



WestTEC Steering Committee Members

Co-Chairs: Kelsey Martinez and John Martinsen

The Steering Committee includes senior or executive leadership from a diverse group of entities, including a liaison representing State regulators named by the Western Interstate Energy Board. The Steering Committee is the primary decision-making arm of WestTEC, responsible for providing direction and guidance to the WestTEC Assessment Technical Taskforce (WATT) and for collaborating with the Regional Engagement Committee (REC).

The first member listed for each organization is Primary. Alternates are also listed below.

Ravi Aggarwal, Bonneville Power
Administration

Larry Bekkedahl, Portland General
Electric

Jennifer Galaway (Alternate)

Richard Vail, PacifiCorp

Kris Bremer (Alternate)

John D. Martinsen, Snohomish PUD

Shaun Foster, Puget Sound Energy

Eleanor Ewry (Alternate)

Jared Ellsworth, Idaho Power Company

Curtis Westhoff (Alternate)

Mike Magruder, Avista

Michael Cashell, NorthWestern

Thomas Pankratz (Alternate)

Charlie Pottey, NV Energy

Casey Cathey, Southwest Power Pool

Tony Green (Alternate)

Rich Glick, GridWorks/State Liaison

Robin Arnold, Western Interstate
Energy Board (Alternate)

Branden Sudduth, Western Electricity
Coordinating Council

Heidi Pacini, WestConnect

Charles Reinhold (Alternate)

Ashley Kelly, Arizona Public Service

Kelsey Martinez, Public Service Company of
New Mexico

Paul Schwabe, Western Area Power
Administration

Rebecca Johnson (Alternate)

Nate Tate, Salt River Project

Jason Standing, Xcel Energy

Neil Millar, California ISO

Danielle Mills (Alternate)

Michael McWilliams, Powerex

Dan O'Hearn (Alternate)

Spencer Gray, Northwest & Intermountain
Power Producers Coalition

Scott Simms, Public Power Council

Lauren Tenney Dennison (Alternate)

Cathy Ehli, Warm Springs Power & Water
Enterprises

Edison Elizeh (Alternate)

Leslie James, Colorado River Energy
Distributors Association

Kris Raper (Alternate)
Ben Fitch-Fleischmann, InterWest
Kyle Unruh, Renewable Northwest
Robb Davis, GridLiance
Ajay Pappu, Invenergy
Sharon Segner, LS Power
Leah Marquez-Glynn, Tacoma Power
Priya Barua, Clean Energy Buyers
Association
Susan Manville, Grant County PUD

Crystal Ball, Pacific Northwest Utilities
Conference Committee
Cameron Yourkowski, Pattern Energy
Jeff Wood, Cascade Renewable
Transmission
Corey Kupersmith (Alternate)
George Lynch, Washington Department of
Commerce

Additional Steering Committee Meeting attendees:

- Facilitator: Sarah Edmonds, WPP
- WestTEC Project Management team: Chelsea Loomis, WPP, Keegan Moyer, Energy Strategies, Garrett Cole, GDS Associates, Gillian Biedler, GDS Associates, Rachel Risley, GDS Associates, Kyra Green, GDS Associates, and Annie Capper, GDS Associates
- WATT Co-Chairs: Jennifer Galaway, Portland General Electric, Ben Fitch-Fleischmann, InterWest, Jeff Billinton, California ISO
- Additional attendees:
 - BPA: Rafael Molano, Sean Egusa
 - PAC: Scott Beyer
 - PGE: Pam Sporborg
 - WPP: Ryan Roy
 - Xcel Energy: Leticia Rojas