

Washington Rural Electric Cooperative Association 2016 Annual Meeting

Tuesday, June 14

7:00 – 8:30 – Breakfast Hosted by General Pacific & CoBank

8:00 – Registration

8:30 a.m. - First Session Jerry Walter Presiding
President, WRECA

Opening Address Rep. Brad Klippert
8th Legislative District
Kennewick, WA

**Keynote Address: Another Election Year and
The Implications of a New President and
A New Congress** Deborah Sliz, President & CEO
Morgan Meguire
Washington, DC

Refreshment Break

**Making Electric Co-ops Heard
In the Noise of Politics** Amanda Wolfe, Sr. Grassroots Data Advisor
National Rural Electric Cooperative Association
Arlington, VA

Noon – Lunch Hosted by NRTC

1:30 p.m. - Second Session Jerry Walter Presiding

**The “Big One” – What, When
And Where** Yumei Wang, Geotechnical Engineer
Department of Geology and Mineral Industries
Salem, OR

Refreshment Break

Our Nuclear Neighbor Brad Sawatzke, COO & Chief Nuclear Officer
Energy Northwest
Richland, WA

**Washington Youth in the
Other Washington** Lisa Peabody, Executive Assistant
Tanner Electric Cooperative
North Bend, WA

6:00 p.m. – Reception

6:30 p.m. – Dinner Hosted by Federated Rural Insurance Exchange

WECPAC Auction

Wednesday, June 15

7:00 – 8:30 – Breakfast Hosted by General Pacific & CoBank

8:30 a.m. - Third Session Jerry Walter Presiding

WRECA Annual Membership Business Meeting

PNUCC’s Role and Impact Shauna McReynolds, Executive Director
Pacific Northwest Utilities Conference Committee
Portland, OR

**The National Lab In
The Pacific Northwest** Jud Virden, Assistant Laboratory Director
Pacific Northwest National Laboratory
Richland, WA

Refreshment Break

**Ouch! The Recent Ruling on
The Salmon BiOp** Terry Flores, Executive Director
Northwest RiverPartners
Portland, OR

BPA: Looking Ahead Elliot Mainzer, Administrator
Bonneville Power Administration
Portland, OR

Adjournment