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FEBRUARY 26-27, 2019 | SACRAMENTO, CA
Sacramento Convention Center

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2019

8:00 am – 8:30 am	**Continental Breakfast** Sponsored by WM WASTE MANAGEMENT
8:30 am – 8:40 am	**Symposium Welcome** • ***Cliff Gladstein***, *President, Gladstein, Neandross & Associates*
8:40 am – 8:45 am	**Welcome Keynote Introduction** • ***Julia Levin***, *Executive Director, Bioenergy Association of California*
8:45 am – 9:05 am	**Welcome Keynote** • ***Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry***, *Assembly District 4*
9:10 am – 10:15 am	**Panel 1 – RNG Regulation, Policy & Programs - What's on Deck for the 2019 Legislative Year?** *Moderator:* ***Jena Price***, *Legislative Affairs Manager at California League of Conservation Voters & Partner at TrattenPrice Consulting* • ***Cliff Rechtschaffen***, *Commissioner, California Public Utilities Commission* • ***Tim Carmichael***, *State Agency Relations Manager, Sempra Energy Utilities* • ***Sam Wade***, *Director of Regulatory Affairs, Coalition of Renewable Natural Gas*
10:15 am – 10:25 am	**Networking Break –** *Recharge with a brief coffee and networking opportunity.* Sponsored by bp San Joaquin Valley AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT
10:25 am – 10:50 am	**Stalled on the Hydrogen Highway: Roadblocks Causing Market Development Gridlock in California** • ***Jack Brouwer***, *Professor, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, University of California, Irvine; Director, National Fuel Cell Research Center*
10:50 am – 11:45 pm	**Panel 2 – Failure to Launch: Real-World Struggles of California Renewable Hydrogen Projects** *Moderator:* ***Jack Brouwer***, *Professor, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, University of California, Irvine; Director, National Fuel Cell Research Center* • ***Jeffrey Reed***, *Advanced Power and Energy Program Chief Scientist, Renewable Fuels and Energy Storage, UCI* • ***Xuping Li***, *Senior Analyst Energy Systems and Technologies (Power-to-Gas), Hitachi Zosen Inova ETOGAS GmbH* • ***Mike Silva***, *Chief Engineer, CR&R*
11:45 am – 12:40 pm	**Networking Luncheon** *Welcome Remarks:* ***William Zobel***, *Vice President: Business Development, Marketing & Customer Care, Trillium* Sponsored by Trillium
12:40 pm – 1:00 pm	**Low Carbon Renewable Natural Gas (RNG) from Wood Wastes** • ***Dan LeFevers***, *Director of State and Consumer Programs, Gas Technology Institute*
1:00 pm – 2:05 pm	**Panel 3 – Beyond Transportation: How to Incentivize RNG for Residential and Business Customers** *Moderator:* ***Tanya Peacock***, *Public Policy & Planning Manager, Southern California Gas Company* • ***Rachael Terada***, *Director, Technical Projects, Center for Resource Solutions* • ***Ken Nelson***, *President, Blue Delta Energy* • ***Nick Mark***, *Manager, Conservation & Renewable Energy Policy, CenterPoint Energy*
2:05 pm – 2:25 pm	**Afternoon Keynote** *Introduction:* ***George Minter***, *Regional Vice President, External Affairs and Environmental Strategy, SoCalGas* • ***Senator Nancy Skinner***, *Senate District 9*
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2:35 pm – 3:35 pm	**Panel 4 – Strategies to Encourage Private Investments in California Renewable Gas Projects** *Moderator:* ***Mittal Monani****, Senior Trader – Emissions, Direct Energy* • ***Aaron Ratner****, Managing Director, Ultra Capital* • ***Mary Solecki****, Partner, AJW*
3:35 pm – 4:35 pm	**Panel 5 – Latest Moo-vement on Dairy Digester Development** *Moderator:* ***Michael Boccodoro****, Executive Director, Dairy Cares* • ***Floyd Vergara****, Chief of Industrial Strategies Division, California Air Resources Board* • ***Tom Jordan****, Senior Policy Advisor, San Joaquin Air Pollution Control District* • ***Harrison Clay****, VP Strategic Development, Global Environmental Products, BP*
4:35 pm – 4:45 pm	**ARB Closing Keynote Introduction** • ***Bill Edmonds****, Director, Environmental Policy & Sustainability, NW Natural*
4:45 pm – 5:15 pm	**ARB Closing Keynote** • ***Ryan McCarthy****, Science and Technology Policy Advisor, California Air Resources Board*
5:15 pm – 7:00 pm	**Networking Reception –** *Stop by our exhibitors and learn more about RNG!* Sponsored by AGA American Gas Association

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2019	
	Off-Site Tour Cancelled: *Due to weather conditions, access to the premises is unsafe. We apologize for the inconvenience.*