



MARC 2020 GRAND VISION

JW Marriott – Grand Rapids, MI
June 21-24, 2020

DRAFT AGENDA

Sunday, June 21

1:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Registration Open	JW Marriott Hotel
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Evening Reception	Blue Bridge (outside of hotel)

Monday, June 22

7:30 am – 8:30 am	Buffet Breakfast	JW Marriott Hotel
8:30 am – 11:45 am	Opening Plenary Sessions	JW Marriott Hotel
12:00 pm – 1:15 pm	Lunch (hosted by South Dakota)	Amway Grand Plaza Hotel
1:30 pm – 5:00 pm	Break Out Sessions	JW Marriott Hotel
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Evening Reception	Grand Rapids Public Museum

Tuesday, June 23

7:30 am – 8:30 am	Buffet Breakfast	JW Marriott Hotel
8:30 am – 11:45 am	Keynote and Mainstage Sessions	JW Marriott Hotel
11:45 am – 5:15 pm	Afternoon Tours with Box Lunches	
	Ludington Pumped Storage Facility	Ludington, MI
	SWITCH Data Center	Grand Rapids, MI
	City Sustainability Tour	Grand Rapids, MI
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Evening Reception	Frederick Meijer Gardens and Sculpture Park

Wednesday, June 24

7:30 am – 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast	JW Marriott Hotel
8:30 am - 11:45 am	Mainstage Sessions	JW Marriott Hotel
11:45 am – 12:15 pm	Closing Remarks	JW Marriott Hotel



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CONFIRMED SPEAKERS (unless otherwise noted)

- **Gov. Gretchen Whitmer** (tentative) Governor State of Michigan
- **Dane Parker** Chief Sustainability Officer General Motors
- **Tanuj Deora** VP, Market Development and Regulatory Affairs Uplight
- **Scott Doyle** Executive VP, Natural Gas Distribution CenterPoint Energy
- **Katherine Hamilton** Executive Director Advanced Energy Management Alliance
- **Ann McCabe** Principal and Director, US Programs Regulatory Assistance Project
- **Clair Moeller** President and COO MISO
- **Jerry Norcia** President and CEO DTE Energy
- **Patti Poppe** President and CEO Consumers Energy
- **Marisa Uchin** VP, Regulatory Affairs and Market Development Oracle Utilities

... and many more!



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KEYNOTE AND MAINSTAGE SESSIONS (Titles Pending)

Mainstage Sessions:

- **Building a Customer-Centered Utility Future**
AR PSC Chair Ted Thomas, moderator
- **Energy Infrastructure in a Fast-Changing World**
ND PSC Commissioner Julie Fedorchak, moderator
- **What Regulators Should Know About Financial Markets**
State of Michigan Treasurer Rachael Eubanks, moderator
- **Grid Modernization in the MARC States**
MI PSC Chair Sally Talberg, moderator
- **In the Shadow of President Ford: A Mid-American Vision of a National Energy Strategy**
NARUC Executive Director Greg White, moderator
- **Live Taping of The Energy Gang podcast – or – Energy and Telecommunications in the 2020 Elections**

Breakout Sessions

- **Rural Broadband Expansion**
SD PUC Commissioner Chris Nelson, moderator
- **Smart Cities**
MI PSC Commissioner Tremaine Phillips, moderator
- **Infrastructure: Pipes and Wires**
TX PUC Chairman DeAnn Walker, moderator
- **Infrastructure: Planning to Get it Right**
MO PSC Chair Ryan Silvey, moderator
- **Transportation Electrification**
IL Commerce Commissioner Maria Bocanegra, moderator
- **Dealing with PFAS in Water Regulation**
PSC WI Chair Becky Cameron Valcq, moderator
- **Green Tariffs**
MN PUC Commissioner Matt Schuerger, moderator
- **Equity in the Transition**
AR PSC Commissioner Kim O'Guinn, moderator
- **Gas Safety from Emerging Threats**
OK Corporation Commission Chair Todd Hiett, moderator