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7:30 - 8:30	Lobby Area	Conference Registration in Lobby	Lobby Area	Conference Registration in Lobby	Lobby Area	Conference Registration in Lobby
Time	Place	General Session	Place	General Session	Place	General Session
8:30 - 8:45		Welcome, Presentation of Colors, Pledge of Allegiance Kearney Mayor Stanley Clouse NE Wind Working Group Co-Chairs Senator Cap Dierks, Legislative District #40		John Hansen, President, Nebraska Farmers Union		Dan McGuire, Facilitator, NREL/DOE NE Wind for Schools
8:45 – 10:30		Nebraska Wind Power Basics <i>Moderator: John Hansen NE Wind Working Group Co-Chair</i> Public Power 101 Kevin Wailes, CEO Lincoln Electric System Wind Speeds and the Power Curve Dr. Jerry Hudgins, Chair, UNL Electrical Engineering Department A Developer’s Perspective on Project Siting Issues Patrick Dalseth, Project Developer Midwest Wind Energy, LLC Nebraska Public Power District’s Approach To Wind Development John O’Connor, Renewable Energy Development Project Manager, NPPD				
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11:00 - 11:45		<p>Nebraska Wind Development Progress Report</p> <p><i>Moderator: Senator Cap Dierks, NE Wind Working Group Co-Chair</i></p> <p>David Rich, Renewable Energy Development Manager Nebraska Public Power District</p> <p>Dean Mueller, Division Manager, Sustainable Energy and Environmental Stewardship, Omaha Public Power District</p>		<p>Working With Landowners</p> <p><i>Moderator: Senator Annette Dubas, LD34</i></p> <p>Jude Beller, Attorney Husch, Blackwell & Sanders</p> <p>David Levy, Project Developer Legal Counsel, Baird Holm LLP</p> <p>Stephen Bruckner, Partner, Fraser Stryker PC LLO</p>		<p>Small Wind Siting Considerations</p> <p><i>Moderator: Danielle Jensen, Public & Legislative Liaison, Nebraska Energy Office</i></p> <p>R. Nolan Clark, Small Wind Consultant, Amarillo, Texas</p>
12:00 - 1:15		<p>Lunch</p> <p>Keynote Speaker: James A. Walker</p>		<p>Lunch</p> <p>Keynote Speaker: James A. Walker</p>		<p>Lunch</p> <p>Keynote Speaker: James A. Walker</p>
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1:25 - 2:10		<p>NPA/NREL “Wind Integration Task Force” Report Update</p> <p><i>Moderator: Marc Nichols, Omaha</i></p> <p>Bob Zavadil, Study Project Manager EnerNex Corporation</p> <p>David Rich, Renewable Energy Development Manager, Nebraska Public Power District</p>				<p>Net Metering in Nebraska - LB436</p> <p><i>Moderator: Ken Winston, Lobbyist Nebraska Sierra Club</i></p> <p>Senator Ken Haar, LD 21 LB436 Sponsor</p> <p>Kristen Gottschalk, Government Relations Director NE Rural Electric Association</p> <p>Chris Dibbern, General Counsel Nebraska Municipal Power Pool</p>

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2:15 - 3:00		Community Wind Incentives <i>Moderator: Dan McGuire</i> NE Wind Working Group Co-Chair Thomas A. Wind , PE, Wind Utility Consulting, PC, Jamaica, Iowa James A. Walker , Chair, AWEA Community Wind Committee Carlsbad, California Dan Juhl , CEO, Juhl Wind, Inc., Woodstock, Minnesota				Small Wind Turbine Selection “Sorting Through the Spin” <i>Moderator: Dave Dingman,</i> <i>Energy Policy Advisor</i> <i>Nebraska Energy Office</i> R. Nolan Clark , Small Wind Consultant, Amarillo, Texas
3:00 – 3:30	Exhibit Area	Afternoon Break	Exhibit Area	Afternoon Break	Exhibit Area	Afternoon Break
3:30- 4:15		Working With the Southwest Power Pool (SPP) <i>Moderator : Marc Nichols, Omaha</i> Pat Bourne , Director of Transmission Policy, SPP Pat Pope , Vice President & Chief Operating Officer, NPPD, & Nebraska Representative to SPP		Wind Financing “The Dance Continues...” <i>Moderator: Rich Lombardi, Lobbyist,</i> <i>American Wind Energy Association</i> David Bracht , Partner, Husch, Blackwell & Sanders P. Brian Bartels , Attorney Fraser Stryker PC LLO David Levy , Project Developer Legal Counsel, Baird Holm, LLP		Moving Small Wind Development Forward Roundtable Discussion <i>Moderator: Senator Ken Haar, LD 21</i> R. Nolan Clark , Small Wind Consultant, Amarillo, Texas Michael Shonka , Solar, Heat & Electric Ed Toribio , Home Energy Alternatives Robert Byrnes , Chairman Nebraska Renewable Energy Association
4:25– 5:15		What Does LB 1048 Do? <i>Moderator: Senator Chris Langemeier, LD23</i> Tim Texel , Executive Director Nebraska Power Review Board Andy Pollock , Nebraska Energy Export Association		Renewable Energy Incentives <i>Moderator: Dean Mueller, Division Manager, Sustainable Energy and Environmental Stewardship, OPPD</i> Bruce Hauschild , Energy Technical Advisor, Nebraska Energy Office Deb Yocum , USDA Rural Development Thomas A. Wind , PE, Wind Utility Consulting, PC, Jamaica, Iowa		County Planning and Zoning Issues For Large and Small Wind <i>Moderator: Danielle Jensen, Public & Legislative Liaison Nebraska Energy Office</i> John Richards , Engineer, NPPD Hank Thieman , Boone County Commissioner Graham Christensen , Burt County Keith Marvin , Marvin Planning Consultants
5:15 – 7:15	Exhibit Area	Reception	Exhibit Area	Reception	Exhibit Area	Reception

