

Keynote - FERC Commissioner McNamee; Two Panels: Scaling Up Storage & Seeking Common Ground on Energy September 17, 2019 Bios of Speakers/Moderator



Commissioner Bernard L. McNamee was nominated to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission by President Donald J. Trump in October 2018 and confirmed by the U.S. Senate in December 2018. Before joining the Commission, Commissioner McNamee served in a number of legal and policy positions at the state and federal level throughout his career. He also served at the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) in multiple positions, including Executive Director of the Office of Policy and Deputy General Counsel for Energy Policy.

Prior to that, Commissioner McNamee practiced energy law as a partner and senior counsel with McGuireWoods LLP, in Richmond, Virginia, primarily

representing electric and natural gas utilities before state public utility commissions. He previously served as a policy advisor on energy issues for a United States Senator from Texas, worked at a free-market think tank on energy issues, served four attorneys general in two states (Virginia and Texas), and was a policy advisor to a Virginia governor.

Commissioner McNamee received his bachelor's degree from the University of Virginia and his law degree from Emory University School of Law.



Jason Burwen is Vice President of Policy at the Energy Storage Association, where he leads the U.S. storage industry's federal, RTO, and state policy engagement. Previously, Jason was the Associate Director for Energy Innovation at the Bipartisan Policy Center, where he directed research and advocacy on U.S. energy R&D and tax policy. He also served as staff director of the American Energy Innovation Council, a group of CEOs led by Bill Gates to advocate for greater U.S. federal investments in clean energy technology development. Jason has also consulted to utilities on demand response program design at FSC Group/Nexant and reviewed utility renewable energy procurement contracting for the California Public Utilities Commission.

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Scott Baker is a senior business solutions analyst in the Applied Innovation department of PJM Interconnection and leads PJM's Emerging Technologies Pilot Program. In this role, he evaluates emerging technology and policy issues in the electric power sector and administers technology demonstration projects with PJM members, research institutions, and the industry at large. Recently, this work has focused on PJM market evolution initiatives related to Demand Response, Distributed Energy Resources, Renewables and Energy Storage technologies participating in the PJM Capacity, Energy, and Ancillary Services markets. Prior to joining PJM, Scott

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Scott holds a BS in biology and environmental science from Ithaca College, and a Master of Marine Policy from the University of Delaware.



Anne Hoskins serves as Chief Policy Officer of Sunrun, the largest residential solar and storage company in the United States. She leads Sunrun's policy and market development efforts to expand access to solar energy and storage and to modernize the electric grid. Anne previously served as a Commissioner on the Maryland Public Service Commission and a member of NARUC's Board of Directors and Chair of NARUC's International Relations Committee. She currently serves on the Board of the Solar Energy Industries Association and the Interstate Renewables Energy Council. Anne also led policy advocacy and sustainability for PSEG, served as a Visiting Research Scholar and Instructor at Princeton, and as an attorney at Verizon Wireless.

Anne holds a B.S. in Applied Economics from Cornell, a Master of Public Administration from Princeton, and a J.D. from Harvard Law School.



Maggie Pakula is Director of Regulatory Affairs at Invenergy, overseeing the PJM, NYISO, ISO-NE and ERCOT markets. Invenergy is a global developer of large scale clean energy projects. She brings an interesting perspective to the electricity market design discussion given her extensive experience in asset and market data analysis, modeling, and optimization. Prior to her current role, she developed Invenergy's performance monitoring program and spent several years expanding its markets and commercial analytics group. Maggie will be transitioning into a new role as the Vice President of Strategy at Invenergy.

She holds a B.S. in Engineering from Northwestern and an M.S. in Engineering from Stanford.



W. Mason Emnett is Vice President of Competitive Market Policy at Exelon, the nation's largest producer and distributor of clean energy, where he oversees the development and implementation of federal regulatory strategy. He is responsible for achieving Exelon's policy objectives in matters before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and Environmental Protection Agency. Prior to joining Exelon, Mason was Senior FERC Counsel for NextEra Energy, where he provided legal support and strategic advice on federal regulatory matters. Before joining NextEra, Mason served as Deputy Director of the Office of Energy Policy and Innovation at FERC, where he led the development of regulations and rules governing wholesale electric

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Prior to joining ClearPath, he advised Congressional Republicans on energy, environmental, technology, national security, transportation, and tax policies for

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Prior to joining Third Way, Josh served for more than a decade as a strategist for public advocacy corporate, and political campaigns and was a senior staffer on Capitol Hill. Most recently, Josh was Vice President at GMMB, a social marketing

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Dr. Jonathan Raab, President of Raab Associates, is the convener and moderator of the Energy Policy Roundtable in the PJM Footprint. Since 1996, he has also run the New England Electricity Restructuring Roundtable. A national leader in applying consensus building processes to energy, environmental, and regulatory issues, some of his major cases include: the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI); the New England Demand Response Initiative (NEDRI); market rules for Alberta; the stakeholder process redesigns for PJM and MISO; and Grid Modernization in several states. He has also run stakeholder processes for U.S.

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Prior to establishing Raab Associates, Jonathan was the Assistant Director of the Electric Power Division at the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities. He holds a Ph.D. from MIT, and an M.S. and A.B. from Stanford. Jonathan has taught courses at the University of Oregon, Stanford, UMass (Boston) and MIT. He is the author of *Using Consensus Building to Improve Utility Regulation*.