

Michigan Energy Providers Conference July 25-27, 2018 Grand Traverse Resort Acme, MI

AGENDA

Wednesday, July 25, 2018

1:00 PM	Welcome Comments
1:15 PM	Electric Vehicle Panel Moderator: Commissioner Norm Saari, MPSC Philip Jones, Executive Director, Alliance for Transportation Electrification Rohan Patel, Director, North America, Tesla Britta Gross, Director, Advanced Vehicle Commercialization Policy, GM
2:00 PM	View from the Top <i>Moderator: Chairman Sally Talberg, MPSC</i> Toby Thomas, President & COO, I&M Power Company Simon Whitelocke, President, ITC Michigan Patrick Bowland, CEO & GM, MI Public Power Agency Mark Stiers, President & COO, DTE Gas
3:15 PM	Networking Break
3:30 PM	Political Update - State House Representative Gary Glenn, Chairman House Energy Policy Committee
4:00 PM	Cyber Security Moderator: Commissioner Rachael Eubanks, MPSC Captain Chris A. Kelenske, Deputy State Director of Emergency Management & Homeland Security, Michigan Department of State Police Craig Barrett, Senior Energy Infrastructure Cyber Security Specialist, FERC Alex Morese, Manager, Energy Security, MAE Tabice Ward, Director of Information Protection and Security, DTE Energy
5:00 PM	Announcements
6:00 PM	Networking Event (Guests Also) Music by Doug Thomas; Magician Keith Kocher
Thursday, July 26, 2018	
7:00 AM	Breakfast (Guests also)
8:30 AM	Welcome
8:40 AM	State Energy Policy Moderator: Monica Martinez, President & CEO, Ruben Strategy Group LLC Valerie Brader, CEO, Rivenoak Law Irene Dimitry, VP, Business Planning & Development, DTE Energy Steve Transeth, President, Transeth & Associates, PLLC Jason Geer, Director of Energy & Environmental Policy, Michigan Chamber of Commerce
9:40 AM	Gas Infrastructure Panel Moderator: Brian Ballinger, Dir., Energy Ops., MPSC

Todd Snitchler, Group Director of Mkt Development, API

	Garrick Rochow, Senior VP of Operations, Consumers Energy Tim Lubbers, Director of Business Development, SEMCO Energy Renee Tomina, Executive Director, DTE Gas Operations
10:40 AM	Stretch
10:45 AM	Technology Panel (Vendor Presentations) Moderator: Paul Proudfoot, Dir., Energy Res., MPSC
11:15 AM	Election Overview Bill Ballenger, Publisher, The Ballenger Report Steve Mitchell, CEO, Mitchell Research & Communications
NOON	Announcements
12:30 PM	Lunch (Guests also)
1:00 PM	MESS Scramble/Family Activities
5:45 PM - 7:45 PM	Children's Activity
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	MEPC Reception (Guests Also) Music by Doug Thomas; Magician Keith Kocher
Friday, July 27, 2018	
7:00 AM	Breakfast (Guests also)
8:30 AM	Welcome
8:45 AM	The Future of Wind & Solar in Michigan and the Midwest Moderator: Jim Ault, President, MEGA RJ Johnson, VP Origination, NextEra Energy Resources Brian Lammers, VP Business Development, RES Ltd. Rob Greskowiak, Manager Origination, Invenergy LLC Steve Remen, EVP Business Development, EDF Renewables
10:00 AM	Networking Break
10:15 AM	Fundamentals of Leadership
	Never Be Average Tim McCormick, Broadcaster and Consultant
	Champion's Approach to Higher Achievement Gregory Kelser, Broadcaster and Analyst
11:30 AM	"A Farewell to Friends"
11:40 AM	Political Update - State Senate Senator Mike Nofs - Chairman Senate Energy and Technology Committee
NOON	Announcements Jim Ault MEGA Tim Hoffman, Consumers Energy