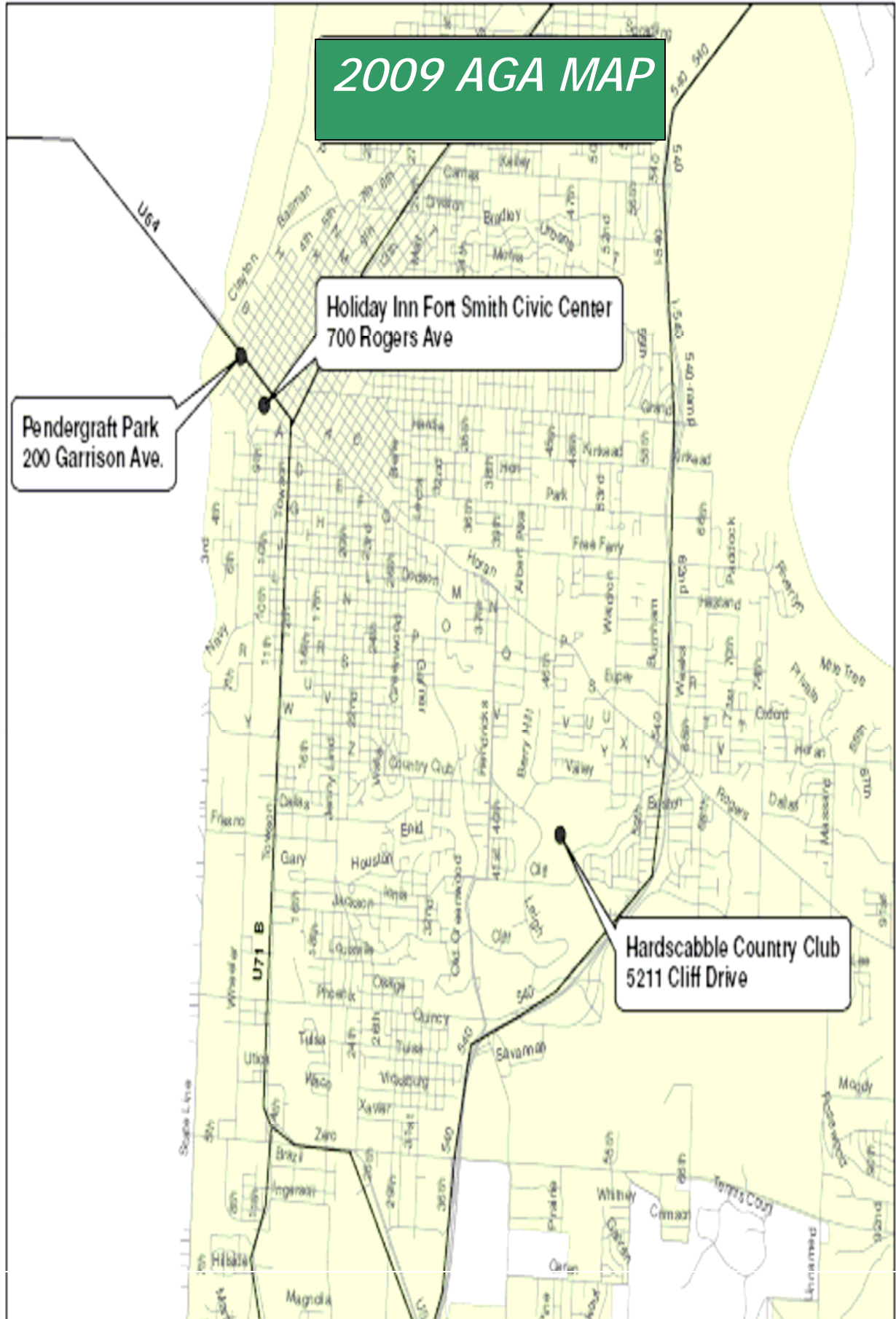
7:15 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.	Registration	Lobby
7:15 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.	Breakfast/Visit with Exhibitors <i>Sponsored by: <a href="#">Sponsorship Opportunity Available</a></i>  <i>Last Opportunity to get your Vendor/Roundtable Cards Stamped</i>  DRAWING FOR PRIZES-MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN <i>Sponsored by: <a href="#">Sponsorship Opportunity Available</a></i>	Exhibitor Area
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	<u>Lessons Learned 2009 Ice Storm</u> Room: Judge Parker  Moderators: Terry Rollins- CenterPoint Energy Charles Bayles- AWG/Source Gas  Topic: Safety, Hazards, Line Locating, & More	<u>Tomorrow's Gas Utility</u> Room: Belle Starr  Speaker: Dan Dippon-CenterPoint Energy  Topic: Gas Automation
9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.	<u>KNOW YOUR SYSTEM</u> Room: Judge Parker  Moderators: Donny Osbourn-AWG/Source Gas  Speaker: Richard Sanders-PHMSA  Topic: Safety & Natural Gas, Funding & Program Effectiveness, Plastic UV Degradation & ASTM D2513 (New Changes) Safety Practices, , DIMP	<u>Energy Efficiency In Our Future</u> Room: Belle Starr  Moderator: Dan Dippon-CenterPoint Energy  Panel: Tom Moskitis-American Gas Association; Alan Henry-CenterPoint Energy; Hank Dewitt-Chesapeake Energy  Topic: Energy Efficiency & Supply
10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	<u>Distribution Success: Employee Education is the Key</u> Room: Judge Parker  Moderators: Fred Kirkwood-Arkansas Oklahoma Gas; Marshall Moody-AWG/Source Gas  Speaker: Richard Leger-CenterPoint Energy  Topic: Customer Service-AGA membership Benefits	<u>Eliminate Customer Interruptions &amp; Outages</u> Room: Belle Starr  Moderator: Sharon Utley  Speaker: Dimitri Karastamatis-CenterPoint Energy/Mobile Energy Solutions  Topic: StayLit System & Portable Gas Pipeline
11:40 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.	General Membership Meeting-Vote on Board of Directors Turn in Roundtable-Vendor Cards for Grand Prize Drawing	Exhibitor Area
11:50 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	GRAND PRIZE DRAWING - MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN DISMISSED-LUNCH ON YOUR OWN <i>Sponsored by: <a href="#">Sponsorship Opportunity Available</a></i>	

