WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2026

2:30 p.m.		Registration and exhibitor interaction
3:15 p.m.	4:00 p.m.	KMGA Board of Directors Meeting
4:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.	KMEA Board of Directors Meeting
5:00 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	Member appreciation reception/exhibitor interaction
6:30 p.m.	8:30 p.m.	Member recognition banquet

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2026

7:30 a.m.	8:55 a.m.	Breakfast
8:55 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	Opening remarks
9:00 a.m.	9:50 a.m.	Energy Industry Update- Courtney Mehan (Tenaska)
9:50 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	Break

Breakout Sessions I

10:00 a.m.	10:45 a.m.	Natural gas market update- Don Krattenmaker and Alan Pederson (WoodRiver Energy)
10:00 a.m.	10:45 a.m.	AI Without the Hype: Practical and Safe Uses for Public Power- Scott Hardee (Platinum Information Services)
10:00 a.m.	10:45 a.m.	Creating a Utility Wildfire Mitigation Program: Lessons, Tools, and Templates- Eric Rajchel (Vantage Point)
10:45 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	Sponsor exhibitor interaction

Breakout Sessions II

11:05 a.m.	11:50 a.m.	Large loads: what you need to know- Heather Starnes (HHS Services) and Greg DuMars (KMU)
11:05 a.m.	11:50 a.m.	ECA & PGA's 101: understanding the basics- Darren Prince (KMEA)
11:05 a.m.	11:50 a.m.	Poles, policy, and practices: A Kansas municipal guide to attachments and rights-of-way- Colleen Jamison (Jamison Law)
11:50 a.m.	1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m.	1:50 p.m.	Legislative update- Brad Mears (KMU) and Kimberly Svaty (Gencur Svaty Public Affairs)
1:50 p.m.	2:50 p.m.	Keynote Speaker- Caleb Campbell

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