



*From time to time really exciting things happen at CPAESS and we will be sending you news splashes to keep you up to date!*

Hello CPAESS Staff,

Happy New Year to you all! I am hopeful that this year will be significantly better than 2020, and that less stressful times are ahead for us all.

You have recently received emails from UCAR concerning the outsourcing of our payroll function beginning this pay period. As you know CPAESS has typically asked that your timecards be completed by Friday's close of business. This will not change. This deadline allows us a little bit of time to track down employees who have forgotten to submit their time, enabling us to better prevent you from missing a paycheck. Please continue to submit your timecards by close of business on Fridays, as outsourcing will give us even less opportunity to correct errors.

The American Meteorological Society (AMS) Conference begins this coming week and some of you are presenting. If you are delivering an oral presentation, poster, or participating in a town hall kindly go to our [AMS CPAESS Presentations document](#) by this Friday and input your presentation information. We will use this to create a webpage highlighting your activities at AMS for UCAR/NCAR leadership, sponsors, and other UCAR/NCAR employees.

Thank you so much for your help,

*Glenn*