

**IRISH NATIONAL FLOOD FORUM CONFERENCE AGENDA VENUE- GULLANE'S  
HOTEL BALLINSLOE, CO. GALWAY**

	<b>Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2016.</b>
<b>9:30 - 10:00 AM</b>	Registration
	<b><u>SESSION 1</u></b>
<b>10:00 – 10:15 AM</b>	Minister Sean Canney - " <i>Opening Address.</i> "
<b>10:15 – 10:45 AM</b>	Paul Cobbing National Flood Forum UK – " <i>Helping communities respond to flood events.</i> "
<b>10:45 – 11:00 AM</b>	Conor Warner - Ballinasloe Flood Study
<b>11:00 – 11:15 AM</b>	Monica Lee, G.S.I. - Turlough flooding investigation.
<b>11:15 – 11:30 AM</b>	Question Time on the above
<b>11:30 – 12:00 PM</b>	<b>Coffee / Tea Break</b>
	<b><u>SESSION 2</u></b>
<b>12:00 – 12:15 PM</b>	Mark Adamson - O.P.W.
<b>12:15 – 12:30 PM</b>	Paul Kavanagh M.D. McCarthy Insurance Brokers and Ex-President of Irish Brokers Assoc. " <i>The truth about Flood Insurance.</i> "
<b>12:30 – 12:45 PM</b>	Jeremy Buckley P.R.O of the I.N.F.F. " <i>Flood Insurance legislation needed.</i> "
<b>12:45 – 1:00 PM</b>	Question time on the above.
<b>1PM – 2PM</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>
	<b><u>SESSION 3</u></b>
<b>2:00 – 2:30 PM</b>	Liesbeth Van Paap ( Rikswaterstaat 200yr old Dutch Government Agency responsible for all road, bridge and flood infrastructure) - " <i>Room for the River</i> "
<b>2:30 – 2:45 PM</b>	David Murray - " <i>State bodies and why flooded communities need more engagement.</i> "
<b>2:45 – 3:00 PM</b>	Padraig Joyce Connacht Chairman I.F.A. " <i>Flooding its effects on Farm and Rural Communities.</i> "
<b>3:00 – 3:15 PM</b>	Shannon Video
<b>3:15 – 3:30 PM</b>	Question time on the above
<b>3:30 – 3:45 PM</b>	Chairman Jack Murray Summation / Closing address.

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