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## 2018 Environmental Policy and Outlook Conference

Tuesday, May 15, 2018 • TIME 9 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

## **Agenda**

AM Session -

Water Quality: Pathways to Sustainability

9:00am - Keynote: Gail Hesse, National Wildlife Federation: "Lake Erie: Finding Smart, Realistic, Sustainable Solutions for a Healthy Lake"

9:45am - Allen Klaiber, Associate Professor: "The Economic Impacts of Harmful Algal Blooms"

10:10am- Brent Sohngen, Professor:
"How Much Could it Cost to Meet a 40%
Reduction in Phosphorus Emissions in
the Western Lake Erie Basin?"

11:00am - Panel:

Karl Gebhart, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Kristy Meyer, Ohio Environmental Council and Yvonne Lesicko, Ohio Farm Bureau PM Session -

**Energy: Economics & Policy of Renewables and Climate Change** 

1:00pm - Keynote: Beth Trombold, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO): "Change is Coming to How You Use Power"

1:45pm - Dave Sims, Avangrid Renewables LLC: "Renewable Energy Markets"

2:30pm - Scott Weaver, American Electric Power: "AEP's Clean Energy Future"

3:00pm - Panel:
What should the future of energy in Ohio be? How do we get there?

Senator Bill Beagle, Trish Demeter, Ohio Environmental Council and Mike Shelton, The Ohio State University

4:30 conclude



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