



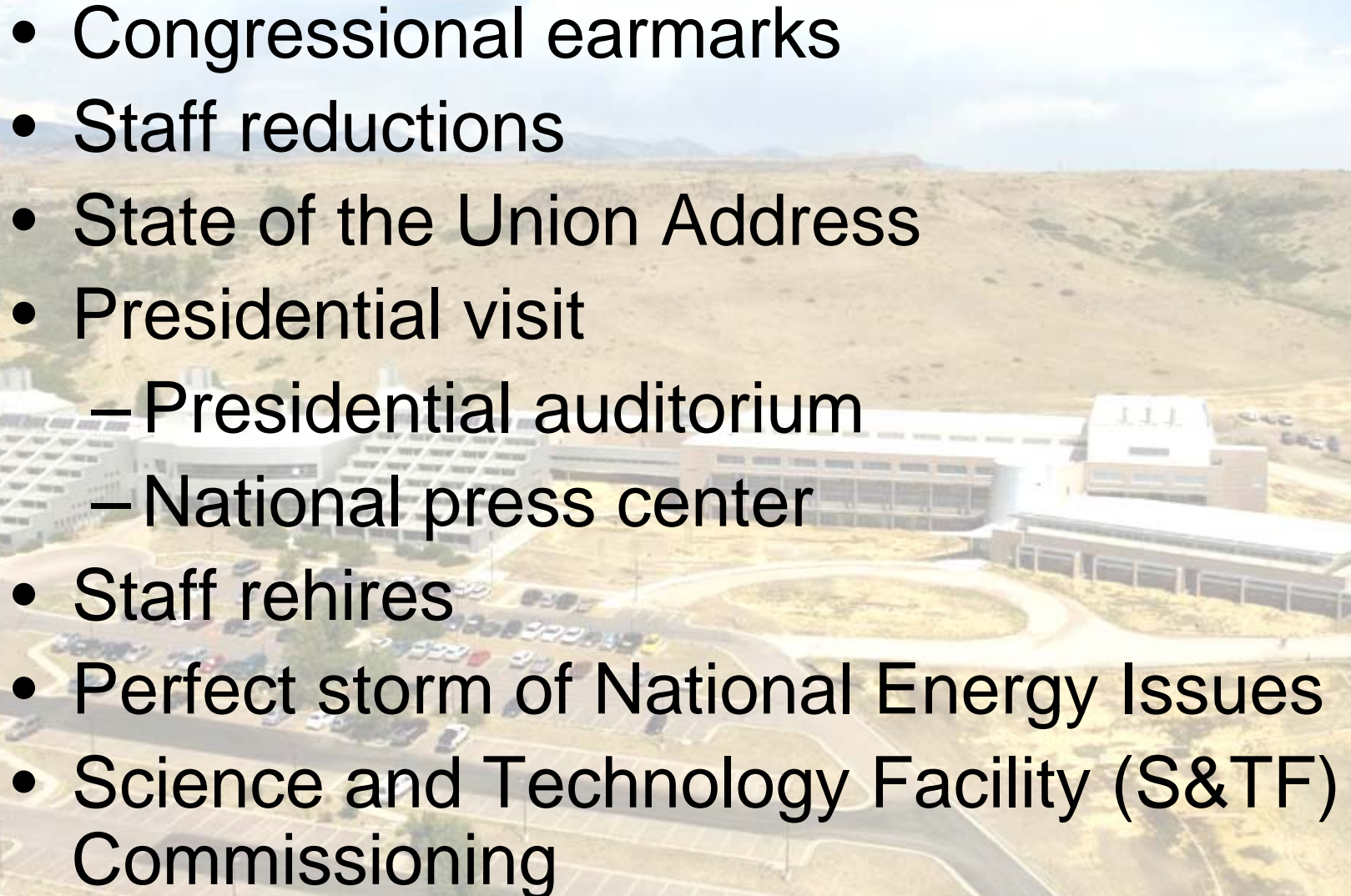
# National Renewable Energy Laboratory Community Meeting

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**November 14, 2006**

William (Bill) Glover  
Deputy Laboratory Director and Chief Operating Officer

# “Interesting” Times

- Congressional earmarks
  - Staff reductions
  - State of the Union Address
  - Presidential visit
    - Presidential auditorium
    - National press center
  - Staff rehires
  - Perfect storm of National Energy Issues
  - Science and Technology Facility (S&TF) Commissioning
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# President Bush Visit to NREL February 21, 2006







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# ADVANCED ENERGY INITIATIVE



# February 21, 2006



*“My message to those who work here is we want you to know how important your work is; we appreciate what you’re doing and we expect you to keep doing it and we want to help you keep doing it.”  
President Bush – NREL Onsite Visit*



# Science and Technology Facility (S&TF)



# S&TF Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony



July 7, 2006



# Lab Operational Health & 2007 Outlook

- Laboratory entered FY-07 stronger and more visible than at any time in its history
- Major reorganization has aligned the Laboratory with Strategic Vision and National Priorities
- Two “Flagship Programs”
  - Renewable Electricity
  - Renewable Fuels
- Four Distinctive Competencies
  - Integrated Energy System Engineering & Testing
  - Renewable Electricity Production and Use
  - Renewable Fuels Formulation and Use
  - Strategic Energy Analysis

# Lab Operational Health & 2007 Outlook (continued)

- FY-07 Budget not Approved – Starting this year under Continuing Resolution
- FY-07 Approved Funding expected to be in excess of FY-05 and FY-06 Levels
- One Year Plan contains Aggressive Growth Initiatives
- Overall Health of the Laboratory is Excellent and the Future is Bright



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