February Presentation

Texas National Guard Resilience:
Readiness for the Unknown

Energy resiliency means the ability to adapt with minimal negative impact to change or disruption. The potential for weather events, terrorism, shortages, price hikes, or disruptions in other states, or even other nations can leave Texas vulnerable to disruption in the flow of energy. Energy stability represents a comprehensive approach to ensure the availability of energy. In many cases this requires diversity among fuel sources, as well as investment in renewable energy technologies. The presentation will give an overview of the Texas National Guard energy security and resiliency strategy and highlight two of its developing resiliency projects.

February Speaker

Mr. Brian P. Stevens
Director of Energy Programs
Construction and Facilities Management Office
Texas Military Department

Brian P. Stevens is Director of Energy Programs for the Texas Military Department (TMD), including energy management for 700 buildings and 5.8 million square feet throughout Texas. During his 25-year ac-
tive duty military career, he served in a variety of unique assignments including interagency operations, strategic planning and civil-military operations. He became involved in the energy field during a deployment to Iraq in 2005. As a civil affairs officer, he worked directly with coalition units and the Iraqi government to restore essential services including electricity (generation, transmission and distribution), to increase the capacity of the Iraqi government. Brian attended the NREL Energy Executives Program in 2010, in preparation for a deployment to Afghanistan. In 2010-11, he commanded a 75 person specialized unit in Afghanistan, focused on the development of distributed energy production to increase the capacity of the Afghan government. He is currently focused on increasing the sustainability, security and resiliency of the TMD, through innovative energy programs. He holds a Bachelor of Science from Wayland Baptist University, and a Master of Science from the University of Texas at Austin.

**Directions To Meeting**

**Directions Coming from Austin:** Head south on I-35. Take Exit #229 – Stassney Ln. Make a right at the traffic signal at Stassney Ln. Go 0.1 miles. Take a right at the Lowes/Fiesta driveway entrance. Texas Land & Cattle parking lot is first entrance on the right.

**Directions Coming from San Antonio:** Head north on I-35. Take Exit #228/229 – Wm. Cannon Dr./Stassney Ln. Pass straight through the traffic signal at Wm. Cannon Dr. Make a left at the traffic signal at Stassney Ln. Go 0.2 miles. Take a right at the Lowes/Fiesta driveway entrance. Texas Land & Cattle parking lot is first entrance on the right.

For a map, click here: [https://www.google.com/maps/place/5510+S+IH+35+Frontage+Rd,+Austin,+TX+78745/@30.20215,-97.7619705,17z/data=!4m2!3m1!1s0x8644b35e0ff74287:0x927384484629c3cd](https://www.google.com/maps/place/5510+S+IH+35+Frontage+Rd,+Austin,+TX+78745/@30.20215,-97.7619705,17z/data=!4m2!3m1!1s0x8644b35e0ff74287:0x927384484629c3cd)

---

**Can't make it to the meeting??...not to worry....**

At 11:45 am, please call in at: 1-800-719-6100 (or 1-218-339-7817), participant access code 157500 #

Participants please DO NOT PLACE PHONE ON HOLD (or we all will hear your music). It would be a good idea to MUTE your line after you get in. Please press * 6 to MUTE. When you want to talk, then UNMUTE by pressing * 6 again, and then you can talk. This will lower background noise on the conference line.

The web link is: [https://hello.freeconference.com/conf/call/157500](https://hello.freeconference.com/conf/call/157500) (Please make sure you have installed the latest version of Google Chrome to view the presentation.)

Please insert your name and company when you are prompted.

If you attended remotely, please email Linda.Rickard@AustinEnergy.com to let her know you attended the web presentation. She will add your name to the roster.
2017 Calendar

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Month</th>
<th>Subject</th>
<th>Location</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>February</td>
<td>Texas National Guard Resilience: Readiness for the Unknown</td>
<td>Austin, TX</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>March</td>
<td>TBA</td>
<td>TBA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>April</td>
<td>TBA</td>
<td>TBA</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Do you know of a technology or a tour that would be of interest to our chapter membership? The board of directors welcomes your ideas and thoughts. Our chapter is only as good as the membership makes it...it is your chapter, please participate and provide input into the selection of presentations and tours! If your recommendation is used...it’s good for a free lunch for you!