**2009 AGA MAP**

**Pendergraft Park**  
200 Garrison Ave.

**Holiday Inn Fort Smith Civic Center**  
700 Rogers Ave

**Hardscabble Country Club**  
5211 Cliff Drive



## **DRIVING DIRECTIONS**

### **Directions from the Holiday Inn located at 700 Rogers Ave to Pendergraft Park located at 200 Garrison Ave.**

1. Turn LEFT out of the Holiday Inn parking lot onto Rogers Ave.
2. Turn RIGHT onto 6<sup>th</sup> Street.
3. Go one block and turn LEFT onto Garrison Ave.
4. Go four blocks. The park is on the left.
5. Parking available at the Civic Center

**Walking Time: Approximately 15 minutes**

### **Driving Directions from the Holiday Inn located at 700 Rogers Ave to Hardscrabble Country Club located at 5211 Cliff Drive**

1. Exit right out of the Holiday Inn parking lot onto Rogers Ave.
2. Go approximately one mile and turn RIGHT on South 31<sup>st</sup> Street.
3. 31<sup>st</sup> Street will become Old Greenwood Road.
4. Go approximately 2 miles and turn LEFT on South Gary St./South Gary Ave.
5. Go 0.4 miles and turn left onto Cliff Drive.
6. Arrive at Country Club 5211 Cliff Drive

**Drive Time: Approximately 12 minutes**

### **Driving Directions from the Holiday Inn located at 700 Rogers Ave to Pajaro Gun Club, Old Hwy 271**

1. Exit RIGHT (East) out of the Holiday Inn parking lot onto Rogers Ave.
2. Go 0.2 miles to Towson Ave and turn RIGHT (South).
3. Go 3.6 miles to Hwy 271, turn RIGHT (South).
4. Go 2.6 miles to Old Hwy 271 (1<sup>st</sup> road south of I-540), turn RIGHT (west).
5. Go 0.2 miles and turn LEFT (South) on 1<sup>st</sup> road west of Twin City Concrete.
6. The Gun Club is at the end of the road on the hill.

**Drive Time: Approximately 20 minutes**

