

## **GOOD NEWS!**

# Net Metering/Rate Case Update (pt. 1)

The PSC's decisions on the Madison Gas & Electric (MGE) docket were made on Friday. Here's what you should know:

- MG&E's "half-hearted" proposal to overhaul net metering was REJECTED!
- Originally asked for 7.3% increase in rates over the next 5 years increase will be limited to 5.7%

This is a tremendous win! We expect that the PSC will make its decisions on the WPL (or Alliant Energy) case this Thursday - stay tuned!

# Net Metering/Rate Case Update (pt. 2)

Our work as an intervenor in these cases has been critical - but what does an intervenor even do? And who helped us do it?



## **Our Representation**

Dan Gustafson, Senior Staff Attorney



### MGE [ Docket: 327-UR-125]

- 1. MGE Testimony: <u>Greenler</u> & <u>Hachten</u>
- 2. MGE Initial Brief
- MGE Reply Brief

### WPL/Alliant [Docket: 6680-UR-124]

- 1. WPL Testimony: Greenler & Hachten
- 2. WPL Initial Brief
- 3. WPL Reply Brief

HUGE thank you to Attorney Dan Gustafson for the incredible support he provided throughout our intervention, and to Dr. Liz Hachten for her energy equity work, brilliant testimony, and invaluable contributions to both cases!





Let's take a moment to take 2 deep breaths together and reflect on our ties to this land we live on.





# Agenda for our Monthly Meeting

7.00	Good news, fand acknowledgement and welcome
7:10	Small group "get to know each other" breakout rooms
7.20	Climate Cafe Densions for Missonsin, Divest from Fossil Fuels!

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7:20 Climate Safe Pensions for Wisconsin: Divest from Fossil Fuels!

Kelly Kearns, Co-Lead, Monthly Meeting team will introduce

Peter Knotek and Anne Steinberg, Climate Safe Pensions for Wisconsin

7:50 Teams' Action Updates

7.00

8:05

Optional breakout rooms:

 Chatting with our speakers

Main room: Newcomer welcome



# **Greeting each other in zoom breakouts**

Share your name, where you're from, and how you're involved with 350 Wisconsin And then share your response to the following question:

If you could implement one policy to combat climate change, what would it be?

# [Speaker slides on separate deck]



Action Updates



This toolkit was created to help Wisconsinites across the state get involved in the fight against Line 5 and to spread awareness about this critical issue through a variety of actions.

- Write a Letter to the Editor
- Host a Line 5 speaker
- Table or flier in your community
- Share on social media
- ...and more!



# Request a 'Reject Line 5' Yard Sign!

Also looking for people to distribute - sign up using the link in the chat!







- GivingTuesday is 3 weeks away!!
- Theme: "Together for the Climate" recognizes the power of grassroots climate action
- An important fundraiser for 350 Wisconsin Our goal is to raise \$25,000 by 11/28!
- Many ways to be involved:
  - Celebration at Garver Feed Mill on Nov 28th!
  - Silent Auction: Nov 18 Nov 29
  - 350 WI GivingTuesday Ambassador (Peer-to-Peer Fundraising)



# A celebration of our community, partners & volunteers - JOIN US! Garver Feed Mill-Gallery, November 28th, 7-9pm

- FREE! Get your ticket now!
- 350 Wisconsin Year-in-Review
- Hors d'oeuvres, dessert, cash bar
- Live music
- Silent Auction (includes <u>Team Baskets</u>)

- Take-an-Action
- Self-care for activist mini-chair massages
- Door prizes!
- Volunteer Recognition!





