

**Opening General Session  
Greater Fort Lauderdale ♦ Broward County Convention Center  
Grand Floridian Ballroom  
Wednesday, May 16, 2012  
1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

**Moderator:**

**Anne M. Miller**  
Member of the Board of Directors  
Governor's Hurricane Conference®  
Logistics Chief  
Sarasota County Emergency Management  
President, Florida Emergency Preparedness Association

**Invited Speakers:**

**Welcome**

**John E. Rodstrom**  
Broward Mayor

**Bryan Koon**

Director  
Florida Division of Emergency Management

**Rick Scott**

Governor  
State of Florida

**Bill Read**

Director  
National Hurricane Center

**Craig Fugate**

FEMA Administrator

**Hurricane Andrew Panel - A Twenty Year Perspective**

**Facilitator:**

**Bryan Norcross**

Director of Weather Presentation and Hurricane Specialist  
The Weather Channel  
Former Television Meteorologist and Hurricane Specialist  
WFOR-TV Miami

**Max Mayfield**

Meteorologist and Hurricane Specialist,  
WPLG-TV Miami  
Former Director, National Hurricane Center

**Frank Koutnik**

Senior Emergency Management/Homeland Security Consultant  
DSI Strategies and Ideas  
Former Chief, Bureau of Operations  
Florida Division of Emergency Management

**Michele Baker**

Chief Assistant County Administrator  
Pasco County  
Former Emergency Operations Officer  
Metro Dade Emergency Management

**Bill Proenza**

Director  
National Weather Service Southern Region  
Member of the Board of Directors  
Governor's Hurricane Conference®