



Alaska Power Association 2010 Legislative Conference

Agenda & Speaker Schedule

March 9-10, 2010, Westmark Baranof Hotel, Treadwell Room

Monday, March 8, 2010

Early registration (*outside Treadwell Room*) **3:45 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.**

NRECA Legislative Conference meeting (*AJ Room*) **3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.**
(*For members planning to attend the NRECA Legislative Conference*)

Tuesday, March 9, 2010

Breakfast (*Treadwell Room*) **7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.**

Federal Legislative briefing by Congressional delegation offices **7:20 a.m.**
Senator Lisa Murkowski (R-Alaska) and Chuck Kleeschulte, Office of Sen. Murkowski
Erik Elam, Office of Congressman Don Young (R-Alaska)
Michael Fox Johnson, Office of Senator Mark Begich (D-Alaska)

APA Legislative Briefing **7:50 a.m.**
Marilyn Leland, Executive Director
Larry Markley, APA lobbyist

House Leadership Panel **8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.**
Speaker Mike Chenault, Speaker of the House of Representatives (R-Nikiski)
Representative Charisse Millett, Co-Chair, House Special Committee on Energy (R-Anchorage)
Representative Bryce Edgmon, Co-Chair, House Special Committee on Energy (D-Dillingham)
Representative Bill Stoltze, Co-Chair, Finance Committee (R-Chugiak, Mat Su) *invited*
Representative Kyle Johansen, House Majority Leader (R-Ketchikan)
Representative Beth Kerttula, House Minority Leader (D-Juneau)
Questions & answers with panelists

Senate Leadership Panel **9:05 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.**
Senator Gary Stevens, Senate President (R-Kodiak)
Senator Lesil McGuire, Chair, Senate Special Committee on Energy (R-Anchorage)
Senator Bill Wielechowski, Co-Chair, Senate Resources Committee (D-Anchorage)
Senator Con Bunde, Senate Minority Leader (R-Anchorage)
Questions & answers with panelists

Visit by Governor Sean Parnell **10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.**

Break **10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.**

Commissioner Panel **10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.**
Commissioner Clark "Click" Bishop, Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development
Commissioner Emil Notti, Alaska Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development
Alice Edwards, Director, Air Quality Division, Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
John Kuterbach, Air Permit Program Manager, Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
Questions & answers with panelists

Tuesday, March 9, 2010 (continued)

Energy Panel

11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Joe Balash, Intergovernmental Coordinator, Alaska Department of Natural Resources

Steve Haagenson, Executive Director, Alaska Energy Authority

Gene Therriault, Senior Policy Advisor on In-State Energy

Questions & answers with panelists

Lunch

12:00 p.m.

Keynote Speaker

12:20 p.m.

Regulatory Commission of Alaska Chairman Robert Pickett

Hill visits

1:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

APA Legislative Reception (*Treadwell Room*)

5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 10, 2010

Breakfast (*Treadwell Room*)

7:15 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.

Denali Commission Presentation

7:30 a.m.

Denali Daniels, Energy Program Manager, Denali Commission

Emerging Technology Project Presentation

8:00 a.m.

Cordova High School students:

Craig Bailer

Danielle Hess

Taylor Kelly

Shannon Lindow

Christina Morrisett

Jessica Smyke

Adam Low, Cordova High School Science Teacher

Rural Caucus Leadership Panel

8:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Sen. Albert Kookesh (D-Angoon)

Sen. Donny Olson (D-Nome)

Rep. Bill Thomas (R-Haines)

Rep. Reggie Joule (D-Kotzebue)

Rep. Woodie Salmon (D-Chalkyitsik)

Questions & answers with panelists

Break

9:15 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

APA Board of Directors meeting (*Treadwell Room*)

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Please be advised the conference schedule is subject to change to accommodate for changes in speaker schedules and committee hearings, or other pertinent issues that may need to be addressed by the membership. APA will make every effort possible to promptly inform attendees of any major adjustments to the schedule.