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### *Virtual Meeting*

## **NATURAL CATASTROPHE RISK AND RESILIENCE (EX) TASK FORCE**

Tuesday, October 6, 2026

1:00 – 2:30 p.m. ET / 12:00 – 1:30 p.m. CT / 11:00 – 12:30 p.m. MT / 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. PT

### **ROLL CALL**

| <b>NAIC Member</b>      | <b>Representative</b>   | <b>State/Territory</b> |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Ricardo Lara, Chair     | Ricardo Lara, Chair     | California             |
| Mark Fowler, Vice Chair | Mark Fowler, Vice Chair | Alabama                |
| Heather Carpenter       | Heather Carpenter       | Alaska                 |
| Joshua Hershman         | George Bradner          | Connecticut            |
| Trinidad Navarro        | Tina Miller             | Delaware               |
| Sharon P. Clark         | Sharon P. Clark         | Kentucky               |
| Marie Grant             | Marie Grant             | Maryland               |
| Grace Arnold            | Peter Brickwedde        | Minnesota              |
| Angela L. Nelson        | Angela L. Nelson        | Missouri               |
| Jon Godfread            | Matt Fischer            | North Dakota           |
| Scott A. White          | Scott A. White          | Virginia               |
| Patty Kuderer           | Byron Welch             | Washington             |
| Nathan Houdek           | Sarah Smith             | Wisconsin              |

NAIC Support Staff: Butch Kinerney/Aaron Brandenburg

### **AGENDA**

1. Hear Reports of its Working Groups
  - A. Pre-Disaster Mitigation and Risk Modeling (EX) Working Group  
—*Commissioner Timothy J. Temple (LA)*
  - B. Severe Peril (EX) Working Group—*Director Angela Nelson (MO)*
2. Receive an Update on the NAIC Catastrophe Risk Management Center of Excellence Current and Future Activities and Initiatives  
—*Eli Russo (NAIC)*
3. Discuss the NAIC Partnerships on Natural Catastrophe Issues
  - A. IBHS Partnership Evolution Update  
—*Jeff Czajkowski and Brian Powell (NAIC)*
  - B. Potential Task Force Partnership with SmarterSafer.org  
—*Chris Brown (SmarterSafer.org)*

4. Discuss 2027 Charges for the Task Force and its Working Groups

Attachment One

—*Commissioner Ricardo Lara (CA)*

5. Discuss any Other Matters Brought Before the Task Force

—*Commissioner Ricardo Lara (CA)*

6. Adjournment