



## Energy Action Network 2020 Summit Agenda

Thursday, October 1, 2020

- 8:00 – 9:00**      **Networking and Orientation**
- Orientation to the Hopin Platform starting at 8:30
- 9:00 - 9:15**      **Welcome**
- Leigh Seddon, Board Chair, Energy Action Network
  - Carolyn Wesley, Network Manager, Energy Action Network
- 9:15 – 10:15**      **Presentation on Energy, Emissions, Economy, & Equity**
- Jared Duval, Executive Director, Energy Action Network
- 10:15 – 10:45**      **Small Group Discussions on Energy Equity**
- 10:45 – 11:00**      **Break & Networking**
- 11:00 – 11:30**      **Introduction to the Pitches and Updates on Past Pitches**
- Carolyn Wesley, Network Manager, EAN
  - Sue Minter, Capstone
  - Richard Faesy, Energy Futures Group
  - Rep. Sarah Copeland Hanzas
- 11:30 – 12:15**      **Total Energy Pitches**
- **"Foundational Research: Mapping Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Vermont's Energy Sector; and Public Sector Spending on Climate Change: Where are we?"** presented by: Kelly Lucci (Efficiency Vermont); Dan Quinlan (SolaVida)
  - **"Regenerative Workforce Housing Development Plan"** presented by: Alison Low and Nicole Gratton (Northeastern Vermont Development Association)
  - **"Renew Vermont: Building a Movement for a Just and Equitable Future"** presented by: Kiah Morris and Kate Logan (Rights & Democracy)
- 12:15 - 1:00**      **Lunch & Networking**

**1:00 - 2:00**

### **Transportation Pitches**

- **"Vermont Replace Your Ride Program"** presented by: Sue Minter (Capstone); Linda McGinnis (EAN Senior Fellow)
- **"The Future of Rural Transit: Combining and Electrifying School and Public Transportation"** presented by: Cara Robecheck (VEEP); Jenn Wallace-Brodeur (VEIC); Jenn Wood (GMT); Peggy O'Neill-Vivanco (UVM - Vermont Clean Cities Coalition)
- **"Statewide, State-Funded Fare-Free Transit"** presented by: Jack Hanson and Chris Harrell (Sustainable Transportation VT)
- **"A Vehicle Feebate Program for Vermont"** presented by: Senator Andrew Perchlik

**2:00- 2:15**

### **Break & Networking**

**2:15 - 3:00**

### **Thermal Pitches**

- **" Vermont's Clean Heat Strategy (Part 1): the Renewable Heat Standard"** presented by: Richard Cowart and Rick Weston (RAP)
- **"Vermont's Clean Heat Strategy (Part 2): The Light at the End of the Pipe"** presented by Don Rendall (VGS) and Richard Cowart (RAP)
- **"Invest in Vermonters: A Plan to Save Money & Improve Health for Low and Middle Income Households"** presented by: Ludy Biddle (NeighborWorks of Western VT) and Neale Lunderville (VGS)

**3:00 – 3:30**

### **Voting and Closing**

**Friday, October 2, 2020**

**8:00 – 9:00**

### **Networking**

**9:00 - 10:15**

### **Welcome, Panel of State Leaders, Remarks**

- Anthony Roisman, Chair, Public Utilities Commission (panel)
- House Speaker Mitzi Johnson (panel)
- Senate Majority Leader Becca Balint (panel)
- Moderator: Jared Duval, Executive Director, EAN (panel)
- Governor Phil Scott (remarks)
- Representative Curt McCormack, Chair, House Transportation Committee (remarks)



- 10:15 – 10:45**      **Pitch Workshops – Session 1**
- Provide feedback & offers of support for Pitches of your choosing
- 10:45 – 11:00**      **Break & Networking**
- 11:00 – 11:30**      **Pitch Workshops – Session 2**
- Provide feedback & offers of support for Pitches of your choosing
- 11:30 – 12:00**      **Pitch Workshops – Session 3**
- Provide feedback & offers of support for Pitches of your choosing
- 12:00- 12:30**      **Voting and Closing Celebration**
- Vote on Pitches to become Network-supported Action Teams
  - Presentation of Anne & Arthur Berndt Award
- 12:30 - 1:30**      **Optional Lunch & Networking**