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## **Opportunities and Barriers to Utility Infrastructure Efficiency Stakeholder Meeting #1 (of 4)**

**July 28, 2017, 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM**

### **Agenda**

#### **I. 8:30 – 9:00 Networking and Registration**

#### **II. 9:00-10:30 Overview and National Perspectives on Utility Infrastructure Efficiency**

- Meeting Kickoff – Bill Grant, Deputy Commissioner, Minnesota Department of Commerce
- Utility Infrastructure Efficiency 101: What Is it and How Does it Apply to Minnesota’s Energy Efficiency Landscape?
- Examining Minnesota’s Statewide Utility Infrastructure Efficiency Potential and Policy Issues: Overview of Project Goals, Timeline, and Outcomes
- “Innovative Utility Infrastructure Efficiency Projects and Approaches from Around the Country”  
Ron Schoff, Senior Program Manager, Electric Power Research Institute

#### **III. 10:30-11:00 Coffee Break**

#### **IV. 11:00-12:15 Minnesota’s Experience with Infrastructure Efficiency**

- “Lessons Learned from Implementing Infrastructure Efficiency Projects in Minnesota”  
Lisa Severson, Energy Conservation Coordinator, Minnkota Power Cooperative
- Group Discussions on Barriers and Opportunities

#### **V. 12:15 – 12:30 Wrap-up and Next Steps**

- Preview of Stakeholder Meeting #2 – Policy Issues