



TSCRA Policy Conference

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The Westin Riverwalk, San Antonio, Texas

Wednesday, September 25

12:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Executive Committee Luncheon and Meeting	Zapata
2:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Registration Open	Navarro Pre-Function
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Opening Session Topic: Political Forecast Speaker: Ross Ramsey, Executive Editor and Co-Founder of <i>The Texas Tribune</i>	Navarro A
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Reception	Olivares

Thursday, September 26

7:00 am – 5:00 pm	Registration Open	Navarro Pre-Function
8:00 am – 9:00 am	General Session Topic: International Trade Speaker: Gregg Doud, United States Trade Representative	Navarro A
9:00 am – 9:15 am	Break	
9:15 am – 10:15 am	Agricultural Research and Education Committee Topic: Priority Statewide Needs for Increasing Sustainability and Resiliency of Ranching Operations in Texas Speaker: Dr. Bob Whitson, Bob McCan and Jim McAdams	Villa
	Law Enforcement Committee Topic: Combined Law Enforcement – Game Wardens Protect Ranch Life as Much as Wildlife Speaker: Colonel Grahame Jones, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department	Navarro B
	Topic: Special Rangers Move Forward with Refreshed Vision Speaker: Scott Williamson	
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Break	

10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Cattle Health and Well-Being Committee Topic: How Bovine Viral Diarrhea Virus leads to Persistently Infected Calves Speaker: Dr. Andy Schwartz, State Veterinarian and Executive Director, Texas Animal Health Commission	Villa
	Natural Resources and Wildlife Committee Topic: Texas Water Development Board overview and update Speaker: Peter Lake, Texas Water Development Board Chairman	Navarro B
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Luncheon Topic: Importance of Political Engagement Speaker: TSCRA PAC panelists	Navarro A
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Marketing and Transportation Committee Topic: Trade outlook and update on the United States, Mexico, Canada Trade Agreement Speaker: Kent Bacus, Director of International Trade and Market Access, NCBA	Navarro B
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Break	
3:15 pm – 4:45 pm	Property Rights and Tax Committee Topic: Property Tax Changes from the 86 th Texas Legislative Session Speaker: Rick Parker, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts	Navarro B
4:45 pm – 5:15 pm	Resolutions Committee	Zapata
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Evening Dinner and Reception Briscoe Western Art Museum	
<u>Friday, September 27</u>		
6:30 am – 7:45 am	PAC Trustee Breakfast (by invitation only)	Zapata
6:30 am – 7:45 am	RAP Team Meeting (by invitation only)	Villa
7:30 am – 9:00 am	Registration Open	Navarro Pre-Function
8:00 am – 10:00 am	Board of Directors Meeting	Navarro