2021 Fall Energy Symposium & Tour – Wallowa County

DATE: SEPTEMBER 13th – September 15th, 2021
LOCATION: Wallowa County

EVENT AGENDA

Monday, September 13th

- 12:30pm Welcome and refreshments at Terminal Gravity Brewing (803 School St, Enterprise, OR 97828)

- 1:30pm Depart for Wallowa County Community Solar Project Installation (81855 Homan Ln, Enterprise, OR 97828) *The site of one of Oregon's first community solar projects*

- 2:00pm Arrive at Park Street Solar (603 W Silver St, Enterprise OR 97828) *Fleet Development's multifamily solar project for low- and moderate-income Oregonians*

- 2:40pm Depart for Wallowa County Service District
  *A tour of two Wallowa County gems – micro hydro-power and Wallowa Lake*

- 6:00pm Evening Reception at La Laguna, (507 N Main St, Joseph, OR 97846)

Tuesday, September 14th

Nez Perce Wallowa Homeland Longhouse, 70956 Whiskey Creek Rd., Wallowa, OR 97885 (we will be seated outside)

- 8:45am Registration and check-in

- 9:00am Welcome and introduction to the day, with Nez Perce Wallowa Homeland Executive Committee member Ralph Swinehart

- 9:30am Panel: Empowerment through community energy planning, with Marla Harvey, Mid-Columbia Economic Development District, Eric Strid, Hood River Energy Council, Caryn Appler, Energy Trust of Oregon, Susan Badger-Jones, Wallowa Resources
Tuesday, September 14th, cont.

- 10:30am Coffee Break

- 10:45am Panel: Tapping into hydro power through irrigation modernization, with Joe Dawson, Wallowa Irrigation District, Kyle Petrocine, Energy Trust of Oregon, Jessica Humphrey, Trout Unlimited, Matt Melchiorsen, Farmers Conservation Alliance (invited)

- 11:45am Sack lunch break: Tour of Forth’s Electric Vehicle Mobile Showcase. Test drive an electric vehicle!

- 12:45pm Panel: Forest stewardship for carbon management and biomass energy potential, with Nils Christoffersen, Wallowa Resources and Matt King, Heartwood Biomass

- 1:45pm Panel: Checking in on Oregon’s Community Solar Program, with Ryan Cook, Energy Trust of Oregon, Ryan Sheehy, Fleet Development, Ray Sanchez-Pescador, Solarize Rogue

- 1:45pm: Oregon Department of Energy updates and resources, with Wendy Simons, Energy Policy Analyst

- 3:00pm Break and tour the grounds. Test drive an electric vehicle!

- 3:30pm Depart for Heartwood Biomass Campus Tour

- 5:00pm Adjourn (dinner on your own)

Wednesday, September 15th

- 9:00am Convene at Terminal Gravity Brewing (803 School St, Enterprise, OR 97828)

- 9:30am Depart for Lostine River Restoration Project
  Community resilience through forest restoration and wood energy potential

- 11:00am Adjourn

This event is hosted by Sustainable Northwest, with support from Energy Trust of Oregon, Wallowa Resources, Wy’East RC&D, and Heartwood Biomass