

Agenda

Cap & Trade Summit “Is Waxman-Markey Good for Texas?”

September 22, 2009
Summit begins at 9:00 AM

Capitol Extension Auditorium – Room E1.004
1400 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas 78701

9:05 - Introductory remarks by Texas Governor Rick Perry

9:15 – Remarks by Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples

9:25 - Opening remarks by members of the Railroad Commission of Texas, Public Utility Commission of Texas, and the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

9:50 - Martin Hubert – Texas Comptroller’s Office

10:00 - Panel 1 Academic/Not for Profit/“Think Tank”

- * Michelle Michot Foss – UT Center for Energy Economics, Bureau of Economic Geology
- * Karen Campbell – The Heritage Foundation
- * Margo Thorning – American Council for Capital Formation (ACCF)
- * Kathleen White – Texas Public Policy Foundation
- * Eric Bickel – Center for International Energy and Environmental Policy, University of Texas

11:15 - Panel 2 Manufacturing, Refining & Agricultural

- * Tom Pauken – Texas Workforce Commission
- * Jim Greenwood – Valero
- * Joe Leathers – 6666 Ranch
- * Luke Bellsnyder – Executive Director Texas Association of Manufacturers

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1:30 - Panel 3 Oil, Gas & Coal

- * Brian Woodard -Devon Energy Corporation
- * Ben Sebree – Texas Oil & Gas Association
- * Bill Stevens - VP, Texas Alliance of Energy Producers
- * J. Denny Kingsley - Texas Westmoreland Coal Co.

2:45 - Panel 4 Electric Utilities

- * Dennis Welch– AEP

- * Kevin Howell - NRG
- * Jim Burke –TXU Energy
- * Rocky Miracle – El Paso Electric
- * David Campbell - Luminant

4:00 - Panel 5 Environmental/Renewable/Consumer

- * Michael Webber - Professor UT Department of Mechanical Engineering and Center for International Energy and Environmental Policy
- * Paul Sadler - The Wind Coalition
- * Bob Avant – Program Director Texas AgriLife Research Texas A&M University
- * Robert Webb - Texas Renewable Energy Industries Association
- * Barbara Budde – Catholic Diocese of Austin
- * Tom “Smitty” Smith – Public Citizen

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