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#### NACA NEWS

The official newsletter of NACA



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#### A message from our President

WRITTEN BY PAMELA REED

#### FOR THE ADJUSTERS, BY THE ADJUSTERS

Hello Members, old and new. It is such an honor for me to have the privilege of serving as the President of the National Association of Catastrophe Adjusters for the 2022 Conference at the Flamingo Resort in Las Vegas on January 23-27, 2022. I am excited about the many things we have in the works to bring NACA back to what it was and is meant to be.

We are an Association FOR THE ADJUSTERS, BY THE ADJUSTERS. You are critical to the success of our Association and we are so grateful to all of you who have become members and have gotten involved in some of our committees as volunteers to make NACA a success moving forward.

#### **Continued**

As mentioned, we have many exciting things happening at NACA behind the scenes to bring you, the members, and new adjusters, what you have been asking for. Your opinions truly do matter to us and we want to hear from you. We are listening.

One thing that comes up often is the Adjuster Mentor Program. This "program" has been a constant effort by the NACA Board to get this up and running and off the ground. I think we have finally found the resources we have been looking for. I am confident that by now you have all heard of Matt Allen with Adjuster TV. Matt has been an invaluable tool for adjusters, old and new, and has been very involved with NACA and helping to ramp up the Mentor Program. We are so grateful to have him bring us his platform of Adjuster TV and the knowledge he shares with us all on a regular basis. If you have not checked him out yet please visit his FB page at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/adjustertv">https://www.adjustertv.com/</a>. He is always bringing valuable information to adjusters and I am confidant that you will find tools that will only better you as an adjuster and sharpen your skills.

We are also now bringing you an additional resource as well. I was recently invited by my friend Tim Weineke to view his site, Adjuster Mentor. Locals. As I went through his site and watched some of his videos, I was struck by one in particular, "Adjusters and Suicide". You may wonder why this would be a discussion that needs to be had, but for some, the stress of this job is very real. It was so spot on that I called Tim to discuss further, realizing quickly that he was a different sort of mentor. Not just one to share his knowledge with you, but one to talk about the real issues. **Life** as an Adjuster. Real life. You see, anyone can learn how to use Xactimate, scope a loss, write a narrative, and schedule appointments. But not everyone knows how to handle the stress that comes with the timelines, demands by the Insureds and IA Firms, not to mention the Carriers.

Tim has committed himself to sharing his knowledge and firsthand experiences with you in the hopes to make you better. Timothy Wieneke, JD, CPCU, AIC is an established insurance and construction professional with over 25 years of experience in construction and property and casualty claims handling. He began his career as a carpenter and worked his way up to handling complex losses in excess of \$20 Million, and speaking at multiple professional claims conferences. Tim divides his professional time working as a General Adjuster on complex losses and as a Building Consultant at his firm Wieneke Insurance Consulting (wienekegroup.com). You can find out more about Tim on his FB page at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/185976432034565">https://www.facebook.com/groups/185976432034565</a> or <a href="https://adjustermentor.locals.com/groups/185976432034565">https://adjustermentor.locals.com/groups/185976432034565</a> or <a href="https://adjustermentor.locals.com/groups/18597643203456

As President of NACA I promise you that I will do everything I can to listen to you and to what your needs are as adjusters. I am proud to serve you in any capacity I can and if I can ever be of service, please do not hesitate to reach out to me. You are important to me and you are important to this Association. Let us make the 2022 convention in Las Vegas the best one yet. Together we can make NACA a place ALL adjusters want to be for everything claims.

Many Blessings - Pamela Reed/President - National Association of Catastrophe Adjusters

# These are the experts!

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# 22 NACA CONVENTION EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITIES

FLAMINGO- LAS VEGAS JAN. 23RD-27TH

**REGISTRATION OPENS** 07.01.21

<u>Registration Type</u>	<u>Dates</u>	Member	Non-Member
Adjuster Convention Fee	Jul. 1 - Aug. 31	\$299	\$499
Adjuster Convention Fee	Sept. 1 - Oct. 31	\$399	\$599
Adjuster Convention Fee	Nov. 1 - Jan. 22	\$599	\$799
Adjuster Convention Fee	On-site	\$799	\$979



**GOLF TOURNAMENT OPENS JULY 1ST** 



**CONTUINING EDUCATION CURRENT TRACKS COMING SOON** 

#### **NEWS / SEVERE WEATHER**

#### CLAUDETTE REGAINS TROPICAL STORM STATUS, HEADS OUT TO SEA AFTER KILLING AT LEAST 14 IN ALABAMA

Claudette grew more powerful as it roared off the coast of the Carolinas on Monday, regaining tropical storm status after a deadly race through Alabama.







