

New England Electricity Restructuring Roundtable (#156)

Two Keynote Addresses from FERC and ISO New England; and Panel on Improving Energy Facility Siting & Permitting in New England

Friday, December 15, 2017, 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

Host: Foley Hoag, 13th Floor Conference Room, 155 Seaport Boulevard, Boston

Convener/Moderator: Dr. Jonathan Raab, Raab Associates, Ltd.

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Agenda

9:00 **Welcome and Introductions—Dr. Jonathan Raab**

9:05 **Two Keynote Addresses**

Commissioner Cheryl LaFleur, FERC

Policy Pressures on Wholesale Competitive Markets: FERC in the Hot Seat

Gordon van Welie, President and CEO, ISO New England

New England Wholesale Markets at the Crossroads: The Challenge of Integrating Public Policy and Fuel Security Objectives

10:05 **Break**

10:30 **Improving Energy Facility Siting and Permitting in New England
(Generation/Renewables, Transmission, and Pipelines)**

Southern State: Patrick Woodcock, Assistant Secretary for Energy, MA EEA

Northern State: Thomas Burack, Attorney, Sheehan Phinney (former Commissioner NH DES and Chair of NH Energy Facility Site Evaluation Committee)

Academic: Professor Lawrence Susskind, MIT

Environmental: Bradley Campbell, President, CLF

Developer: Mary Usovicz, President, MU Connections

12:30 **Adjourn**

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