



News Release

News Media Opportunities: Public Power Legislative Rally

**Tuesday, March 1
The Mayflower Hotel
1127 Connecticut Ave. NW
Washington, DC 20036**

From February 28 to March 3rd, about 600 mayors, city council members, and executive staff of community- and state-owned electric utilities will participate in the American Public Power Association's policy making process, and visit with legislators and regulators about energy and environmental issues.

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9-11:30 a.m. APPA Legislative and Resolutions Committee Meeting
State and East Room, Promenade Level

APPA members will consider **11 resolutions on an array of energy and environmental matters**, including one calling for increased energy efficiency in model national building codes and one calling for protection for end-users in the implementation of the Dodd-Frank Act. Rep. Ed Whitfield (R-KY), Chair of the House Subcommittee on Energy and Power of the full House Energy and Commerce Committee will also speak on the energy-related priorities of the current Congress at the meeting.

11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Media Briefing with APPA President & CEO Mark Crisson and Members of the Board of Directors
Rhode Island, Second Floor

12 Noon-1:30 p.m. Luncheon (Political Commentator Paul Begala)
Grand Ballroom, Promenade Level

For questions or a seat at the Tuesday luncheon press table, contact Tobias Sellier, APPA communications specialist, tsellier@APPAnet.org; 202/467-2927. Please RSVP by Monday, February 28. After that date, seating will be on an as-available basis.

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