



## AGENDA

**Event: April 1, 2015 (Wednesday)**

**Location: Historic Davenport Hotel**

**10 S Post Street, Spokane, WA 99201**

**Marie Antoinette Room**

**8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.**

**Arrival and Registration**

Coffee and morning refreshments

**8:30 a.m. – 8:40 a.m.**

**Welcome and Opening Remarks**

**PNNL Welcome – Jud Virden**, Associate Laboratory Director for Energy and Environment Directorate (EED), PNNL

**Avista Welcome – Don Kopczynski**, Vice President, Avista Corp.

**8:40 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.**

**Comments by:**

**Steven Ashby**, Director, PNNL

**Cathy McMorris Rodgers**, U.S. Representative (WA – 5<sup>th</sup> District)

**Pat Hoffman**, Assistant Secretary, U.S. DOE Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability

**Elliot Mainzer**, Administrator of the Bonneville Power Administration

**9:45 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.**

**Overview of Project Accomplishments** by **Ron Melton**; Pacific Northwest Smart Grid Demonstration Project Director

**10:05 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.**

**Morning Break** hosted by IBM

**10:15 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.**

**Utility Impacts – Lessons Learned Panel**

This panel session will focus on sharing information such as accomplishments,

lessons learned and smart grid benefits that should be of value to other utilities.

Moderator **Heather Rosentrater**, Director of Engineering, Avista

- Avista – **Curt Kirkeby**, Sr. Electrical Engineer - Applications Manager
- Idaho Falls Power – **Mark Reed**, Generation & Operations Superintendent, Smart Grid Project Manager
- Flathead – **Teri Rayome-Kelly**, Demand Response Coordinator
- Portland General Electric – **Wayne Lei**, Director of Environmental Affairs

**11:25 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.**

**Exhibits – Flowerfield Room**

**12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.**

**Lunch hosted by Itron – Isabella Room**

**Maria Cantwell**; U.S. Senator, State of Washington

**1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**Project-Level Infrastructure Panel**

The panel will discuss the project-level infrastructure participants' roles in the demonstration. Panelists include:

Moderator: Ron Melton, PNNL

- QualityLogic – **James Mater**, Founder and Director
- Vaisala – **Pascal Storck**, Chief Operating Officer
- Alstom Grid - **John Lelivelt**, Senior Project Manager
- IBM – **Ron Ambrosio**, IBM Distinguished Engineer and Chief Technology Officer for IBM's Smarter Energy Research
- Spirae – **Julie Zinn**, Chief Operations Officer

**2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

**Talk – Transactive Signal / Value and Benefits to the Region**

**Rob Pratt**, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory

**3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

**Afternoon Break hosted by IBM and Exhibits – Flowerfield Room**

**3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

**Panel Discussion – View of the Future for the Region**

Moderator: **Jud Virden**, Associate Laboratory Director for Energy and Environment Directorate (EED), PNNL

Panelist will include:

- **Carl Imhoff**, Manager of the Electricity Infrastructure Market Sector Energy and Environment Directorate, PNNL
- **Brian Young**, Director of Economic Development for the Clean Technology Sector of Washington State
- **Jackie Flowers**, General Manager, Idaho Falls Power
- **Mike Atkinson**, North America President, Alstom Grid Inc.
- **Elliot Mainzer**, Administrator, Bonneville Power Administration

Panelists will discuss their views on the future challenges and opportunities for the regional power system and how they relate to continued opportunity for demonstrating regional and national leadership in grid modernization.

<b>4:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Closing Remarks - Jud Virden</b> , Associate Laboratory Director for Energy and Environment Directorate (EED), PNNL
<b>4:45 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Evening Reception hosted by Alstom Grid – Flowerfield Room</b>
<b>5:45 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Evening Break</b>
<b>6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Dinner hosted by Avista Utilities – Isabella Room</b> Recognition of Project Participants Closing Comments by Don Kopczynski, Vice President, Avista Corp.

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