

JULY 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3 6:00 pm City Council Meeting	4 City Offices Closed 4th of July	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 6:00 pm Parks & Rec Committee 6:00 pm Tree Comm. 7:00 pm City Council	18	19	20	21	22
23	24 6:30 pm Finance and Budget Committee 7:30 pm Safety and Human Resource Committee	25 4:30 pm Civil Service Commission	26 6:30 pm Parks and Rec Board	27	28	29
30	31 <i>Fifth Monday ~ no scheduled meetings</i>					



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Memorandum

To: City Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Finance Director, City Law Director, Department Supervisors, News-media
From: Roxanne Dietrich, Acting Clerk of Council
Date: July 7, 2023
Subject: Electric Committee Meeting Canceled

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Electric Committee for Monday, July 10, 2023 at 6:30 pm has been CANCELED due to lack of agenda items.



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Memorandum

To: Board of Public Affairs, City Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Finance Director, City Law Director, Department Supervisors, News-media
From: Roxanne Dietrich, Acting Clerk of Council
Date: July 7, 2023
Subject: Board of Public Affairs Meeting Canceled

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Public Affairs for Monday, July 10, 2023 at 6:30 pm has been CANCELED due to lack of agenda items.



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Memorandum

To: Water, Sewer, Refuse, Recycling & Litter Committee,
City Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Finance Director,
Law Director, Department Supervisors, News-media

From: Roxanne Dietrich, Acting Clerk of Council

Date: July 7, 2023

Subject: Water, Sewer, Refuse, Recycling & Litter
Committee Meeting Canceled

The regularly scheduled meeting of the **Water, Sewer, Refuse, Recycling and Litter Committee** for Monday, July 10, 2023 at 7:00 pm has been CANCELED due to lack of agenda items.



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Memorandum

To: City Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Finance Director, Law Director, Department Supervisors, News-media
From: Roxanne Dietrich – Acting Clerk of Council
Date: July 7, 2023
Subject: Municipal Properties, Building, Land Use and Economic Development Committee – Cancellation

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Municipal Properties, Building, Land Use and Economic Development Committee for Monday, July 10, 2023 at 7:30 pm has been CANCELED due to lack of agenda items.



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Memorandum

To: Board of Zoning Appeals, City Council, Mayor, City Manager, City Finance Director, Law Director, Department Supervisors, News-media
From: Roxanne Dietrich, Acting Clerk of Council
Date: July 7, 2023
Subject: Board of Zoning Appeals – Cancellation

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Zoning Appeals set for Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 4:30 pm has been CANCELED due to lack of agenda items.



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Memorandum

To: Planning Commission, City Council, Mayor,
City Manager, City Finance Director, City Law
Director, Department Supervisors, News-media

From: Roxanne Dietrich – Acting Clerk of Council

Date: July 7, 2023

Subject: Planning Commission – Cancellation

The regularly scheduled meeting of the **PLANNING COMMISSION** for Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 5:00 pm has been *cancelled* due to lack of agenda items.

AMP Update for June 30, 2023

American Municipal Power, Inc.

Fri 6/30/2023 4:21 PM

To:Roxanne Dietrich <rdietrich@napoleonohio.com>



June 30, 2023

Scott Corwin named president and CEO of APPA

By Jolene Thompson – President/CEO

On June 29, the American Public Power Association (APPA) Board of Directors named Scott Corwin to be the association's next president and CEO. Scott will begin in this role on Aug. 16.



Scott currently serves as executive director of the Northwest Public Power Association (NWPPA), a regional association of more than 150 public/people's utility districts, electric cooperatives, municipalities and Crown corporations in Alaska, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming and British Columbia, all with a diverse interest in fossil fuel and renewable generation portfolios. NWPPA also serves the networking needs of over 350 associate members who are allied with the electric utility industry.

Scott previously served as the executive director of the Public Power Council, advocating for public power's access to federal power from the Bonneville Power Administration. In his time with the NWPPA, he has been very active with APPA. He previously served as chair of the APPA Power Marketing Administration Task Force and served on the board for PowerPAC. He also served on the APPA Advisory and Nominating committees.

I have had the pleasure of working with Scott for many years. He is member focused, and his state and federal legislative background and significant association experience should serve APPA and its members well. I look forward to working with him in his new capacity and ask you to join me in congratulating him on his new role.

See the full new release of this announcement from the APPA [here](#). If you have any questions about Scott, please contact me at 614.540.0992 or jthompson@amppartners.org.

Energy market update

By Jerry Willman – vice president of energy marketing

The August 2023 natural gas contract increased \$0.033/MMBtu to close at \$2.701 yesterday. The EIA reported an injection of 76 Bcf for the week ending June 23, which was below market expectations of 83 Bcf. Last year was an injection of 81 Bcf and the five-year average was +80 Bcf. Storage is now 2,805 Bcf, 25.3 percent above a year ago and 14.6 percent above the five-year average.

On-peak power prices for 2024 at AD Hub closed yesterday at \$49.25/MWh, which was \$0.70/MWh lower for the week.

On Peak (16 hour) prices into AEP/Dayton

Week ending June 30

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
\$34.13	\$35.08	\$34.85	\$43.14	\$43.17

Week ending June 23

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
\$35.08	\$31.75	\$31.70	\$30.58	\$34.60

Week ending July 1, 2022

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
\$86.69	\$72.85	\$99.51	\$107.29	\$111.34

AEP/Dayton 2024 5x16 price as of June 29 — \$49.25

AEP/Dayton 2024 5x16 price as of June 22 — \$49.95

AFEC weekly update

By Jerry Willman

The AMP Fremont Energy Center (AFEC) was in 2x1 configuration for the week. Duct firing operated for 118 hours this week. The plant cycled offline overnight on Saturday and Sunday based on PJM economics. For the week, the plant generated at a 86.3 percent capacity factor, based on 675 megawatt rating.

