2018 Landscape Discussion on Energy Law & Policy in the Rockies

Hosted by:
University of Wyoming School of Energy Resources and UW College of Law’s Center for Law and Energy Resources in the Rockies
in Collaboration with the Energy and Natural Resources Section of the Wyoming State Bar

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MARIAN H. ROCHELLE GATEWAY CENTER
222 SOUTH 22ND STREET, LARAMIE, WY 82070

7:00 – 8:00  Registration Open/Breakfast Available
8:00 – 8:15  Welcome by President Nichols
8:15 – 8:35  Welcome by Governor Dave Freudenthal (Freudenthal Law Office)

8:35 – 10:45  Panel 1: NEPA Expediting for Energy Infrastructure

Moderator:
• Sam Kalen (University of Wyoming, College of Law)

Keynote:
• Ted Boling (CEQ)

Panelist:
• Jason Hill (Department of Interior)
• Megan Ceronsky (Center for Applied Environmental Law and Policy)
• Justin Pidot (University of Colorado, School of Law)
• Connie Rogers (Davis Graham and Stubbs)

10:45 – 11:00 Networking Break

11-12:30  Panel 2: Current Issues Facing the Oil and Gas Industry

Moderator:
• Tara Righetti (University of Wyoming, College of Law)

- Climate Change Policy Through Litigation: Dessa Reimer (Holland and Hart)
- Regulatory Uncertainty in Venting and Flaring and Hydraulic Fracking: Mark Barron (BakerHoestetler)
- Wildlife Law & Oil and Gas: Mike McGrady (Office of Governor Mead)
- Operatorship and Permitting: Jake Haseman (Throne Law Office)
12:30 – 1:00  Lunch

Wyoming State Bar ENR Section Presentation
Salt Creek Energy Scholarship Presentation

1:00 – 1:45  Keynote

- David Bernhardt, Deputy Secretary of the Department of Interior

1:45 – 2:00  Networking Break

2:00 – 3:45  **Panel 3: Renewable & Transmission Infrastructure**

Moderator:
- KK DuVivier, (University of Denver, Strum College of Law)

Panelist:
- Alice Jackson (Xcel)
- Rob Godby (University of Wyoming)
- Chad Teply (Rocky Mountain Power)
- David Smith (Power Company of Wyoming)

3:45 – 4:00 Conclusion