

OPEN SESSION

Hilton Garden Inn
235 Hoosick St, Troy, NY 12180
Friday November 20
9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

With the release of EPA’s Clean Power Plan, New York State has roughly one year to adopt a State Implementation Plan to achieve compliance with specific carbon dioxide (CO₂) emissions reduction goals. Implementation plans developed by states may be state-specific, but broader regional efforts are likely to be more efficient and effective mechanisms to achieve compliance. New York’s participation in the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI) provides valuable experience with regional collaboration and may serve as a vehicle or model for compliance with EPA’s rule. The discussion will be geared toward identifying the pros and cons of various compliance strategies New York could pursue in the context of the NYISO’s competitive wholesale markets, New York’s participation in RGGI, and the approach toward compliance likely to be pursued by other states.

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| 9:30 – 9:45 | Welcome <i>Bradley C. Jones, President & CEO</i> NYISO |
| 9:45 – 10:30 | NYISO Overview: The Role of Transmission Expansion in Renewable Energy and CPP Compliance Rich Dewey, Executive Vice President NYISO |
| 10:30 – 11:15 | What the CPP Means for New York <i>Peter Carney, NYISO</i> |
| 11:15 – 11:30 | Break |
| 11:30 – 12:30 | Paths to Compliance: Pros and Cons for New York <i>Vic Niemeyer, EPRI</i> EAC Member |
| 12:30 – 1:15 | Lunch |
| 1:15 – 2:30 | Paths to Compliance: Pros and Cons for New York <i>Karen Palmer, Resources for the Future</i> EAC Member |
| 2:30 | Adjourn Open Session |
| 2:40 – 3:30 | Executive Session |