

Agenda
EPRI Greenhouse Gas Emissions Offset Policy Dialogue
Workshop 4
February 19, 2009

Hotel Monaco
Washington, DC

- 7:45 am** **Continental Breakfast**
- 8:15 **Welcome and Meeting Objectives**
 ■ Adam Diamant, Senior Project Manager, Electric Power Research Institute
- 8:25 **Review Agenda and Introductions**
 ■ Rich Rosenzweig, Chief Operating Officer, Natsource LLC
- 8:35 **Overview of Terrestrial Offset Types and Key Policy Issues**
 ■ Adam Diamant, Electric Power Research Institute
- 9:00 Clarifying questions
- 9:15 **Perspective from Capitol Hill on Issues that Require Resolution**
 ■ Chris Adamo, Legislative Counsel, Office of Senator Stabenow (D-MI)
- 9:30 **Potential for Agricultural and Forest Carbon Sequestration in the U.S.**
 ■ Steve Rose, Senior Project Manager, Electric Power Research Institute
- 10:00 Participant Discussion
- 10:30 Break
- 10:45 **Issues Related to Permanence**
 ■ Bruce McCarl, Distinguished Professor, Department of Agricultural Economics,
 Texas A&M University
- 11:05 **Respondent**
 ■ Mark Gaede, Director of Government Affairs for Environmental Policy,
 National Association of Wheat Growers
- 11:15 Participant Discussion

- 11:45 pm** **Lunch**
- Mary Frances Repko, Senior Policy Advisor, Office of Majority Leader Steny Hoyer (D-MD), U.S. House of Representatives
- 12:45 **Issues Related to Leakage**
- Brian Murray, Director for Economic Analysis, Nicholas Institute for Environmental Policy Solutions, Duke University
- 1:05 **Respondent**
- Gary Kaster, Program Officer, Winrock International
- 1:15 **Potential Options to Address Permanence and Leakage**
- William Hohenstein, Director, Global Change Program Office, U.S. Department of Agriculture
- 1:30 Participant Discussion
- 2:00 Break
- 2:15 **How Existing Programs Have Attempted to Address Permanence and Leakage**
- Ellysar Baroudy, BioCarbon Fund Manager, World Bank
 - John Nickerson, Senior Forestry Consultant, California Climate Action Registry
 - Rob Fowler, Emissions Trading Specialist, Booz & Company
- 3:00 Clarifying Questions
- 3:15 **Respondents**
- Diane Fitzgerald, Managing Director Environment and Safety, American Electric Power
 - David Tenny, President and CEO, National Alliance of Forest Owners
 - Jake Schmidt, International Climate Policy Director, Natural Resources Defense Council
- 3:45 Participant Discussion
- 4:15 **Summary and Next Steps**
- Adam Diamant, Electric Power Research Institute
 - Richard Rosenzweig, Natsource, LLC
- 4:30** **Adjourn**