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**Division of Energy**

**Comprehensive State Energy Plan  
Working Group #4 – Energy and the Environment (Air, Land, and Water)  
November 21, 2014, 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM**

**Conference Call Information: Webinar information will be provided Tuesday November 18  
Working Group Lead: Lindy Wordlaw**

**Agenda**

- 9:00 AM Welcome and Introductions  
Overview of the Plan Development Process  
Lewis Mills, Director, Division of Energy
- 9:05 AM Introduction to the Working Group Topic  
Lindy Wordlaw, Working Group Lead
- 9:10 AM Approach to Working Groups and Working Group Logistics  
Lindy Wordlaw, Working Group Lead
- 9:20 AM Public Meetings Recap  
Lindy Wordlaw, Working Group Lead
- 9:30 AM Open Discussion:
- What strategies should the Plan consider in addressing the impact of energy generation to the environment, including criteria pollutants and greenhouse gas emissions?
  - To what extent should the Plan consider clean coal technologies and retrofits to existing plants? What actions should the Plan recommend to manage coal ash residue?
  - What opportunities should the Plan consider to optimize interdependency of water and energy generation and improve the efficiency of water management, treatment, distribution, and end use systems?
  - What consideration should the Plan give to the increased concerns over water availability and quality as it relates to agriculture and the production of biofuels since they compete with the energy sector for water resources?
  - To what level should the Plan recommend an approach to managing barge transportation issues related to water use and quality?
  - Presentations and discussion at the public meeting highlighted examples in which environmental compliance challenges precipitated the development of innovative solutions resulting in job creation and economic activity. How should the Plan explore and support these economic opportunities? To what extent should the Plan develop strategies to identify, utilize and maximize the development of by-products and co-products to fully capitalize a resource's potential as well as reduce waste streams? How should the Plan consider incorporating principles of sustainability?
  - Other?

10:20 AM Commitment for Subsequent Meeting Involvement and Next Steps

10:30 AM Adjourn