- Art & Handmade Items
- Gift Cards
- Experiences & Skillshares
- Sports & Outdoor Activities
- Gifts & Personal Care

- Music & Theater
- Food & Coffee
- Books
- Team Baskets (in-person)



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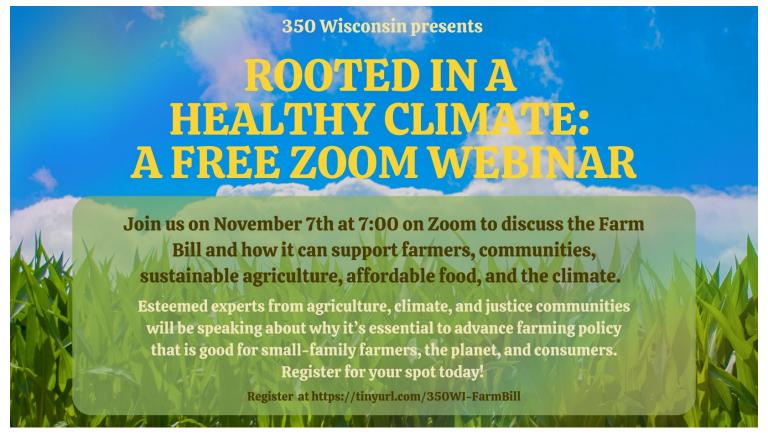




An easy fun way to share your passion for climate justice with your friends and family and help 350 Wisconsin start 2024 strong!

## It's easy to participate!

- Registration Link is in the chat
- Reach out with any questions to kristen.clark@350wisconsin.org
- Fundraising Team Meeting Wed November 15th, 2023 7pm!
- Peer to Peer Launch Meeting Wed November 15th, 2023 6pm!





## **NEW! Staff Office Hours**

We're holding monthly(ish) staff office hours (hat tip to the Sierra Club for this cool idea)! This is a great time to drop in (*no appointment needed!*) to talk through an idea, give some feedback, ask a question, or just say hi. Staff at the office hours will rotate each month.

Normally we'll be doing this the fourth Tuesday of the month, 3-5 PM... but because of the holidays, we'll be doing a combined Nov/Dec session!

Tuesday December 5, 3-5 PM, Zoom

For a Zoom link, please check the public 350 Wisconsin calendar (<a href="https://350wisconsin.org/meeting-event-calendar/">https://350wisconsin.org/meeting-event-calendar/</a> or go to our website, click "Events", then "Meeting/Event Calendar")



## Volunteer of the Month

Keep an eye out for Giving Tuesday!

# Internship Opportunities

Fundraising and Communication Intern

Community Climate Solutions Team Intern

Tar Sands Team Intern

Apply by sending a cover letter and resume to Nikki at <a href="mailto:nikki.darga@350wisconsin.org">nikki.darga@350wisconsin.org</a>. Make sure to specify which internship is being applied for.



# Next monthly meeting

- December 4, sustainability from the perspective of builders
  - with Ben Austin of Findorff Construction

On Zoom only



## Upcoming team meetings

Tar Sands: 1st Mondays 5:30-6:30 pm

Contact: <u>britnie.remer@350wisconsin.org</u>

Climate Justice: 2nd Mondays 7:00–8:30 pm

Contact: Marian.Fredal@350madison.org

Communication Action (CAT): 3rd Mondays 7:00-8:30 pm Contact <a href="maily.Park@350wisconsin.org">Emily.Park@350wisconsin.org</a>

Divest & Defund: 4th Mondays 7-8:30 pm Contact <a href="mailto:divest.defund@350wisconsin.org">divest.defund@350wisconsin.org</a>



# Upcoming team meetings

Community Climate Solutions: 3rd Thursdays 5-6 pm

Contact: Susan.Millar@350wisconsin.org

Art Collective:

Contact: Russ Bennett <u>bennett.russ@gmail.com</u>
Dianne Brakarsh <u>movingfromwithin@gmail.com</u>

State Policy: Contact Janet Niewold <a href="mailto:janet.neiwold@gmail.com">janet.neiwold@gmail.com</a>

Fundraising: 3rd Wednesdays 7-8pm

Contact <u>stephanie.robinson@350wisconsin.org</u>

Monthly Meeting: Monday Nov 20, 7-8 pm: Contact: <u>Julia.lsaacs@350wisconsin.org</u>



## Time for breakouts!

Stay here if you're a newcomer

Room 1 Q&A with speakers

If you are unable to find the button or choose a room, put a message in the chat indicating which room you would like to join.



