

**NASPD Convention Program**  
**The Westin Galleria**  
**Houston, Texas**  
**February 14 – 17, 2018**

*All attendees are encouraged to attend the committee meetings except for the Executive and Strategic Planning Committee meetings. We limit the discussion and voting during the committees to committee members only because non-committee members have not been privy to all the correspondence leading up to the committee meetings.*

**Wednesday, February 14, 2018**

10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.     BlackHorse Golf Course Optional Golf Tournament  
(Meet in lobby. Bus departs at 10:30 a.m. Noon shotgun start.)

**Thursday, February 15, 2018**

12:30 – 4:30 p.m.     Registration  
1:00 – 2:30 p.m.     Strategic Planning Committee  
2:30 – 3:00 p.m.     Membership Committee  
3:00 – 3:30 p.m.     Program Committee  
3:30 – 4:30 p.m.     Executive Committee  
4:30 – 5:30 p.m.     2017 Board of Directors  
6:00 – 8:30 p.m.     Welcoming Reception  
9:30 – 11:00 p.m.     Hospitality Suite

**Friday, February 16, 2018**

8:00 – 9:30 a.m.     Registration and Continental Breakfast  
8:30 – 8:45 a.m.     Annual Meeting of the Membership  
8:45 – 9:15 a.m.     David S. Rosenthal, UIC, Inc., Insurance Consultant,  
“Understanding Your Insurance Risks – Navigating the Fine Print”  
9:15 – 10:00 a.m.     Nicolas de Coignac, Vallourec North American President,  
Vallourec USA Corporation, “Industry Trends to Watch in the Near and Distant Future”  
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.     Mary Emily Slate, Vice President and General Manager of  
Nucor Steel Arkansas, “A State of the Steel Industry and an Update on Section 232 and Nucor Capital Investments”  
10:30 – 10:45 a.m.     Break  
10:45 a.m. – Noon     Andrew Fastow, Former CFO for Enron, “Rules Versus Principals”  
Noon – 1:30 p.m.     Networking Luncheon  
1:30 – 3:00 p.m.     Membership Discussion  
3:00 – 3:30 p.m.     2018 Board of Directors Meeting  
7:30 – 9:30 p.m.     Awards Ceremony/Reception/Dinner  
9:30 – 11:00 p.m.     Hospitality Suite

**Saturday, February 17, 2018**

12:30 – 3:00 p.m.     Polo Match and lunch hosted by The Womble Company  
**Bus will leave the hotel at Noon.**