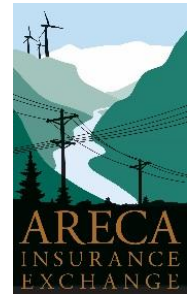


# Alaska Power Association 74th Annual Meeting and ARECA Insurance Exchange Annual Meeting

September 23-26, 2025, Cordova Center, Cordova, Alaska

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## Tuesday, September 23, 2025

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.	<b>Alaska Directors Academy</b>	<b>Cordova Center Auditorium</b>
10 a.m. and 3 p.m.	<b>Plant Tours</b>	<b>Meet at Cordova Center</b>
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	<b>Welcome Reception</b> <i>Sponsored by Cordova Electric Cooperative</i>	<b>Cordova Science Center</b>

## Wednesday, September 24, 2025

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>Sponsored by Kotzebue Electric Association</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	<b>Registration desk open</b>	<b>Cordova Center – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor</b>
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	<b>ARECA Educational Foundation Meetings</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	<b>NRECA Director Training</b>	<b>Cordova Center Auditorium</b>
9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>AK 220 Shareholders Meeting</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<b>Companion Tour</b>	<b>Meet at Cordova Center</b>
9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	<b>Break</b> <i>Sponsored by NWPPA, Alaska Village Electric Cooperative, BDO USA, Homer Electric Association</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
9:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<b>APA Managers' Forum</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b> <i>Sponsored by Federated Rural Electric Insurance Exchange</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
Keynote Lunch speaker:	<b>Electric Utility Legal and Regulatory Update</b> <i>Andy Leman, Counsel, Kemppel, Huffman &amp; Ellis</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<b>ARECA Insurance Exchange Trustees Meeting</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	<b>ARECA Insurance Exchange Reception</b> <i>Sponsored by ARECA Insurance Exchange</i>	<b>TBD</b>

*Agenda subject to change without notice*



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## Thursday, September 25, 2025

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>Sponsored by Chugach Electric Association</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
7:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	<b>Registration desk open</b>	<b>Cordova Center – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor</b>
<b>8:00 am - 10:15 am</b>	<b>APA General Session I</b> <i>Sponsored by Kemppe, Huffman &amp; Ellis</i>	<b>Cordova Center Theater</b>
8:00 am – 8:05 a.m.	<b>Welcome Remarks</b> <b>APA President Linda Freed,</b> <b>Director, Kodiak Electric Association</b>	
8:05 am – 8:35 a.m.	<b>Survive and Thrive in the New Normal</b> Clay Koplin, CEO, Cordova Electric Cooperative	
8:35 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	<b>Intentional Actions: Making a Lasting Impact</b> Sean Vanslyke, Chief Executive Officer, SEMO Electric Cooperative <i>Speaker Sponsor: Professional Computer Solutions</i>	
9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	<b>Wildfire Policy in the West: Navigating Partisan Lines and Powerful Interests</b> Kurt Miller, Executive Director, Northwest Public Power Association <i>Speaker Sponsor: Toth and Associates</i>	
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	<b>Alaska Energy Authority Update</b> Curtis Thayer, Executive Director, Alaska Energy Authority	
10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	<b>Break</b> <i>Sponsored by Holmes, Weddle &amp; Barcott, Copper Valley Electric Association</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
<b>10:45 am - 12:15 pm</b>	<b>APA General Session II</b> <i>Sponsored by City of King Cove</i>	<b>Cordova Center Theater</b>
10:45 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.	<b>NRECA Election</b>	
10:50 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	<b>CEO Panel – an Hour of Power, Moderated by Michael Rovito</b> Participants: Yves Brower, BUECI GM, Brad Janorschke, HEA GM, Alec Mesdag, AEL&P CEO, Clay Koplin, CEC CEO, Brandon Shaw, IPEC CEO	
11:50 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	<b>Robert Venables, Executive Director, Southeast Conference</b>	
12:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b> <i>Sponsored by Barrow Utilities and Electric Cooperative, Inc.</i> <b>Teri Viswanath, Lead Economist, Power, Energy &amp; Water, CoBank</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	<b>APA Board of Directors meeting</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	<b>Cocktails and Silent Auction Viewing</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	<b>Buffet Dinner</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	<b>Awards Banquet Program</b> Banquet speaker: <b>Joel Allen, Senior Vice President &amp; Chief Banking Officer, CFC</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	<b>ARECA Educational Foundation Auction</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>

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## Friday, September 26, 2025

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>Sponsored by Naknek Electric Association</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
<b>8:00 am – 11:00 am</b>	<b>APA General Session III</b> <i>Sponsored by National Information Solutions Cooperative (NISC)</i>	<b>Cordova Center Theater</b>
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	<b>Global Demand for AI and What That Means for Alaska's Microgrids</b> Sam Enoka, Founder & CEO, Greensparc	
8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	<b>Trade Association Reports</b> <b>APA President Report:</b> Linda Freed, Director, Kodiak Electric Association <b>APA Treasurer Report:</b> Jamie Matthews, CEO, Copper Valley Electric Association <b>APA Executive Director Report:</b> Crystal Enkvist, Executive Director, APA	
9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>National Rural Electric Cooperative Association Report</b> Crystal Enkvist, Director, Region 9	
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	<b>Break</b> <i>Sponsored by First National Bank Alaska, Alaska Electric Light &amp; Power, GenPac, INN Electric Co-op</i>	<b>Cordova Center</b>
<b>10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>APA General Session IV</b> <i>Sponsored by Milwaukee Tool</i>	<b>Cordova Center Theater</b>
10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Hydropower: The Caped Crusader of Clean Energy</b> Kurt Miller, Executive Director, Northwest Public Power Association	
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Legislative Review Michae Rovito, Deputy Director, Alaska Power Association	
11:00 a.m.	<b>Membership Networking Lunch (grab and go or stay!)</b>	<b>Cordova Center</b>

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