

MGA Quarterly MID-GRID 20235 Virtual Meeting July 9 at 9:30 am Central

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9:30 am Welcome and Introductions

Jesse Heier, Executive Director, Midwestern Governors Association (MGA)

9:35 am Guest Speaker: FERC Order 1920 – Directives to RTOs and Role of States

 Karin Herzfeld, Senior Transmission Counselor for Chairman Phillips, Federal Electric Regulatory Commission (FERC)

10:15 am RTO Transmission Planning Updates

SPP, MISO, and PJM, the RTOs serving the MGA footprint, have a variety of transmission planning studies and processes underway. Participants will hear from each of the RTOs on their work underway and initial reactions to FERC Order 1920.

- Christina Drake, Director of Economic and Policy Planning, MISO
- <u>Jason Stanek</u>, Executive Director, Governmental Services, PJM Interconnection
- Sunny Raheem, Manager, Planning and Research, Southwest Power Pool
- Moderator: Matt Prorok, Senior Policy Manager, Great Plains Institute

11:00 am Panel Discussion: Industry Reaction

A panel of Midwestern industry leaders will discuss the current state and future of transmission planning in the Midwest. Panelists will also provide initial reactions to FERC Order 1920 and its implications for their respective planning regions.

- Derek Brown, Senior Manager, Regulatory Affairs, Evergy
- Hannes Pfeifenberger, Principal, Brattle Group
- Beth Soholt, Executive Director, Clean Grid Alliance
- Moderator: Matt Prorok, Senior Policy Manager, Great Plains Institute

12:00 pm Wrap Up and Adjournment