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SETTING THE STAGE REMARKS



Brandon Presley

***President,* National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners**
***Commissioner, Northern District,* Mississippi Public Service Commission**

Commissioner Brandon Presley was elected Public Service Commissioner for the Northern District of Mississippi in 2007, re-elected in 2011, 2015 and most recently in 2019 without opposition. Elected to the Public Service Commission at age 30, he was the youngest Commissioner ever elected in Mississippi. Prior to his election to the Public Service Commission, he served as Mayor of Nettleton from 2001 to 2007, having been elected at the age of 23, making him one of the youngest mayors in Mississippi history.

Commissioner Presley currently serves as President of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) and on the advisory committees for New Mexico State University's Center for Public Utilities and the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO). He has also served as President of the Southeastern Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, which is composed of Public Service Commissioners from the eleven (11) Southern States and Puerto Rico, and is a former member of the board of directors of the National Regulatory Research Institute (NRRI).

Commissioner Presley is a graduate of Harvard University's Kennedy School program for State and Local Government Executives.

Commissioner Presley is a lifelong resident of Nettleton, where he is a member of the Enon Primitive Baptist Church. He is past-President and current member of the Nettleton Lions Club and is a member of the Nettleton Civitan Club.

WORKING TOGETHER TO SUPPORT ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS THROUGH UNPRECEDENTED CHALLENGES

Moderator



Jason M. Stanek

Chairman
Maryland Public Service Commission

Jason M. Stanek was appointed Chairman of the Maryland Public Service Commission by Governor Larry Hogan for a five-year term beginning on July 1, 2018.

He most recently served as Senior Counsel to the Energy Subcommittee of the U.S. House of Representatives' Committee on Energy and Commerce where he advised on matters involving national energy policy, with specific focus on electricity issues and the operations of the regional power markets. Before that, he served in senior positions at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), advising both a FERC Chairman and Commissioner during his 16-year tenure. Prior to arriving in Washington D.C., he held legal positions with the National Fuel Gas Company in Buffalo, New York, and the Commodity Futures Trading Commission in New York City.

Chairman Stanek is a member of the Committee on Electricity and the Committee on International Relations for the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC). He also serves on the Board of Directors for the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI), is a member of the Center for Public Utilities Advisory Council and the Critical Consumer Issues Forum (CCIF) Advisory Committee.

Chairman Stanek earned his law degree from the State University of New York at Buffalo and a bachelor's degree from Tulane University. He also completed studies at American University and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

He is admitted to practice law in New York. He lives in Riverdale, Maryland.

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Panelists



Tremaine L. Phillips
Commissioner
Michigan Public Service Commission

Tremaine L. Phillips was appointed by Governor Gretchen Whitmer to the Michigan Public Service Commission on September 9, 2019. His term ends on July 2, 2025.

Prior to his appointment, Commissioner Phillips worked in the public and private sectors to accelerate the nation's transition to clean, renewable, and reliable energy resources. Most recently, he served as the Director of Cincinnati 2030 District, leading the organization to become one of the largest and most engaged 2030 Districts in the country. As Vice President of Strategic Initiatives for EmpowerSaves, a Columbus-based energy efficiency data analytics and marketing company, he was recognized in 2016 as an emerging clean energy leader through the Midwest Energy News's "40 Under 40" award. He previously worked for the Prima Civitas Foundation, the State of Michigan's Department of Energy, Labor, & Economic Growth, and the Michigan Environmental Council. He also spent a summer in Washington D.C. as an intern with the Obama Administration's White House Council on Environmental Quality, working to advance climate and clean energy policies, including the Clean Power Plan.

Commissioner Phillips is a member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) and serves on its Committee on Consumers and the Public Interest, the Committee on Telecommunications, and the Committee on Critical Infrastructure. He also serves on the board of directors of the Organization of PJM States and represents the Commission on Governor Gretchen Whitmer's Michigan Poverty Task Force. In February 2020 he was appointed to serve on the NARUC Broadband Expansion Task Force, a two-year effort to identify best practices and solutions to improving broadband access in underserved communities throughout the country.

Mr. Phillips is a graduate of Michigan State University and The Ohio State University, where he received his Juris Doctorate from the Moritz College of Law and a M.A. in Public Policy and Management from the John Glenn College of Public Affairs.



Christopher J. Ayers
Executive Director
North Carolina Utilities Commission Public Staff

Christopher J. Ayers has served as Executive Director of the North Carolina Utilities Commission Public Staff since July 1, 2013. The Public Staff represents the using and consuming public in electric, gas, water, and wastewater matters before the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

Prior to joining the Public Staff, he practiced law in Raleigh, North Carolina with the law firm of Poyner Spruill LLP from June 2009 to July 2013 and Hunton & Williams LLP from August 2003 to June 2009, where he focused on utilities regulation, environmental, and administrative law.

Mr. Ayers currently serves as Vice President of the National Association of State Utility Consumer Advocates (NASUCA). He also serves on the Consumer Advocates for the PJM States Board of Directors, the Department of Energy Electricity Advisory Committee, the Critical Consumer Issues Forum Advisory Committee, the Financial Research Institute Advisory Board, and is the Vice Chairman of the State Employees Credit Union Board of Directors. He served a two-year term on the North Carolina Environmental Management Commission from July 2011 through June 2013.

Mr. Ayers graduated from Duke University in 1999 and received his Juris Doctor with Honors from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 2002.

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Tara K. Oglesby

Vice President of Customer Experience

Ameren Missouri

As Vice President of Customer Experience, Tara K. Oglesby is responsible for effectively driving customer-focused strategies to ensure every interaction leads to a great customer experience. She is responsible for leading departments which play a critical role in delivering a satisfying experience including Customer Service, Customer Research & Engagement, Customer Solutions and Ameren Missouri's Smart Meter Strategy & Deployment.

