BANKRUPTCY ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS

UNITED STATES COURTHOUSE
COURTROOM 3
515 NINTH STREET
RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 2026

11:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M. (Mountain)
Light Lunch & Refreshments at 11:00 A.M. (Mountain)

This event will consist of five introductory level discussions related to the basics of bankruptcy law. Prior knowledge of bankruptcy law is not required. Each rotation will include a seven-minute briefing concerning the topic listed below, along with time for questions. The roundtable format is designed to create an opportunity for attendees of all backgrounds to engage with experienced bankruptcy practitioners to encourage interest in bankruptcy law.

Discussion Topics

STAN ANKER

INTAKE AND ANALYZING FINANCIAL SITUATIONS FOR RESTRUCTURING THROUGH CHAPTER 11 INCLUDING SUBCHAPTER V AND CHAPTER 12 FOR A FAMILY FARM OR RANCH

DAVE CLAGGETT

OVERVIEW OF CHAPTER 7, INCLUDING INTAKE, COMMON EXEMPTION ISSUES, CREDIT COUNSELING REQUIREMENT, REAFFIRMATION AGREEMENTS, AND 341 MEETING PREPARATION

DAN PAHLKE

CHAPTER 7 VERSUS CHAPTER 13 AND BENEFITS OF FILING CHAPTER 13 WHEN DEBTOR MAY QUALIFY FOR BOTH

MICHAEL GIESEKE

PURPOSE, FUNCTIONS AND SERVICES OF THE TRUSTEE'S OFFICE, BENEFITS OF CHAPTER 12/13, TIPS FOR WORKING WITH THE TRUSTEE

NATHAN CHICOINE

CREDITOR'S PERSPECTIVE ON NAVIGATING THE STAY, PROOF OF CLAIMS, MEETING OF CREDITORS, OBJECTIONS, AND RELATED ISSUES

RSVPs are encouraged.
Please email Rick at **rick_entwistle@sdb.uscourts.gov** by **April 13, 2026** to RSVP.

IF YOU ARE A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY AND REQUIRE SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION TO PARTICIPATE, PLEASE CONTACT THE BANKRUPTCY CLERK'S OFFICE AT 605-357-2400.