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WOW! It certainly has been a while since we all got together and just “chilled out” - sat back and listened to the experiences while working out in the field of drilling - whether you are a drilling contractor, manufacturer, distributor, supplier, wife in the industry or children of parents in the industry ~ remember always just how important you are to all things living. Without you, and what you do related to the drilling industry and no matter what type of drilling that might be, YOU are what makes the *World* go around.

We, at *WorldWide Drilling Resource®* thank you for what you do and hope in some small way this *WorldWide DownHome DrillFest™ 2023*, now held at this beautiful Central Buildings Event Center at the Ozark Empire Fairgrounds in Springfield, Missouri, with its laid-back atmosphere, will give you a few days to kick back, relax, and have a good time with family and friends while making new friends along the way. You certainly deserve a break - all of you!

So, this year, you will find quite a few changes. The main one is its location - The Fairgrounds! By holding it here, we are giving you the opportunity to be your independent selves. YOU make the choices as to where you want to stay - NO ROOM BLOCKS to worry about; there is an abundance of hotels within five (5) miles of the Fairgrounds - and some as close as 1.9 miles. YOU decide what you want to eat - No preplanned meals for you which require you pay ahead and eat what has been chosen for you. On-site concessions will be available with great menus, so everyone in your party from the eldest to the youngest can eat what they want, and it won't break your bank. And you even get to relax with a cold drink of your choosing or a warm coffee or tea. YOU ARE THE BOSS.

We have one of the best, if not the BEST Guest Speaker for you this year, Major Ed Pulido, U.S. Army (Ret.). He is anxious to sit down with you, have a drink, and chat. He's a great guy and does really great work for our Veterans and children. He's a husband and father of two adult girls now. The *WDDR* Team is certain you will enjoy meeting him and hearing him.

And of course, we would be remiss if we didn't tell you about the ALWAYS FUN KARAOKE - we do hope to challenge you for the top prize! No secrets given away here - you'll have to be present and sing along with the *WDDR* Team at this year's *WorldWide DownHome DrillFest™ 2023*. None other than our DJ's from 2021 from ALL NIGHT SOUNDZ will be here to lead us along with songs you'd love to sing and dance to. Just because this is held on the Ozark Fairgrounds doesn't mean you can't dance on the concrete! Or just outside on the grass. Your choice ~ It's Your night.

The extra special offering at *WDDR's DrillFest* is still our Contractor's Benefit Auction. If you know of a Drilling Contractor or his surviving family, who need some help during these trying times because of illness or death, please let us know and we will do our best to place them in our special prayers and hope this year we can provide them with some help along the way. Forms are available or call us at 850-547-0102. Of course, you will become known *WorldWide*. Those *WDDR* cameras will be on scene and working hard to catch those special moments.

We'll See You On the Trail – In Springfield,
Ronnie for the *WDDR* Team