With more than 25 years of experience in the utility industry, Ms. Oglesby began her career with Central Illinois Public Service Company in 1992, now Ameren Illinois. During her years at Ameren, she has held a variety of roles in field operations, generation, accounting, marketing and customer service. From 2006 - 2014, she led Ameren's Emergency Operations Center logistics team, whose primary role during major storm events is to support responders by providing meals, lodging, fueling and security. In 2008, she was promoted to Director of Customer Satisfaction, forming Ameren's first customer research and strategy group. In 2012 she was promoted to Sr. Director, Customer Experience gaining additional responsibility for overseeing the successful execution of the largest portfolio of energy efficiency programs in Missouri's history in addition to leading a company-wide effort on improving customer satisfaction and creating customer loyalty. In 2015 and 2016, Ameren Missouri won JD Power awards for highest in business customer satisfaction in the Midwest Large segment.

Ms. Oglesby holds a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration from The University of Illinois. She is a Six Sigma Black Belt and a recipient of Ameren's President's Performance Leadership Award in 2006 and the President's Pinnacle Award in 2013. Ms. Oglesby is active on two St. Louis area non-profit Board of Directors and has played a leadership role in supporting the Greater Missouri Leadership Challenge, whose focus is engaging Missouri women to lead and serve their communities.



Art Justice

Vice President – Energy & Sustainability

Cinemark USA, Inc.

Art has led Cinemark's energy efforts since 1999 and was named Vice President of Energy and Sustainability in January 2014, heading up both supply side and demand side energy efforts, along with water, waste and recycling, He has been with Cinemark for a total of almost 30 years, in two separate stints.

Prior to starting the energy group at Cinemark, Art worked as an internal auditor and prior to that in operations as a manager, district leader and region leader. Art has certifications for both energy management and energy procurement through the Association of Energy Engineers.

Cinemark's sustainability initiatives have included energy efficiency projects such as lighting, HVAC retrofits, building management systems, recycling of HVAC units, refrigerant recovery and management, as well as rooftop solar installations at a growing number of its theaters, along with energy storage in select locations and other renewable energy efforts.

CLOSING REMARKS



Philip D. Moeller

Executive Vice President, Business Operations Group and Regulatory Affairs

Edison Electric Institute (EEI)

The Honorable Philip D. Moeller is Executive Vice President, Business Operations Group and Regulatory Affairs at the Edison Electric Institute (EEI). EEI is the association that represents all of the nation's investor-owned electric companies.

Mr. Moeller has significant responsibility over a broad range of issues that affect the future structure of the electric power industry and new rules in evolving competitive markets. He has responsibility over the strategic

areas of energy supply and finance, environment, energy delivery, energy services, federal and state regulatory issues, and international affairs.

EEI's member companies increasingly are focused on delivering innovative solutions that meet customers' changing expectations. Mr. Moeller works with EEI's member companies to identify policy solutions and business opportunities to better serve customers.

Prior to joining EEI in February 2016, Mr. Moeller served as a Commissioner on the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), ending his tenure as the second-longest serving member of the Commission. In office from 2006 through 2015, Mr. Moeller ended his service as the only Senate-confirmed member of the federal government appointed by both President George W. Bush and President Barack Obama. At FERC, Mr. Moeller championed policies promoting improved wholesale electricity markets, increasing investment in electric transmission and natural gas pipeline infrastructure, and enhancing the coordination of the electric power and natural gas industries.

Earlier in his career, Mr. Moeller headed the Washington, D.C., office of Alliant Energy Corporation. He also served as a Senior Legislative Assistant for Energy Policy to U.S. Senator Slade Gorton (R-WA), and as the Staff Coordinator of the Washington State Senate Energy and Telecommunications Committee in Olympia, Washington.

Mr. Moeller was born in Chicago and raised on a ranch near Spokane, Washington. He received a BA in Political Science from Stanford University.

CCIF Executive Director



Katrina McMurrian

Executive Director

Critical Consumer Issues Forum (CCIF)

A former Florida Public Service Commissioner (2006-2009), Katrina McMurrian currently serves as Executive Director of the Critical Consumer Issues Forum (CCIF), a unique national forum in which state utility regulators, consumer advocates, and energy companies – via a series of facilitated, interactive dialogues – engage in productive debate and often develop consensus on issues that are not only important to these three core communities but also to consumers, policymakers, and other stakeholders. As a result of this collaboration, CCIF has produced valuable reports on energy topics including grid modernization, distributed generation, consumer solutions, smart communities, electric transportation, and resilience.

McMurrian also serves as Executive Director of the Nuclear Waste Strategy Coalition (NWSC), an ad hoc organization representing the collective interests of member state utility regulators, state consumer advocates, other state officials, tribal governments, local governments, electric utilities with operating and shutdown nuclear reactors, and other public and private sector experts, on nuclear waste policy matters.

In these roles, McMurrian frequently interacts with Congress; Administration officials; state and federal utility regulators; state and national consumer organizations; other state, tribal, and local officials; industry representatives; and numerous other public and private stakeholders. In addition, she serves on the Southwest Research Institute Board of Advisory Trustees, as an associate member of the Financial Research Institute (FRI), and as a member of the American Nuclear Society (ANS), the Institute for Nuclear Materials Management (INMM), and U.S. Women in Nuclear (U.S. WIN).

A Northwest Florida native, McMurrian received a bachelor's degree in finance and an MBA from Florida State University. She and her husband currently reside near Nashville, Tennessee.