



2023 Washington Resource Adequacy Meeting

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Pursuant to [RCW 19.280.065](#)

9:30 to 9:40 Welcome and Introductions

- **Zoom Logistics**, Payton Swinford, Energy Policy Advisor, UTC

- Opening Comments:

- David Danner, Chair, Utilities and Transportation Commission
- Michael Furze, Assistant Director, Energy Office, Department of Commerce

9:40 to 10:10 Keynote: Insights on Resource Adequacy from Advanced Analytical Techniques

- Elaine Hart, Founding Principal, Moment Energy Insights LLC

10:10-11:10 Report on Regional Resource Adequacy Assessments

- **Western Electricity Coordinating Council:** Victoria Ravenscroft, Senior Policy and External Affairs Manager; Saad Malik, Director, Reliability Assessments
- **Northwest Power and Conservation Council:** Dor Hirsh Bar Gai, Power System Analyst

11:10 to 11:15 Break

11:15 to 12:15 Western Resource Adequacy Program (WRAP) Implementation

- **Western Power Pool:** Rebecca Sexton, Director of Reliability; Sarah Edmonds, President and CEO.

12:15 to 1:00 Lunch Break

1:00 to 1:30 Role of Transmission in Maintaining Resource Adequacy

- **Pacific Northwest National Laboratory:** Jason Fuller, Principal Research Engineer, Electricity Infrastructure and Buildings Division

1:30 to 2:00 Bonneville Power Administration: Transmission Upgrades and Generator Interconnection Process

- Richard Bustamante, Manager of Transmission Planning
- Katie Sheckells, Associate Director, Transmission Marketing and Sales

2:00 to 2:10 Break

2:10 to 2:40 Role of Demand Response and Energy Efficiency in Maintaining Resource Adequacy

- **Brattle Group**, Ryan Hledik, Principal; Kate Peters, Senior Research Analyst

2:40 to 3:15 **Comments and Questions by State Legislators**

3:15 **Closing Remarks**

3:30 **Adjourn**