## 2018 Governor's Energy Summit: Energy Innovation Powering A Nation

## Day one, Tuesday, October 9:

3 to 5 p.m. **Registration** 

6 to 8 p.m. **Pre-Conference Welcome Reception** 

Includes The Clay Center's Power Your Future Compressed Natural Gas exhibit

Day two, Wednesday, October 10:

7:30 to 8:30 a.m. **Breakfast/Registration** 

8:30 a.m. Welcoming remarks

Wes White, general counsel, WV Department of Commerce

8:45 a.m. **NETL and West Virginia Stakeholders** 

Dr. Bryan Morreale, executive director, Research and Innovation Center

National Energy Technology Laboratory

9:15 a.m. **Energy Development Presentation** 

Dr. Brian Anderson, director, WVU Energy Institute

9:45 a.m. **Appalachian Storage Hub Presentation** 

Steve Hedrick, president/CEO, MATRIC

10:15 a.m. **Break** 

10:30 a.m. Natural Gas Infrastructure: Economic Development and Workforce Training

Ken Haynes, instructional specialist, BridgeValley Community

& Technical College

Don Rigby, executive director, Regional Economic Development Partnership

(RED)

Casey K. Sacks, Ph.D., Vice Chancellor

West Virginia Community and Technical College System (WVCTCS)

Moderator: Anne Blankenship, executive director, WVONGA

11:30 a.m. Congressional updates

Noon **Lunch, speaker:** Curtis Wilkerson

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## Day two, Wednesday, October 10 (continued):

1 p.m. Tri-State Shale Coalition

Cory Dennison, outreach The World Has Changed! The Shale Crescent USA

Greg Kozera, director of marketing

Jerry James, president, Artex Oil Company

1:30 p.m. Panel: West Virginia Energy Innovation

Charlie Burd, executive director, IOGA-WV

Bill Raney, president, West Virginia Coal Association

Holly Kauffman, president, West Virginia Operations for FirstEnergy Chris Beam, president and chief operating officer, Appalachian Power

Moderator: Tiffany Bailey, W.Va. Office of Energy

2:30 p.m. Break

2:45 p.m. Role of Energy Resiliency in Emergency Response

Jeff Pillon, director of energy assurance

National Association of State Energy Officials

Bill Valentine, deputy director

Mid Atlantic CHP Technical Assistance Partnership

3:30 p.m. Energy Efficiency as a West Virginia Industry

Xavier Walter, analyst

**Energy Efficient West Virginia** 

4 p.m. Panel: Regional Comparison of Energy Efficiency Programs, Policies

Cyrus Bhedwar, director of policy Southeast Energy Efficiency Alliance Stacey Paradis, executive director Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance Sue Coakley, executive director

Northeast Energy Efficiency Partnerships

Moderator: Karen Lasure, W.Va. Office of Energy

5 p.m. Adjourn

6 to 8 p.m. Reception: Heavy hors d'oeuvres

8 to 11 p.m. Hospitality Room – Presidential Suite, Room 323

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## Day three, Thursday, October 11, 2018

8 to 9 a.m. **Breakfast** 

9 a.m. Panel: Renewable Energy in West Virginia

Autumn Long, W.Va. program director

Solar United Neighbors Spencer Adkins, manager

**Dominion Generation Construction** 

Dave Friend, owner

Laurel Renewable Partners LLC

Beth Wheatley, director, external affairs and strategic initiatives

The Nature Conservancy
Hyon Rah, director of strategy

Caden Energy

Moderator: Kelly Bragg, W.Va. Office of Energy

10 a.m. **Broadband Development in West Virginia** 

Robert Hinton, chairman

W.Va. Broadband Enhancement Council

10:15 a.m. Break

10:30 a.m. Alternative Fuel Transportation

West Virginia's Volkswagen settlement plan

Kelly Bragg, W.Va. Office of Energy

**Electric Vehicles and Charging Infrastructure** 

Marty Weirick, president Rick Walker, secretary

West Virginia Electric Auto Association

11 a.m. Panel: Wood products

Joseph McNeel, professor and director

WVU School of Natural Resources, Appalachian Hardwood Center

Joseph Howard, executive director, W.Va. Forest Products

Cooperative, Inc.

Don Wagner, general manager, Appalachian Wood Pellets, Inc.

Moderator: Karen Lasure, W.Va. Office of Energy

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Noon Lunch

1 p.m. Adjourn

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