



## Resource Adequacy Discussion Series

WECC hosts the Resource Adequacy Discussion Series once a month. We are changing our previous day of the week and limiting the discussions to one hour to accommodate more schedules and promote greater conversation.

In 2023, we will meet on the first Thursday of the month to discuss challenges, explore current and emerging issues, and share information with stakeholders. The series helps WECC gather input and understand perspectives to inform its resource adequacy work.

### [NERC Winter and Long-Term Reliability Assessments](#)

*Thursday, February 2, 10:00–11:00 a.m. MT*

Join WECC for a discussion about continentwide resource adequacy risks, NERC’s [2022–2023 Winter Reliability Assessment](#), and the [2022 Long-Term Reliability Assessment](#). The discussion will cover takeaways from the reports, recent weather events, and the future of this kind of resource adequacy assessment work.

Panelists will include:

- Mark Lauby, NERC, Senior Vice President and Chief Engineer
- Richard Stover (George Lynch), Idaho Governor’s Office of Energy and Mineral Resources
- Branden Sudduth, WECC, Vice President Reliability Planning and Performance Analysis
- Letha Tawney, Oregon Public Utility Commission, Commissioner

### **Future Discussions:**

Discussion topics we are considering include: the 10-year future, utility Integrated Resource Plans, resource adequacy and public power, WECC’s Summer Assessment, and the relationship between Resource Adequacy and Transmission. We are looking for additional ideas. If you have an idea for a topic you would like to discuss, please let us know at [engage@wecc.org](mailto:engage@wecc.org).

### **Save the Dates:**

*Sessions run from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. MT*

- [February 2](#)
- [March 2](#)
- [April 6](#)
- [May 4](#)
- [June 8](#)
- July — no session
- [August 3](#)
- [September 7](#)
- [October 5](#)
- [November 2](#)

### **Previous Discussions:**

The series has explored a variety of resource adequacy topics with industry experts and previous discussions in the series are available to view online. Descriptions of the sessions can be found [here](#).

### **View the recordings:**

- [Resource Adequacy and Western Heat Domes](#)
- [Spanning the Technology Gap](#)
- [Steel in the Ground](#)
- [Assessments, a Comparative Overview](#)

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- [Landscape in the West](#)

Resource adequacy was identified as one of [WECC's 2022 Reliability Risk Priorities](#).