

PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE*

JULY 20-24, 2014 | WHISTLER, BRITISH COLUMBIA

Sunday, July 20th11:30am-7:00pm **Registration - Fairmont Chateau Whistler**12:00pm - 5:00pm **Executive Board Luncheon Meeting**6:00pm - 8:00pm **Welcome Reception - Fairmont Chateau Whistler**9:00pm **Hospitality Suite****Monday, July 21**7:00am - 5:00pm **Registration-- Fairmont Chateau Whistler**7:30am - 9:00pm **Opening Ceremonies & Breakfast**

9:15am - 12:00pm	Market Access <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Expanding market access for natural resources in the Pacific NW Addressing regional rail, road and port infrastructure needs 	Natural Gas Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impediments to expanding market Off-grid applications 	Workforce Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Economic development opportunities through labor mobility Mechatronics training program 	Forestry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Forest management to reduce wildfire costs
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12:15pm- 1:45pm **Keynote Luncheon** featuring the **Honourable Christy Clark**, Premier of British Columbia (*invited*)

2:00pm - 5:00pm	Energy: LNG Exports <ul style="list-style-type: none"> LNG impacts to regional economy and workforce needs 	Mining <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Best practices for health and safety Community engagement and social license Extractive industries transparencies initiative 	Ocean Policy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oil spill response: Inter-jurisdictional collaboration for rapid response. Challenges for response in remote areas Marine spatial planning 	Agriculture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food safety Food interests in trade agreements including tariff and non-tariff issues
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6:30pm - 8:00pm **Reception at Whistler Blackcomb's Roundhouse Lounge.** Group will travel 6,069ft/1,850m via the Whistler Village Gondola. Please see website for registration information.9:00pm **Hospitality Suite****Tuesday, July 22**7:00am - 5:00pm **Registration-- Fairmont Chateau Whistler**7:30am - 9:00pm **Keynote Breakfast**

9:15am - 12:00pm	Energy & Environment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Best practices in energy efficiency & green energy services Policy trends to promote renewable energy 	Trade and Economic Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. - Canada Regulatory Co-operation Council initiatives 	Invasive Species <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zebra and Quagga mussel prevention Industry initiatives to prevent the spread of invasive species 	Cross-Border Livestock Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Veterinary drug submission harmonization Zoning for foreign animal diseases Meat and poultry certification
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12:15pm - 1:45pm **Keynote Luncheon** featuring **His Excellency Gary Doer**, Ambassador of Canada to the United States of America (*invited*) and **His Excellency Bruce Heyman**, Ambassador of the United States of America to Canada (*invited*).* Schedule is tentative and subject to change. Please visit www.pnwer.org/2014summit for regular updates and registration.

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Tuesday, July 22 Continued

2:00pm - 5:00pm	Energy Storage <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State of industry in PNWER region Trends and challenges in energy storage technologies <i>(note this session runs from 2:00pm—6:00pm)</i>	Border Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cross-border clusters pilot project Regional Roundtable to suggest new issues for the Beyond the Border Action Plan 	Invasive Species <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Early detection and rapid response Pathways based risk assessment 	Cross-Border Livestock Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dairy farm audit Animal welfare Disease safeguards at the border 	Innovation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cross-border regional collaboration for startups Supporting entrepreneurs
6:30pm	Open Evening - Enjoy Whistler!				
9:00pm	Hospitality Suite				

Wednesday, July 23

7:00am - 5:00pm	Registration— Fairmont Chateau Whistler					
7:30am - 9:00pm	Keynote Breakfast featuring Mike Hamilton, “Cybersecurity Meets Government, Meets Infrastructure: A Briefing for Legislators”					
9:15am - 12:00pm	Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none">Truck size and weights	University Presidents’ Roundtable	Arctic Caucus	Cross-Border Livestock Health <ul style="list-style-type: none">Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea (PEDAntiparasitic resistance	Water Policy <ul style="list-style-type: none">Water governancePolicy choices: economics and environment	Tourism <ul style="list-style-type: none">Two Nation Vacation and NorpassVisa pilot projectBest practices in marketing and new opportunities
12:15pm- 1:30pm	Keynote Luncheon featuring Governor Steve Bullock, Montana (Invited)					
1:45pm - 2:45pm	Columbia River	Plenary				
3:00pm - 5:00pm	Treaty Symposium 1:45pm—5:00pm	Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none">Greening supply chainsRegional rail and port capacity	University Presidents’ Roundtable	Cross-Border Livestock Health <ul style="list-style-type: none">Genetically modified organisms and livestock feed	Executive Committee Meeting	Policy Tours
6:00pm - 8:00pm	Reception					
9:00pm	Hospitality Suite					

Thursday, July 24th

8:00am	Optional Continental Breakfast				
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