#### FIELD CLAIMS ADJUSTER GEAR AND TOOLS I HOW TO PACK FOR CAT

THE PROPERTY IA SHOW

James and Matt discuss the finer details of what to pack - and WHY - for a cat deployment.

..And why Matt has so many pairs of underwear.

## ATLANTIC HURRICANE SEASON IN FULL SWING WITH 5 NAMED STORMS

The tropics are alive and (not) well, with five named storms currently spinning in the Atlantic forecast zone - the most there have ever been at one time.





#### NOAA SEASONAL DROUGHT OUTLOOK – JUNE, JULY, AUG. MAY 21, 2021 EDITED BY ERNST UNDESSER, AGFAX WEB EDITOR, WITH INFORMATION FROM YUN FAN, NOAA

Drought improved across parts of Texas, northeastern Colorado, central Wyoming and the Northeast in the past month due to heavy rainfall, while drought developed or intensified in many parts of California, the Pacific Northwest, Northern Intermountain West, Northern Rockies, and the Carolinas due to increasing precipitation deficits.







**View Article** 

# POST-COVID-19 CLAIMS TRENDS: WHAT TO EXPECT OTHER CRISES CAN PROVIDE SOME INSIGHT INTO HOW CLAIMS ORGANIZATIONS COULD BE AFFECTED IN THE WAKE OF THE CORONAVIRUS.

BY CHRIS TIDBALL | APRIL 16, 2020

COVID-19 makes it difficult to predict what insurers can expect from the future. But we can look back at other crises and gain some meaningful insight into how claims organizations may be affected. When the curve flattens, and life begins a return to normalcy, we will potentially see some interesting claims dynamics emerge that will impact results for the foreseeable future.

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Member - \$2,280

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THE NACA CONVENTION CONTINUES TO CHANGE AND GROW. BE PART OF THE ENHANCEMENTS WE'RE MAKING IN 2022!

The 46th NACA Annual Convention offers three days of one-on-one time with qualified adjusters and numerous networking events taking place within the exhibit hall. Reserve your spot by December 15, 2021. Booths are assigned based on sponsorship levels and a first-paid, first-served basis.





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#### who we are

NACA® is a nonprofit 501(c)(6) organization that was organized in 1976 by a group of highly qualified catastrophe adjusters. The association is dedicated to improving professional standards, ensuring working relations with one another and promoting the general welfare of the individual members. Headquarters is in Fort Worth, TX.

#### our mission

To provide a professional organization focused on excellence through education, shared resources, and technology for claims adjusters.

#### our vision

Committed to providing opportunities and resources to further advance claims professionals.

4,149

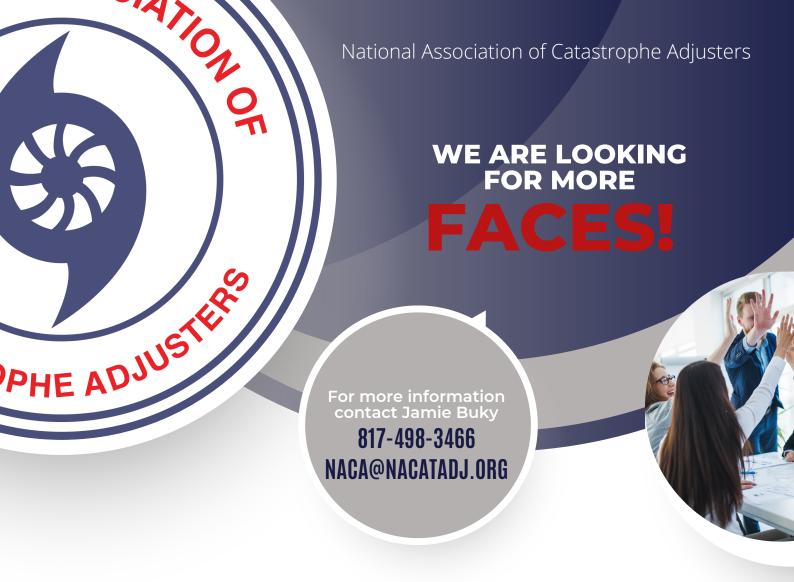
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#### **Why Join NACA?**

NACA is looking to expand our membership so that we can better service both the adjuster and the firms in our network. To add that value for all, we are looking for both new adjusters and veteran adjusters to become members.