



SDBA State Legislative Conference, Reception & Dinner

February 10, 2010 ★ Ramkota RiverCentre ★ Pierre, SD

Conference Schedule

- 8:30 am **SDBA Board Meeting**
- 10:00 am **SDBA Legislative Committee Meeting**
- 11:30 - 12:00 am **Conference Registration**
(RiverCentre Lobby)
- 12:00 - 1:30 pm **Luncheon and Banking Legislation Review**
- **Pat Burchill**, SDBA Legislative Committee Chairman, U.S. Bank, Rapid City
 - **Brett Koenecke**, SDBA Counsel & Lobbyist
 - **Curt Everson**, SDBA President & Lobbyist
- 1:30 - 2:30 pm **View from the Executive Office**
- **The Honorable Mike Rounds** (*invited*)
Governor, State of South Dakota
- 2:30 - 4:00 pm **An Overview of the 2010 Mid-Term Elections**
- **Jennifer E. Duffy**, Senior Editor,
The Cook Political Report
- 4:00 pm **Visit with Legislators at the Capitol**
- 6:00 pm **Legislative Reception**
Join legislators and constitutional officers for a reception and dinner at the Ramkota RiverCentre.
- 7:00 pm **Legislative Dinner & Business Plan Competition Awards**
Following dinner, high school winners of the SD Bankers Foundation's Business Plan Competition will be announced.

Hotel Information

Ramkota Hotel:

920 West Sioux Avenue, Pierre
(605) 224-6877

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Ramkota Hotel for the evenings of Tuesday, Feb. 9, and Wednesday, Feb. 10. Request a room from the South Dakota Bankers Association block to qualify for the special conference rates of \$98.99/single or \$108.99/double. The room block will be released Jan. 13, 2010.

Other hotels in the vicinity are:

Governor's Inn:

700 W Sioux Ave, Pierre
(605) 224-4200

Super 8:

320 W Sioux Ave, Pierre
(605) 224-1617

Days Inn:

520 W Sioux Ave, Pierre
(605) 224-0411

AmericInn:

312 Island Dr, Fort Pierre
(605) 223-2358

Kelly Inn:

713 W Sioux Ave, Pierre
(605) 224-4140

Comfort Inn:

410 W Sioux Ave, Pierre
(605) 224-0377

Holiday Inn Express:

110 E Stanley, Fort Pierre
(605) 223-9045

Registration Fee

The registration fee for the luncheon and afternoon program is \$85 per person. The registration fee for the evening reception and dinner is \$75 per person. The on-site fee per person is \$95/afternoon; \$95/evening.

Tax Information

The cost of the meals and breaks included in the registration fee for the noon luncheon and afternoon meeting is \$22. This information is provided for your tax records, in keeping with the IRS 50 percent deductible provision under Section 274(n) of the Internal Revenue Code. Because your cost for the evening reception and dinner is less than the actual cost, it is necessary that you pay taxes on the full \$75.

Refund Policy

- 100 percent for cancellations received one week or more before the conference.
- 75 percent for cancellations received three to six days before the conference.
- No refund for cancellations received within two days of the conference.

More Information

For more information, call the SDBA Office at (605) 224-1653 or (800) 726-7322. Or visit www.sdba.com and click on Calendar of Events.





Jennifer E. Duffy
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Featured Conference Speaker

The 2010 mid-term elections will feature two conflicting dynamics: a weak economy and voter dissatisfaction with Congress versus a damaged Republican brand. During the 2010 SDBA State Legislative Conference, political analyst Jennifer E. Duffy will talk about how these dynamics and the national political environment will impact the races for the 435 House seats, 36 U.S. Senate seats and 37 Governor's mansions on the ballot in November.

Duffy is a senior editor for *The Cook Political Report*, where she is responsible for U.S. Senate and governors races. Founded in 1984, *The Cook Political Report* provides analyses of presidential, U.S. Senate, House and gubernatorial races. *The New York Times* has called it "a newsletter that both parties regard as authoritative."

Duffy has 24 years of experience in campaign politics, the last 22 of which have focused on non-partisan political analysis. In 1985, she served as press secretary for the National Republican Senatorial Committee. She joined *The Cook Political Report* in 1988 as its first assistant editor. Duffy has also worked for Hill and Knowlton Public Affairs Worldwide and the lobbying firm of Cassidy & Associates.

She has served as an off-air analyst for NBC News on election nights from 1996 through 2008. Duffy has also appeared on ABC, NBC, CBS, CNN, PBS' "The NewsHour with Jim Lehrer," and C-SPAN's "Washington Journal." A native of Rhode Island, Duffy received her BA degree in American government from Georgetown University in 1985.



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2010 SDBA State Legislative Conference Registration Form

Bank: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Employee Name	Email Address	Luncheon and Afternoon Program \$85 Per Person	Evening Reception and Dinner \$75 Per Person

Registration: \$85/luncheon and afternoon program; \$75/evening reception and dinner

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

On-Site Registration: \$95/luncheon and afternoon program; \$95/evening reception and dinner

Send registration to: SDBA, PO Box 1081, Pierre, SD 57501 ★ Fax to: (605) 224-7835 ★ Register online at: www.sdba.com ★ Questions: (605) 224-1653