AGENDA

Theme – Understanding Risk for Reliability & Compliance

Wednesday, July 26, 2023 | 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Central

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast and Networking
9:00 a.m. – 9:20 a.m.	Conference Welcome
	Cris Zimmerman, Mgr Outreach & Stakeholder Engagement, MRO
	Emcee: Matt Caves, VP Legal & Regulatory Compliance, WFEC
	CMEPAC Chair: Terri Pyle, Director, Utility Operation Compliance & NERC Compliance Officer, OG&E
9:20 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	MRO Executive: Ensuring Bulk Power System Security and Reliability <i>Lam Chung, VP and Engineer for Strategy, Innovation and Finance</i>
9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Keynote Speaker: Reliability Risks – Cold Weather, Inverter Based Resources, Facility Ratings & Physical Security Howard Gugel, VP Compliance Assurance & Registration, NERC
10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Morning Break
10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Compliance & Enforcement Report
	Tasha Ward, Dir, Compliance Monitoring & External Affairs Enforcement, MRO
11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Demonstrated Positive Performance
	Jess Syring, Compliance Monitoring, Manger, CIP, MRO
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch Break
1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Incentive Rate Treatment for Cyber Investments
	David Defalaise, Office of Electric Reliability (OER), FERC
1:45 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	BCSI in the Cloud (Project 2019-02) Josh Powers, Lead CMEP Specialist, Compliance, SPP
2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Virtualization (Project 2016-02) Sharon Koller, Lead Compliance Strategist & CIP Sr. Mgr. ATC
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2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Afternoon Break
3:00 p.m. – 3:20 p.m.	CIP-014 Update Sam Zewdie, Principal Compliance Engineer, O&P, MRO
3:20 p.m. – 3: 30 p.m.	Streamlining Standards Development Process Overview
	Amy Casuscelli, Mgr Reliability Assurance & Risk Management, Xcel Energy
3:30 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.	Cold Weather Standards Outreach
	Brad Pabian, Mgr. Maintenance, Ghent Generating Station, LG&E- KU
3:50 p.m. – 4:20 p.m.	Status Report from NERC Facility Ratings Task Force (FRTF)
	Jeremy Harris, Manager Transmission Operations Planning – Evergy
4:20 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Conference Closing Matt Caves, Emcee & Terri Pyle, CMEPAC Chair

