### FEBRUARY 6-7, 2018 | SACRAMENTO, CA Sacramento Convention Center

# **2018 SYMPOSIUM AGENDA**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2018	
8:00 am - 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
Sponsored by	Grab a coffee, checkout our exhibitors and learn more about RNG!
8:30 am – 8:45 am	Symposium Welcome • Cliff Gladstein, President, Gladstein, Neandross & Associates
8:45 am – 9:15 am	Challenges to Renewable Hydrogen – Sacramento: Time for Deeds, Not Words  • Jack Brouwer, Associate Director, National Fuel Cell Research Center/ Professor, UC Irvine
9:15 am – 10:25 am	Panel 1 – Is it Time for a Renewable Gas Portfolio Standard?  Moderator: Dwight Robinson, Board Member, South Coast Air Quality Management District  • Kip Lipper, Chief Policy Advisor on Energy and Environment, Office of Senate President Pro Tempore Kevin de Leon  • George Minter, Regional Vice President, External Affairs and Environmental Strategy, Southern California Gas Company  • Ryan McCarthy, Science and Technology Policy Advisor, California Air Resources Board
10:25 am – 10:35 am	Break – Recharge with a brief coffee and networking opportunity.
10:35 am – 11:05 am	Mid-Morning Keynote Introduction: Dwight Robinson, Board Member, South Coast Air Quality Management District - Assemblywoman Autumn Burke, Assembly District 62
11:05 am – 12:10 pm	Panel 2 – Focus on Dairies: Status of SB 1383 Implementation and Next Steps  Moderator: Dave Lewis, Director, Wholesale Marketing and Business Development, Pacific Gas & Electric Company  • Floyd Vegara, Division Chief, Industrial Strategies Division, California Air Resources Board  • Michael Boccadoro, President, West Coast Advisors  • Ross Buckenham, Chairman/Chief Executive Officer, California Bioenergy
12:10 pm – 1:30 pm Sponsored by Trillium CNG	Networking Luncheon: Welcome: William Zobel, Vice President: Business Development, Marketing & Customer Care, Trillium CNG Stop by our exhibitors and learn more about RNG!
1:30 pm – 1:55 pm	Afternoon Keynote Introduction: Sahar Kamali, Director, Business Development, Clean Energy Renewables - Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry, Assembly District 4
1:55 pm – 2:55 pm	Panel 3 – Encouraging Private Investment in RNG: What the State Can Do  Moderator: Grant Zimmerman, Chief Executive Officer, ampCNG  • Mittal Monani, Senior Trader – Emissions, Direct Energy  • Greg Stangl, Chief Executive Officer, Phoenix Energy  • Ben Vitale, Partner, Equilibrium
2:55 pm – 3:05 pm	Break – Recharge with a brief coffee and networking opportunity.
3:05 pm – 3:30 pm	RNG Solutions for Forest Management  • Greg Stangl, Chief Executive Officer, Phoenix Energy
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Panel 4 – Environmental Stakeholders' Perspectives on RNG  Moderator: Jena Price, Legislative Affairs Manager, California League of Conservation Voters  • Jonathan Parfrey, Executive Director, Climate Resolve  • Kevin Hamilton, Chief Executive Officer, Central California Asthma Collaborative  • Matt Vespa, Staff Attorney, Earthjustice
4:30 pm – 4:45 pm	Introduction of Richard Corey • Christine Cowsert Chapman, Senior Director of Asset Management and System Operations, Pacific Gas & Electric Company
4:45 pm – 5:15 pm	Perspectives on RNG From the ARB: Where We Go From Here • Richard Corey, Executive Officer, California Air Resources Board
5:15 pm – 7:00 pm Sponsored by American Gas Association	Networking Reception Stop by our exhibitors and learn more about RNG!

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