

# 2009 Women in Power® Forum

Wednesday, October 21, 2009

## SIXTH ANNUAL Agenda

- 8:00 a.m. — 8:45 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:45 a.m. — 9:00 a.m. Welcome and Overview  
Debbie Swanstrom, Partner, Patton Boggs LLP, and  
Chair, Women in Power® Forum
- 9:00 a.m. — 9:30 a.m. **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**  
**THE HONORABLE GABRIELLE GIFFORDS**  
**CONGRESS MEMBER, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
Introduced by Debbie Swanstrom, Partner, Patton Boggs LLP
- 9:30 a.m. — 9:45 a.m. Networking Break
- 9:45 a.m. — 11:00 a.m. **SMART GRID: WHAT COMPANIES ARE DOING TO MAKE THE  
PRODUCTION, TRANSMISSION, AND CONSUMPTION OF ELECTRICITY  
MORE EFFICIENT AND INTELLIGENT**  
Susan Story, Chief Executive Officer, Gulf Power Company  
Katherine Hamilton, President, Gridwise Alliance  
Carol Dodson, Vice President, Business Transformation,  
Baltimore Gas & Electric Company  
Peggy Johnson, Executive Vice President of the Americas and India,  
QualComm  
Introduced by: Jennifer Richter, Partner, Patton Boggs LLP
- 11:00 a.m. — 11:30 a.m. **THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS REGARDING ENERGY LEGISLATION IN THE  
U.S. CONGRESS**  
Karen Wayland, Policy Advisor, Office of the Speaker, Nancy Pelosi  
Kellie Donnelly, Deputy Chief Counsel, Senate Committee on Energy and  
Natural Resources  
Lorie Schmidt, Senior Counsel, Environment and Energy Committee  
on Energy and Commerce, US House of Representatives  
Introduced by: Meredith Jolivert, Associate, Patton Boggs LLP

11:30 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

Networking Break/Lunch Buffet

12:00 p.m. — 12:30 pm.

**FEATURED LUNCHEON SPEAKER  
NANCY SUTLEY, CHAIR, WHITE HOUSE COUNCIL ON  
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

Introduced by: Tanya DeRivi, Public Policy Advisor, Patton Boggs LLP

12:30 p.m. — 12:45 p.m.

Networking Break

12:45 p.m. — 2:45 p.m.

**NEW RENEWABLE ENERGY TRENDS AND ISSUES:  
INTERNATIONAL, NATIONAL, REGIONAL, AND STATE  
PERSPECTIVES**

Debby Stone, Executive Director, International Clean Energy Alliance, and Consultant to US Hydropower Council for International Development

Carol Tombari, Manager, Stakeholder Relations, National Renewable Energy Laboratory, U.S. Department of Energy

Martha Duggan, Vice President, Government & Regulatory Affairs, ECD/United Solar Ovonic

Tamara Linde, Vice President – Regulatory, PSEG Services Corporation

Adrien Ford, Market Strategist, PJM Interconnection

The Honorable Gail Gutsche, Commissioner, Montana Public Service Commission

Introduced by: Carolyn McIntosh, Partner, Patton Boggs LLP

2:45 p.m. — 3:00 p.m.

Networking Break

3:00 p.m. — 4:30 p.m.

Concurrent Panels

**PANEL 1  
ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND THE INFRASTRUCTURE NECESSARY  
TO MAKE THEM VIABLE**

Dianna Morgan, CEO, Managing Partner, DMC Green, Inc.

Helda Rodriguez, President, NovaCharge, LLC

Kathryn Clay, Director of Research, Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers

Marianne McInerney, Vice President, Sales and Marketing, Smith Electric Vehicles

Introduced by: Katie Whelan, Senior Public Policy Advisor, Patton Boggs LLP

**PANEL 2**  
**DEMAND RESPONSE AND NEW RATE STRUCTURES TO PROMOTE DEMAND RESPONSE**

**Audrey Zibelman, President and Chief Executive Officer,  
Viridity Energy**

**Susan Kelly, Vice President of Policy and General  
Counsel, American Public Power Association**

**Theresa Donahue, Executive Director, Smart Energy  
Living Alliance**

**Mary Bell, Senior System Architect Demand Response, Director System  
Integration, GE Energy**

**Deborah Le Vine, Director of Market Services,  
California Independent System Operator Corp.**

**Introduced by: Lodie White, Associate, Patton Boggs LLP**

**PANEL 3**  
**NEW ENTRY INTO THE ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION MARKET: THE  
GROWTH OF INDEPENDENT AND MERCHANT TRANSMISSION  
PROJECTS**

**Lisa Barton, President, Electric Transmission America, and  
Vice President, Transmission Strategy and Business Development,  
American Electric Power Corp.**

**Carol Chinn, Vice President & Chief Operating Officer, American  
Transmission Company**

**Nina Plaushin, Director, Federal & Legislative Affairs, ITC Holdings  
Corp.**

**Janet Gail Besser, Vice President of Regulatory Strategy & Policy,  
National Grid**

**Skelly Holmbeck, Business Manager, NextEra Energy**

**Introduced by: Debbie Swanstrom, Partner, Patton Boggs LLP**

**4:30 p.m. — 4:45 p.m.**

**Networking Break**

**4:45 p.m. — 5:15 p.m.**

**IMPORTANT ELECTRIC POLICY ISSUES FROM THE PERSPECTIVE  
OF THE FERC COMMISSIONER**

**The Honorable Suedeem Kelly, Commissioner,  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

**Introduced by Debbie Swanstrom,  
Partner, Patton Boggs LLP**

**5:15 p.m.**

**Reception**