



**Michigan Energy Providers Conference**  
**July 24-26, 2019**  
**Grand Hotel**  
**Mackinac Island, MI**

**AGENDA**  
**SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

Wednesday, July 24, 2019

- 12:30 PM Welcome Comments**
- 12:40 PM Political Updates**  
 Senator Dan Lauwers, Chair  
 Senate Energy & Technology Committee  
 Representative Joe Bellino, Chair  
 House Energy Committee
- 1:20 PM Fireside Chat**  
 Sally Talberg, Chairman, MPSC  
 Norm Saari, Commissioner, MPSC  
 Dan Scripps, Commissioner, MPSC
- 2:15 PM Energy Storage**  
*Moderator: Mike Byrne, MPSC*  
 Katherine Peretick, Director of Engineering, NRStor, Inc.  
 Alan Myers, Director, Regional Planning, ITC  
 Michelle Lim, Engineer, Xcel Energy
- 2:55 PM Networking Break**
- 3:10 PM The Customer Experience**  
*Moderator: Anne Armstrong Cusack, MPSC*  
 Angie Pizzuti, VP Customer Service, DTE Energy  
 Gregory Bolino, Managing Director, Utilities Strategy, Accenture  
 Candy Riem, VP of Marketing & Member Solutions, Midwest Energy & Communications
- 3:55 PM Dealing with Uncertain Times - Negotiating Electricity's Future**  
 Sue Kelly, President & CEO, American Public Power Association
- 4:55 PM Citizens Utility Board of Michigan**  
 Robert Nelson, President
- 5:00 PM Announcements**
- 6:00 PM Networking Event (Guests Also)**
- 6:00 PM Music by Doug Thomas**

- 10:30 AM Networking Break**
- 10:45 AM Cannabis Panel**  
*Moderator: Shelly Edgerton, Dykema*  
 Mary Alice Page-Allen, Town of Oak Creek, CO  
 Kent Singer, Exe. Dir., Colorado Rural Electric Assn.
- NOON Announcements**
- 12:10 PM Grand Buffet Lunch (Guests also)**
- 1:30 PM MESS Scramble/Family Activities/Bike Tour/ Disc Golf**
- 2:00 PM Public Power Policy (MMEA Session - optional)**
- 5:45 PM - Children's Activity**  
**7:45 PM**
- 6:00 PM - MEPC Reception on Porch (Guests Also)**  
**7:30 PM Music by Doug Thomas**

Friday, July 26, 2019

- 7:30 AM Breakfast in Main Dining Room (Guests also)**
- 9:00 AM Welcome**
- 9:05 AM National Look at Energy**  
 Chairman Neil Chatterjee, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
- 10:05 AM Networking Break**
- 10:20 AM Natural Gas Infrastructure Development**  
*Moderator: Pat Poli, MPSC*  
 Rick Murphy, Managing Director, Sustainable Growth, American Gas Association (invited)  
 Marc Simone, VP Operations, SEMCO Energy Gas Co.  
 Jennie Aud, Director, Gas Control & Planning, DTE Gas Company  
 Greg Salisbury, VP Gas Engineering and Supply, Consumers Energy
- 11:10 AM Energy for Tomorrow**  
 Patti Poppe, President & CEO, CMS Energy and Consumers Energy Company
- 12:10 PM Announcements**
- 12:30 PM Adjourn**

Thursday, July 25, 2019

- 7:30 AM Breakfast in Main Dining Room (Guests also)**
- 8:30 AM Welcome**
- 8:40 AM Cyber Security Overview Communication**
- 9:00 AM 4 Billionaires and a Cab Driver**  
 John Fikany, Founder & CEO  
 The Fikany Group