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## Wyoming Hosts Annual National Association of Insurance Commissioners Western Zone Meeting

JACKSON HOLE, WY- The National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC) will be holding their annual Western Zone meeting in Jackson Hole on September 22-25, 2016. Commissioners & other staff members from 11 states and 3 territories, including the Wyoming Department will be in attendance. The Wyoming Department of Insurance will be hosting the event. Panelists & guest speakers will be discussing a wide-range of topics including: Insurance Receiverships & Liquidation, Air Ambulance & Surprise Billings, Insurance Company Mergers, ACA Network Adequacy, and ACA CO-OPs, among other topics. Commissioner Tom Glause said, "This week's meeting is a great way to show other western states some Wyoming hospitality in the beautiful surroundings of Jackson Hole while delving into complex and difficult topics in the insurance industry." Wyoming Governor Matt Mead will be addressing the group on Thursday evening and former Wyoming Supreme Court Chief Justice Marilyn Kite will be speaking to the group on Friday. The National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC) is the U.S. standard-setting and regulatory support organization created and governed by the chief insurance regulators from the 50 states, the District of Columbia and five U.S. territories. Consumers with insurance related questions or complaints are encouraged to call the Department of Insurance at (307) 777-7401 or (800) 438-5768 or visit the Department's website at: http://doi.wyo.gov.