**TO:** NAESB Wholesale Electric Quadrant (WEQ) Business Practice Subcommittee (BPS) Participants, Retail Markets Quadrant (RMQ) BPS Participants, and other Interested Industry Parties

**FROM:** Caroline Trum, Director of Wholesale Electric Activities

**RE:** Joint WEQ/RMQ Business Practices Subcommittees (BPS) and RMQ BPS Meeting Announcement and Agenda – April 21, 2025

**DATE:** April 7, 2025

Dear NAESB WEQ BPS Participants, RMQ BPS Participants, and other Interested Parties,

A joint meeting of the WEQ BPS and RMQ BPS is scheduled for Monday, April 21, 2025 from 2:00 to 3:00 PM Central. During the meeting, the participants will begin to discuss the next annual plan item jointly assigned to the subcommittees regarding the development of information and reporting requirements to support distributed energy resources (DERs), the development of business practice standards to support the integration of DER/DER aggregation registries by the industry. Please note that immediately following this discussion, the RMQ BPS will meet to discuss the development of distributed ledger technology (DLT) model business practices to support the automation of the NAESB Distribution Grid Services Base Contract and Conditions Precedent Addendum. WEQ participants are encouraged to participate to ensure that the changes to the contract align with wholesale market needs. The meeting agenda is included below and posted to the WEQ BPS and RMQ BPS pages of the NAESB website.

As with all NAESB meetings, this meeting is open to any interested party regardless of membership status within NAESB. Consistent with the NAESB non-member meeting participation [policy](http://www.naesb.org/pdf4/naesb_web_site_faq.pdf), non-members must register through the following hyperlink and pay the non-member meeting participation fee: <https://naesb.org/committee_activities.asp>.

All participants are encouraged to read the NAESB Antitrust and Other Meetings Policies prior to the meeting: <http://www.naesb.org/misc/antitrust_guidance.doc>.

Best Regards,

Caroline Trum

**NORTH AMERICAN ENERGY STANDARDS BOARD**

**Joint WEQ/RMQ BPS and RMQ BPS Meeting**

**Conference Call with Webcasting**

**Monday, April 21, 2025 from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM Central**

**DRAFT AGENDA**

1. Welcome and Administrative Item
* [Antitrust and Other Meeting Policies](http://www.naesb.org/misc/antitrust_guidance.doc)
* Introduction of Attendees
* Adoption of Agenda
* Adoption of Available Draft Minutes
	+ February 18, 2025
	+ October 16, 2024
1. Joint WEQ/RMQ BPS Discussion: 2025 WEQ Annual Plan Item 5.a / 2025 RMQ Annual Plan Item 2.b – Consider and develop business practices to support the integration of DER/DER aggregation registries by the industry
* Overview Standards Development Effort
* Identify Next Steps and Action Items
* Discuss Future Meetings
1. RMQ BPS Discussion: 2025 RMQ Annual Plan Item 2.d – Develop Distributed Ledger Technology (DLT) RMQ Model Business Practices to support the automation of the NAESB Distribution Grid Services Base Contract and Conditions Precedent Addendum
* Overview Standards Development Effort
* Identify Next Steps and Action Items
* Discuss Future Meetings
1. Adjourn