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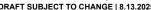


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Monday,	August 2	5, 2025			
Start	End	Event	Session Title	Moderator & Speakers	Room
1:00 PM	6:00 PM	WEC Registration Open			Lodges at Deer Valley - Hotel Lobby
4:30 PM	6:00 PM	WEC Opening Session	Welcome, Overview of Programming & Opening Session -Introductions and Legislative Background Share Out -Lifeline Grounding Exercise -2025 Energy Policy Legislative Landscape		Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
6:00 PM	7:00 PM	Welcome Reception			Lodges at Deer Valley - Main Patio
7:00 PM	9:00 PM	Opening Dinner			Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
7:30 PM	8:15 PM	Panel Conversation	Grappling with Wildfire Liability: State Policy Approaches	Michele Beck - UT Office of Consumer Services Lee Ann Alexander - APCIA Josh Jones - PacifiCorp Chris Hansen - IWE Chair & CEO of LPEA	Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
9:00 PM	10:30 PM	Nightcap			Lodge at Deer Valley - Brass Tag
Tuesday,	, August 2	26, 2025			
Start	End	Event	Session Title	Moderator & Speakers	Room
8:00 AM		Breakfast Buffet			Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
8:30 AM	9:10 AM	Presentation	The State of the Grid: Load Growth Projections and Western Transmission Needs	Kristine Raper - WECC Keegan Moyer - Energy Strategies	Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
9:10 AM	9:20 AM	Break			
9:20 AM	10:20 AM	General Session	Barriers to New Transmission	Planning: Stacey Crowley - CAISO Permitting: Bryant Coon - Grid United Paying: Carrie Simpson - SPP	Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
10:20 AM	10:30 AM	Transition			
10:30 AM	12:00 PM	Group Breakout - Zion			Lodges at Deer Valley - Oak A
10:30 AM	12:00 PM	Group Breakout - Arches			Lodges at Deer Valley - Oak B
10:30 AM	12:00 PM	Group Breakout - Canyonlands			Lodges at Deer Valley - Aspen Boardroom
12:00 PM		Lunch Buffet			Lodges at Deer Valley - Main Patio
12:30 PM	1:15 PM	Small Group Discussion	Regional Coordination Discussion		Lodges at Deer Valley - Main Patio
1:15 PM	2:00 PM	General Session	Beyond Electricity: Western Pipeline Infrastructure Needs	Peter Holran - Enbridge	Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
2:00 PM	2:45 PM	General Session	GETs and High Performance Conductors	Julia Selker - WATT Coalition	Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
2:45 PM	3:00 PM	Break			
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	General Session	Advanced Dispatchable Energy Generation & Storage	Storage: Natalie Labrador - Invenergy Nuclear: Laura Nelson - Idaho National Labs	Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
4:00 PM	4:15 PM	Transition			
4:15 PM	5:00 PM	Group Breakout - Zion			Lodges at Deer Valley - Oak A
4:15 PM	5:00 PM	Group Breakout - Arches			Lodges at Deer Valley - Oak B
4:15 PM	5:00 PM	Group Breakout - Canyonlands			Lodges at Deer Valley - Aspen Boardroom
5:00 PM	5:15 PM	Group Shareout			Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A&B
5:15 PM	5:30 PM	Transition			
5:30 PM	6:45 PM	Reception			Snow Park Lodge
7:00 PM	9:00 PM	Off-site Dinner & Panel Conversation	Grid Resiliency Fireside Chat	Moderator Chris Hansen - Chair of IWE & CEO of LPEA Annette Price - VP of Pacific Power Government Affairs Thom Carter - VP of Rocky Mountain Power Government Affairs	Snow Park Lodge
9:30 PM	11:00 PM	Nightcap			Lodge at Deer Valley - Brass Tag

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	Vednesday, August 27, 2025								
Start	End	Event	Session Title	Moderator & Speakers	Room				
8:00 AM		Breakfast Buffet			Lodges at Deer Valley - Evergreen				
8:45 AM	9:45 AM	Welcome Remarks and Opening Session	Tribal Energy Development in the West	Moderator Chris Hansen - Chair of IWE & CEO of LPEA Robert Lee - Senior Advisor, Southern Ute Growth Fund Connie Paoletti - Senior Director, Transmission & Power Markets, Navajo Transitional Energy Company	Lodges at Deer Valley - Evergreen				
10:00 AM	11:15 AM	Group Breakout Sessions	Policy Meets Practice: Connecting Legislative Perspectives with Industry Innovation		Lodges at Deer Valley - Spruce A, Spruce E Oak A, Oak B, Aspen Boardroom				
11:15 AM	11:30 AM	Transition							
11:15 AM		Lunch Buffet			Lodges at Deer Valley - Evergreen				
11:45 AM	12:30 PM	Afternoon General Session & Lunch	Luncheon Keynote: Operation Gigawatt	Utah Governor Spencer Cox	Lodges at Deer Valley - Evergreen				
1:00 PM	1:30 PM	WEC Close Out Conversation			Lodges at Deer Valley - Evergreen				

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