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NIPA and WP&BC Bring Retirement and Benefit Plan Professionals Four Days of Enriching Education at the 2019NAFE

Chicago — The National Institute of Pension Administrators (NIPA), an association representing retirement plan administration business owners and staff members, will once again partner with Western Pension and Benefits Council (WP&BC) to bring education and networking opportunities to retirement and benefit plan professionals to help strengthen and expand their businesses and professional development.

Taking place April 28-May 1 in San Diego, the 2019NAFE offers relevant education designed to enhance the services that retirement and benefit plan professionals provide to their clients – and with four different education tracks, there is something for everyone.

“The NAFE is the only event that equips industry professionals with the tools to expand their knowledge of pension administration,” said Laura J. Rudzinski, NIPA Executive Director. “In four days, our attendees will discover what’s new in recent or forthcoming legislation, the latest trends and practical tools that they won’t find anywhere else – all designed specifically for retirement plan professionals in all aspects of the industry.”

From practice managers and accountants to TPAs, plan consultants and actuaries, attendees across all roles will enjoy sessions focused on business topics, defined benefit, defined contribution and specialty topics. They will have the opportunity to apply best practices in defined contribution, defined benefit and health and welfare plan design administration, discover the latest in regulatory guidance, explore techniques to improve business outcomes, and more across over 50 education sessions, including:

- What’s Happening in Washington?
- Marketing and Selling Strategies for TPAs
- Rethinking a Plan’s Profitability
- What Pension Professionals Wish They Knew About Health and Welfare Plans

“WP&BC is proud to partner with NIPA for the second year in a row to present the NAFE,” said Doug Van Galder, ERPA, WP&BC Governing Board President. “The 2019NAFE’s open forum format provides plenty of opportunities for networking, idea exchange and learning from world-class speakers and an exclusive group of peers across both NIPA and WP&BC who have faced common challenges in the benefits industry.”

Retirement and benefit plan professionals are encouraged to stay in the know about industry changes by registering for the 2019NAFE. The best rates expire February 22, 2019.

Learn more and register at www.nipa.org/NAFE.

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About NIPA

The **National Institute of Pension Administrators (NIPA)** is the voice of retirement plan professionals looking to move TPA businesses forward. NIPA serves TPA business owners across the United States by creating environments with world-class education, best-practice exchanges, and deep peer-to-peer relationships. As a result, our members’ revenue grows dramatically, processes are streamlined, productivity increases, and life-long relationships are developed. For more information, visit www.nipa.org.

About Western Pension & Benefits Council

The **Western Pension & Benefits Council (WP&BC)** is a premier employee benefits organization with 10 chapters throughout the western United States. The mission of the Western Pension & Benefits Council is to educate, foster sound industry principles and provide for networking opportunities to local retirement, health and

welfare and other employee benefits professionals. Our members include plan sponsors, accountants, attorneys, actuaries, TPAs, advisors, consultants and others who work with employee benefit plans and executive compensation. For more information, please visit www.westernpension.org