

NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION SAFETY TEAM ADVISORY COMMITTEE (NCSTAC) MEETING
Web Conference
September 12, 2024

AGENDA

MEETING GOALS:

- Review Disaster and Failure Studies Program Scoring of Events and Readiness of Teams,
- Review the status of the NCST investigation of Hurricane Maria’s effects on Puerto Rico,
- Review the status of the NCST investigation of the partial collapse of Champlain Towers South in Surfside, Florida,
- Review progress on the implementation of NCST investigation recommendations for the Joplin tornado, and
- Develop the Committee’s annual report to Congress.

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Time (ET)	Topic	Discussion Leader
<i>Opening Remarks</i>		
9:00 am – 9:05 am	Call to Order Roll Call	Judy Bowie <i>NCSTAC Designated Federal Officer</i> NIST
9:05 am – 9:15 am	Welcome Opening Remarks	Laurie Locascio <i>Under Secretary of Commerce for Standards and Technology and NIST Director</i>
9:15 am – 9:25 am	Meeting Goals & Logistics Review of Agenda	Tanya Brown-Giammanco <i>Director of Disaster & Failure Studies</i> NIST
9:25 am – 9:45 am	<u>Disaster and Failure Studies Program Updates</u>	Tanya Brown-Giammanco
9:45 am – 10:00 am	Committee Discussion of the Disaster and Failure Studies Program Updates	José Izquierdo-Encarnación <i>NCSTAC Chairperson</i> <i>Principal</i> PORTICUS
<i>Progress on Implementation of Recommendations from Joplin tornado NCST Investigation</i>		
10:00 am – 10:45 am	<u>Progress on Implementation of Recommendations from Joplin tornado NCST Investigation</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Recent Tornado Preliminary Reconnaissance Missions ● Joplin Tornado Recommendations 	Daniel Rhee <i>Research Structural Engineer, Structures Group</i> NIST Nicholas de Toledo <i>Associate, Structures Group</i> NIST Marc Levitan <i>Research Engineer, Structures Group</i> NIST
10:45 am – 11:10 am	Committee Discussion of the Progress on Joplin Implementation	José Izquierdo-Encarnación

11:10 am – 11:25 am	BREAK	Judy Bowie
<i>Champlain Towers South NCST Updates</i>		
11:25 am – 12:00 pm	<u>Summary of Champlain Towers South NCST Investigation Progress</u>	Judith Mitrani-Reiser <i>Team Lead, Champlain Towers South NCST</i> NIST Glenn Bell <i>Associate Team Lead, Champlain Towers South NCST</i> NIST
12:00 pm – 12:20 pm	Committee Discussion of the Champlain Towers South Summary of Progress	José Izquierdo-Encarnación
12:20 pm – 1:15 pm	LUNCH BREAK	Judy Bowie
<i>Hurricane Maria NCST and NWIRP* Updates</i>		
1:15 pm – 1:45 pm	<u>Summary of Hurricane Maria NCST Investigation Progress</u>	Joseph Main <i>Team Lead, Hurricane Maria NCST</i> NIST Maria Dillard <i>Associate Team Lead, Hurricane Maria NCST</i> NIST
1:45 pm – 2:05 pm	Committee Discussion of the Hurricane Maria Summary	José Izquierdo-Encarnación
<i>Closing Business</i>		
2:05 pm – 2:25 pm	Public Comment Period	Judy Bowie
2:25 pm – 2:35 pm	Summary Remarks	Jason Averill <i>Deputy Director, Engineering Laboratory</i> NIST
2:35 pm – 2:50 pm	BREAK	Judy Bowie
2:50 pm – 5:00 pm	NCSTAC Preparation of Annual Report to Congress	José Izquierdo-Encarnación
5:00 pm	ADJOURN	Judy Bowie

*National Windstorm Impact Reduction Program