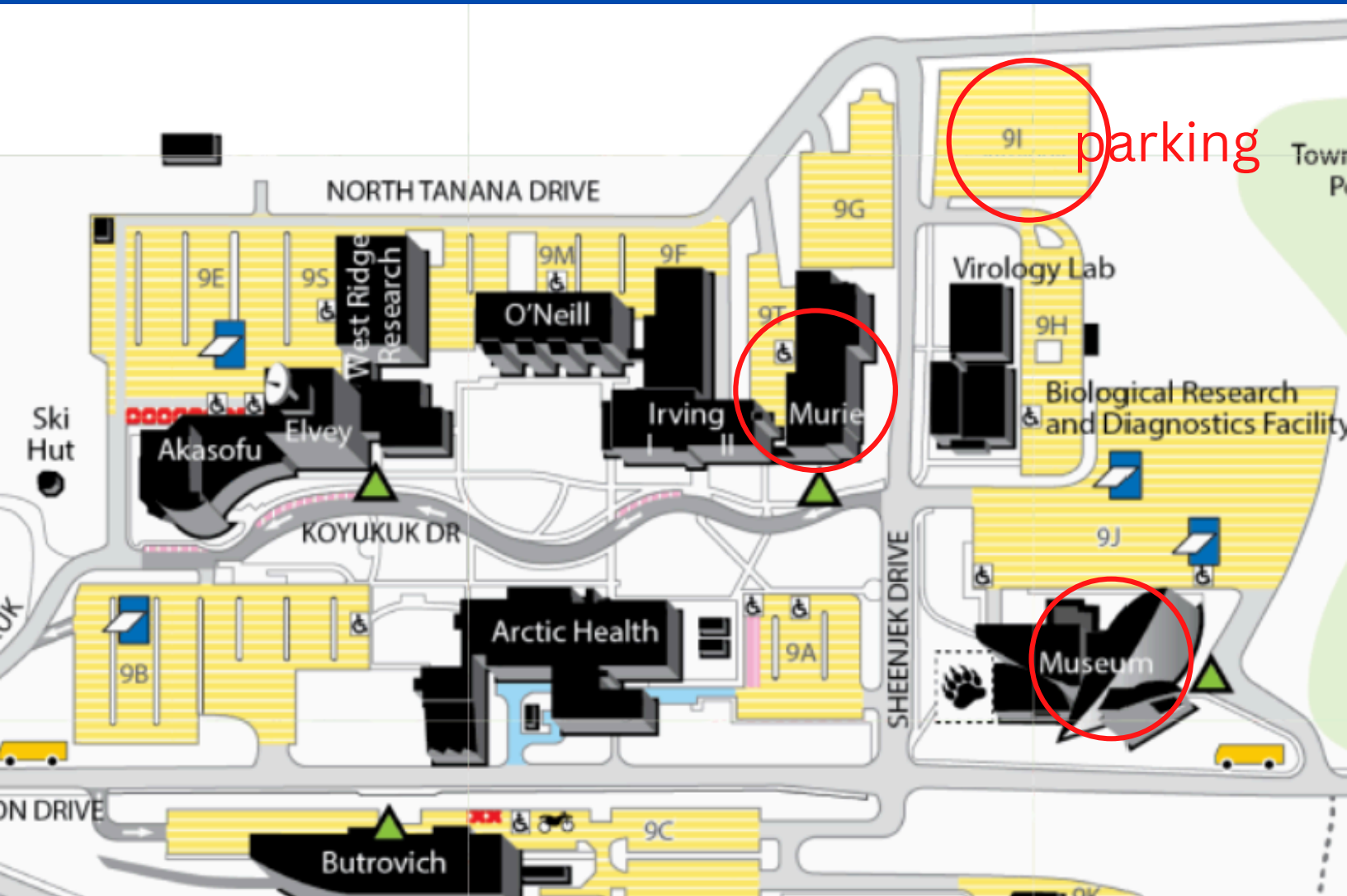


# WESTERN REGION JOINT SPRING MEETING



**JUNE 24-28, 2024**

**FAIRBANKS, AK**

**agInnovation-West**- Western Assn. of Agricultural Experiment Station Directors

**WEDA**- Western Extension Directors Association

**W-APS**- Western Region Academic Programs Section

**W-AHS**- Western Region Administrative Heads Section

**WCARET**- Western Region Council for Agriculture Research, Extension, & Teaching

# Rocking the Boat

## Monday, June 24

Travel to Fairbanks AK

## Tuesday, June 25

8:30 am **Breakfast** *Location: Pikes Waterfront Lodge*

8:30 am Departure from La Quinta to Pikes Waterfront Lodge for Breakfast

9:30 am **Transportation to University of Alaska Campus-**  
Bus loads in front of Pikes Waterfront Lodge

10 am- **Association Meetings**

12pm **agInnovation-West** *Location: Murie 104*

**WEDA** *Location: Murie 301*

**W-APS** *Location: Murie 201*

**W-AHS/W-CARET** (if needed) *Location: Murie 300*

\*\*W-AHS & W-CARET members welcome to join other association meetings

12:00- **Lunch & Awards Program** *Location: Murie 104*  
1:30 pm

1:30- **Joint Session- Future of the Land Grant**  
4:30 pm **Universities** *Location: Murie 104*

5:00 pm **Opening Reception-** *Museum of the North*  
*Tour & Reception at Pavilion*

7:00pm **Shuttle back to Hotels**

# Rocking the Boat

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## Wednesday, June 26

- 7:00 am     **Breakfast**     *Location: Pikes Waterfront Lodge*
- 7:00 am     Departure from La Quinta to Pikes Waterfront Lodge
- 8:00 am     **Load Bus & Transport to University of Alaska Campus**
- 8:30-12:30 pm     **General Session Continued**     *Location: Murie 104*
- 12:30-1:30 pm     **Lunch**     *Location: Murie 104*
- 1:30-2 pm     **Walk to Botanical Gardens & Group Photos**
- 2-3 pm     **Botanical Gardens Tour**
- 3-3:30 pm     **Walk back to General Session Location & Break**
- 3:30-5 pm     **General Session**     *Location: Murie 104*
- *NIFA Update*
  - *International Year of Rangelands and Pastoralists*
- 5:00 pm     **Dinner at Botanical Gardens Pavilion**
- 7:00pm     **Shuttle back to Hotels**

# Rocking the Boat

## Thursday, June 27

8:00 am **Breakfast** *Location: Pikes Waterfront Lodge*

8:00 am Departure from La Quinta to Pikes Waterfront Lodge

9:00 am **Depart on Ag Tour**

- Large Animal Research Station
- One Tree and Forestry
- LUNCH and Pipelines and Permafrost
- Calypso Farm and Ecology Center

4:45 pm **Return to Hotels**

5:00 pm **Meeting Adjournment & Dinner on your own**

