

Columbus, OH | July 9-11, 2024 | Sponsored by Corteva Agriscience and FirstEnergy

Event Agenda

All times are in EDT.

TUESDAY, JULY 9

12:00PM-4:00PM

Pre-Meeting Opportunities

Meeting Place TBD

Participants will visit American
Electric Power (AEP) utility rightsof-way and the Dawes Arboretum.
AEP and Arboretum staff will lead the
first and second tours, respectively.
Lunch included.

5:30PM-8:00PM

Reception

6:00PM-6:25PM

Welcome & Introductions
Darrell Russell, Corteva

6:20PM-6:45PM

Keynote/Opening Statements Shawn Standish, FirstEnergy

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10

All events will take place at the Hilton Columbus at Easton.

7:00AM-7:50AM Breakfast

7:50AM-8:00AM
Housekeeping & Safety
Darrell Russell, Corteva

8:00AM-8:30AM
FirstEnergy VM Program
Michele Dellinger, FirstEnergy

8:30AM-9:00AM

A Measured Approach to ROW Sustainability Matt Goff, Georgia Power Company Darrell Russell, Corteva

9:00AM-9:30AM

Ecological Realities of ROW Management - Why Monitor? Dr. Gabe Karns, Ohio State University

















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WEDNESDAY, JULY 10 (cont.)

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9:30AM-9:45AM

BREAK

10:00AM-10:50AM

Panel Discussion
Collaborating with Non-Traditional
Allies
Lawrence Kahn, Tulane
Nicole Alt, USFWS

10:50AM-11:45AM

Ronan Mason, TC Energy

Panel Discussion

State and Federal Regulatory Intersecting Conservation Dynamics Kurt Theide, AFWA Dan Shaw, Minnesota Board of Water & Soil Resources Aaron Jeffries, Minnesota Department of Conservation Alan Mayberry, PHMSA

11:45AM-11:55AM

BREAK

12:00PM-12:55PM

LUNCH

1:00PM-1:20PM

AEP Program Overview Kevin Patton, AEP

1:20PM-1:40PM

Marathon Program Overview Scott Sharpe, Marathon Petroleum

1:45PM-4:30PM

Field Trip to Blendon Woods

1:45PM-2:00PM

Load Buses

2:00PM-2:30PM

Travel to Blendon Woods

2:30PM-4:00PM

Field Tour

AEP/Marathon/OSU Personnel

4:00PM-4:30PM

Return to Hotel

6:00PM

Dinner

















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THURSDAY, JULY 11

All events will take place at the Hilton Columbus at Easton.

7:00AM-8:00AM

Breakfast

8:00AM-9:00AM

Lightning Round
The Journey from Compliance to
Sustainable ROW Management
Speakers TBD

9:00AM-9:50AM

Panel Discussion
Intertwining Conservation &
Community Engagement
Dave Murk, API
Travis Hallam, Three
Affiliated Tribes
Carl Weimer, Pipeline
Safety Trust
Uni Blake, API

9:50AM-10:10AM

BREAK

10:10AM-11:00AM

TBD

10:25AM-11:15AM

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Recent Updates in Nature-Related Disclosures How ROWHWG Contributes to Company Nature-Positive Reporting Dan Salas, UIC Caroline Hernandez, UIC

11:45AM-12:00PM

Wrap-Up and Closing Comments

12:00PM