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7:30 – 9:00	Exhibit Area	Breakfast Exhibits & Registration Open	Exhibit Area	Breakfast Exhibits & Registration Open	Exhibit Area	Breakfast Exhibits & Registration Open
9:00 – 10:00		Landowner Associations Issues <i>Moderator: Graham Christensen Public Affairs Director, Nebraska Farmers Union</i> David Vavra , Saline County Wind Association Jim Young , Banner County Wind Energy Association, LLC Andy Pollock , Nebraska Energy Export Association		Moving Nebraska Wind Development Forward Round Table Discussion <i>Moderator: John Hansen, NE Wind Working Group Co-Chair</i> Tom Swierczewski , Senior Project Developer, Midwest Wind Energy Dan Juhl , CEO, Juhl Wind, Inc. Jim Kutey , Chief Development Officer, Third Planet Windpower		Wind for Schools <i>Moderator: Dan McGuire NREL/WPA Nebraska Wind for Schools Facilitator</i> Larry Flowers , NREL/DOE Wind for Schools Program Leader Joel Jacobs , Assistant Director of UNL Wind Application Center Ken Navratil , Superintendent, Elkhorn Valley Schools, Tilden Chad Johnson , Community Relations/Education Specialist, NPPD
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10:30 – 11:50		Landowner Wind Generation Ownership Options <i>Moderator: John Hansen, NE Wind Working Group Co-Chair</i> Jeff Nelson , General Manager East River Electric Power Cooperative, Madison, South Dakota Dan Juhl , CEO, Juhl Wind, Inc Woodstock, Minnesota David Malleck , Partner Own Energy, Brooklyn, New York		Moving Nebraska Wind Development Forward Roundtable Discussion <i>Moderator: Ginger Willson, Director Nebraska Energy Office</i> Senator Chris Langemeier, LD23 Senator Annette Dubas, LD34 Senator Cap Dierks, LD40 Senator Heath Mello, LD5 Senator Ken Haar, LD21 Senator Ken Schilz, LD47		Wind Training Programs in Nebraska: Serving Nebraska's Growing Wind Industry <i>Moderator: Dr. Jerry Hudgins, Dir. UNL Wind Applications Center</i> Lyle Kathol , Dean of Applied Technology, Northeast Community College, Norfolk Dean Anderson , Carpenters Union Doug Mader , Business & Industry Curriculum & Training Specialist, Western Nebraska Community College, Scottsbluff Foster Weyand , International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers
12:00 – 1:15		Lunch Keynote Speaker: Lt. Governor Rick Sheehy		Lunch Keynote Speaker: Lt. Governor Rick Sheehy		Lunch Keynote Speaker: Lt. Governor Rick Sheehy

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1:25 – 2:20		<p>Growing the Grid-The Wind Farm to Market Highway</p> <p><i>Moderator: James Walker Past President of AWEA</i></p> <p>Bob Zavadil, Study Project Manager EnerNex Corporation</p> <p>Pat Bourne Director of Transmission Policy Southwest Power Pool</p> <p>Hans Detweiler Director of Development Clean Line Energy Partners</p> <p>Jim Hotovy, Transmission Service Consultant, NPPD</p>				<p>Nebraska Higher Education Wind Energy and Career Development Opportunities</p> <p><i>Moderator: Dan McGuire, Facilitator NREL/DOE NE Wind for Schools</i></p> <p>Dr. Jerry Hudgins, Chairman Department of Electrical Engineering, University of Nebraska-Lincoln</p> <p>John Pierce, Program Chair, Electronic Systems Technology, Southeast Community College</p> <p>Kevin Miller, Associate Professor, Department of Applied Technology, Chadron State College</p>
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3:00 – 3:45		<p>Maximizing The Nebraska Economic Benefits Of Wind Energy Development Roundtable</p> <p><i>Moderator: Ginger Willson, Director Nebraska Energy Office</i></p> <p>Larry Flowers, Wind Powering America, NREL</p> <p>Adam Herink, Assistant Vice President, Boyd Jones Construction</p> <p>Kevin Strudthoff, President & CEO, Katana Summit, LLC</p> <p>C.D. Smith, Triad Windgen</p> <p>Foster Weyand, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers</p>		<p>Environmental & Wildlife Considerations for Wind Projects & the Permitting Process</p> <p><i>Moderator: Dave Dingman, Energy Policy Advisor, Nebraska Energy Office</i></p> <p>State: Michelle Koch Nebraska Game & Parks Commission</p> <p>Federal: Robert Harms US Fish & Wildlife Service</p> <p>Regional: Rachel Simpson Nebraska Game & Parks Commission</p>		
3:45-		General Wrap Up		General Wrap Up		General Wrap Up