Contact Amanda Cambre amanda.cambre@clearesult.com with your ideas!

February Meeting Location:

Texas Land & Cattle
5510 S IH 35 Frontage Rd
Austin, TX 78745
(512) 442-6448

texaslandandcattle.com

On The Scene

Photos by Miles Abernathy

Our chapter held it’s annual dinner/get together this month at the Gristmill in Gruene, TX. A good time was had by all in attendance!
Our Mission:

◊ Advance the professional careers and the common purposes of its members. Facilitate networking, social exchange and training.

◊ Present and discuss energy, environmental topics, and members’ ideas. Stay abreast of fast changing developments. Anticipate their future.

◊ Disseminate information to the trade and to the general public via meetings, publications, trade shows and presentations.

◊ Build an exciting, expanding chapter

◊ Cooperate with other AEE chapters and related organizations.

◊ Promote energy efficiency.

2017 Officers

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Position</th>
<th>Email</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Amanda Cambre</td>
<td>President</td>
<td><a href="mailto:amanda.cambre@clearesult.com">amanda.cambre@clearesult.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Fred Yebra</td>
<td>Past President</td>
<td><a href="mailto:fred.yebra@cpa.texas.gov">fred.yebra@cpa.texas.gov</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Christian Monsalves</td>
<td>Vice President</td>
<td><a href="mailto:cmonsalves@ecmholdinggroup.com">cmonsalves@ecmholdinggroup.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Karma Nilsson</td>
<td>Treasurer</td>
<td><a href="mailto:kl-nilsson@cps-satx.com">kl-nilsson@cps-satx.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Linda Rickard</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td><a href="mailto:Linda.Rickard@austinenergy.com">Linda.Rickard@austinenergy.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>VACANT</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Norman Muraya</td>
<td>Scholarships</td>
<td><a href="mailto:Norman.Muraya@austinenergy.com">Norman.Muraya@austinenergy.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bruce Dschuden</td>
<td>Newsletter</td>
<td><a href="mailto:bdschuden@invinc.com">bdschuden@invinc.com</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Miles Abernathy</td>
<td>Historian/Photographer</td>
<td><a href="mailto:miles99@gmail.com">miles99@gmail.com</a></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Join Us at Our Next Meeting!
Date: 28 February 2017
Time: 11:30 - 1:00
Location:
Texas Land & Cattle
5510 S IH 35 Frontage Rd
Austin, TX 78745

Follow us @TXAEE!
MEMBERSHIP INVOICE
Austin/San Antonio Chapter of the Association of Energy Engineers
http://www.txaee.org

Date

Local Chapter Dues for 2017 $ 30.00

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>New Member</th>
<th>Renewal</th>
<th>Discount AEE International</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>

Please fill out the following information.

Name:  ____________________________________________________
Company:  ____________________________________________________
Address:  ____________________________________________________
City/State/Zip:  ____________________________________________________
Business Phone:  ____________________________________________________
FAX:  ____________________________________________________
E-mail Address:  ____________________________________________________

Suggested Speaker Topic or Tour:  ____________________________________________________

Chapter meetings typically are held the 4th Tuesday of each month at 11:30 a.m. Location for the meetings is posted on the Austin/San Antonio AEE Web Site http://www.txaee.org/calendar.htm. Look forward to informative, professional, and educational presentations in the energy field, plus field trips to various locations in Austin and San Antonio.

Remit to:  Austin AEE
PMB 287
815-A Brazos Street
Austin, TX 78701-2509

For inquiries regarding this invoice please contact: Karma Nilsson at 210-353-2815 or knilsson@cpsenergy.com

Amount Paid  ____________________
Method of payment  ____________________
Check Number  ____________________
Payment received by  ____________________

Name  ____________________  Date  ____________________