Legislative Energy Commission



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> Executive Director Updates March 3, 2016

Energy news updates

Any legislators and staff can receive weekly updates with highlights of energy news from Minnesota, the U.S., and around the world. Contact Annie Levenson-Falk to sign up.

Minnesota energy policy background

LEC staff is preparing background on energy and energy policy in Minnesota. Beginning with short answers to questions posed by legislators in 2015, staff is now compiling a single document that is intended to serve as an introduction to and overview of the topic. The document will be shared with LEC members and available publicly on the commission's website.

Information and analysis for legislators

LEC staff is available as a resource to any legislator or legislative staff for questions on energy policy during the session and throughout the year.

Clean Power Plan

LEC staff is preparing a "frequently asked questions" document on the Clean Power Plan and its legal status. The document will be shared with LEC members and publicly available.

Minnesota's 2025 Energy Action Plan

The LEC continues to partner with Dept. of Commerce to develop an action plan to scale up highpotential energy technologies and strategies over the next 10 years. We are working with Minnesota businesses, energy companies, and other stakeholders as well as the Great Plains Institute, LHB Inc., and Rocky Mountain Institute. The action plan is due out in late spring/summer 2016. Complete information on the project can be found at <u>http://www.lec.leg.mn/projects/2025.html</u>.

Upcoming LEC meetings

No meetings are scheduled at this time.

For more information or to provide input on any of the above, contact Annie Levenson-Falk: <u>annie.levensonfalk@lec.leg.mn</u>, 651-297-7137.