

Innovation, Conservation, and Customer Participation

Agenda

October 23, 2014
Crowne Plaza Hotel
Springfield, Illinois
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*The Institute for Regulatory Policy Studies
Department of Economics, Illinois State University*

8:30 am Welcome: David Loomis, Executive Director, *Institute for Regulatory Policy Studies*

8:35 am Opening Remarks: Commissioner John Colgan

8:45 a.m. Session 1: Innovations in Efficiency

- Developments and innovations in electricity efficiency
- Smart meters and energy efficiency
- Developments and innovations in the efficiency of gas

Moderator: Chairman Doug Scott

Speakers: Stacey Paradis, Deputy Director, *Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance*
George Malek, Director, *ComEd Energy Efficiency*
Yann Kulp, VP of Residential Energy Solutions – *EcoBusiness for Schneider Electric*

10:30 a.m. Morning Break

10:45 a.m. Session 2: Declining Water Usage

- The Economics of System Costs and Rate Design
- Illinois Water Usage
- Policy Options

Moderator: Commissioner Sherina Maye

Speakers: Commissioner Sherina Maye
Gary Naumick, Senior Director of Engineering, *American Water*
Josh Ellis, Program Director, *Metropolitan Planning Council*
Lisa Sparrow, President and CEO, *Utilities Inc.*

12:30 p.m. Lunch Break

1:00 p.m. Session 3: Demand Response and FERC Order 745

John Moore, Senior Attorney, *The Sustainable FERC Project*

1:30 p.m. Session 4: Innovations in Customer Service

- Enabling markets and creating new products and services
- Visions for the future
- Advances in advanced metering infrastructure

Moderator: Commissioner Ann McCabe

Speakers: Sharon Hillman, Executive VP – Business Development and Regulatory Affairs, *MC2 Energy Services*
Kevin Lauckner, Director Business Development, *Honeywell Smart Grid Solutions*
Kristin Munsch, Director of Policy and Senior Attorney, *Citizens Utility Board*

3:15 p.m. Close