AMP holds regional power supply conference

By Craig Kleinhenz – assistant vice president of power supply planning

On June 26, AMP hosted a regional power supply conference in Salem, Va. to provide Members with information on power supply-related issues. Topics included:

- Energy markets, capacity and transmission update;
- Power resource update; and
- PJM overview.

If you were unable to attend, a recording of last week's virtual conference is [available here](#) on the [Member Extranet](#) (login required). A YouTube link is also available to Members upon request. If you have questions about regional power supply conferences or would like a YouTube link, please contact Diane Black, AMP project administrative assistant, at 614.540.0850 or dblack@amppartners.org.

- [Hard Hat Safety Award](#) (more than one award may be given)
- [Innovation Award](#) (one award for each of four categories)
- [Public Power Promotion Award](#) (more than one award may be given)
- [Safety Award](#) (more than one award may be given)
- [Service Distinction Award](#) (more than one award may be given)
- [Seven Hats Award](#) (only one award given each year)
- [System Improvement Award](#) (one award for each of four categories)

Details about each award and nomination forms are available on the AMP website [here](#).

Members can nominate themselves or others for the AMP Annual Awards. Award recipients will be recognized at the 2023 AMP Annual Conference, Sept. 25–27, 2023, at the Hilton Columbus at Easton, Columbus, Ohio.

Nominations will only be accepted electronically via the [AMP Awards Program webpage](#). Deadline for nomination submissions is July 26, 2023.

If you have questions, please contact Amanda Smithey, members events and program manager at asmithey@amppartners.org or 614.540.6403.



Understanding ransomware threat actors: LockBit

Article provided by the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency

In 2022, LockBit was the most deployed ransomware variant across the world and continues to be prolific in 2023. Since January 2020, affiliates using LockBit have attacked organizations of varying sizes across an array of critical infrastructure sectors, including financial services, food and agriculture, education, energy, government and emergency services, healthcare, manufacturing and transportation.

LockBit ransomware operation functions as a ransomware-as-a-service (RaaS) model where affiliates are recruited to conduct ransomware attacks using LockBit ransomware tools and infrastructure. Due to the large number of unconnected affiliates in the operation, LockBit ransomware attacks vary significantly in observed tactics, techniques and procedures (TTPs). This variance in observed ransomware TTPs presents a notable challenge for organizations working to maintain network security and protect against a ransomware threat.

The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA), Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Multi-State Information Sharing and Analysis Center and the following international partners, hereafter referred to as authoring organizations, are releasing this [Cybersecurity Advisory \(CSA\)](#) detailing observed activity in LockBit ransomware incidents and providing recommended mitigations to enable network defenders to proactively improve their organization's defenses against this ransomware operation.

- Australian Cyber Security Centre (ACSC)
- Canadian Centre for Cyber Security (CCCS)
- United Kingdom's National Cyber Security Centre (NCSC-UK)
- National Cybersecurity Agency of France (ANSSI)
- Germany's Federal Office for Information Security (BSI)
- New Zealand's Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT NZ) and National Cyber Security Centre (NCSC NZ)

The authoring organizations encourage the implementation of the recommendations found in the [CSA](#) to reduce the likelihood and impact of future ransomware incidents.

CISA is a U.S. federal agency, an operational component under the Department of Homeland Security.

PSGC employees mentor local students

By Alyssa Harre – vice president of external affairs and organizational strategy, PSGC

This spring, 12 Prairie State Generating Company (PSGC) employees volunteered to mentor students from Marissa High School.

Project UP (Utilizing Potential) is a program for at-risk students in Marissa. Every other week in the spring, these students came to



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2023 AMP Annual Conference

Sept. 25-27
Hilton Columbus at Easton



Classifieds

Members interested in posting classifieds in *Update* may send a job description with start and end advertisement dates to zhoffman@amppartners.org. There is no charge for this service.

DEMEC seeks senior vice president of administration

The Delaware Municipal Electric Corporation (DEMEC) is seeking applicants for the position of senior vice president (SVP) of administration. This position is responsible for supporting the implementation of short- and long-term strategic priorities and business objectives through strategic planning, project management and operational execution. The SVP coordinates with staff to enhance business performance and generate unity through communication and cooperation in departments. The SVP also serves as governance to establish processes across business operations functions to drive annual strategy, budgeting process, communications strategy and special projects while working closely with the president and CEO.

The successful applicant will have a bachelor's degree from accredited college or university, with a master's degree preferred; at least seven years of leadership or management experience; prior experience developing, maintaining and improving processes to achieve greater efficiencies and performance; prior experience in HR management; knowledge of related industry, organization and department policies, practices and procedures; trust-based leadership style with high ethical standards and professional conduct, possessing competence, judgment and personal commitment to the company; thorough knowledge of project management and process improvement; thorough knowledge of people management/leadership.

A full job description can be [viewed here](#). Resumes and cover letters should be sent to jobs@demecinc.net by July 25. This position is open until filled.

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City of Bryan seeks operations manager

The City of Bowling Green is seeking applicants for the position of operations manager for Bryan Municipal Utilities (BMU). BMU is a customer-owned, non-profit municipal utility providing water, electric and communications services to the residents of Bryan. Presently, the utility serves approximately 6,000 customers.

Bryan Municipal Utilities began over 100 years ago with the establishment of the Bryan waterworks in 1892. Electric service was added in 1896 when the residents of Bryan voted to create their own electric company. Communications services were added in 1998 to provide Bryan with a fiber-optic system designed to provide internet access and data transfer.