



The NGEAO Connection

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Welcome New NGEAO Board Members (Better Late Than Never)

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“Do you know that it is National Procrastination Week?” I heard this on the radio this morning as I was on my way to work. I was not surprised. I had been postponing doing this NGEAO newsletter for two weeks. I had never attempted to do a newsletter. EVER. So, this was going to be a challenge. I found out that I would need to load NGEAO’s 1998 version of their publishing software on my computer. You know how it goes...anytime you try to do something new, it is always a challenge. I had to hunt down our Vice President to get permission to load the software on my machine.

Once it was loaded on my computer, I began the process of pulling together the newsletter. I wrote an article for the front page, sorted through all of the bios and pictures of the new board members and pasted them into the newsletter template. I found the links, quotes and cartoons people had been sending me over the past couple of months. I picked out a few and added them.

I found the announcements of all of the upcoming events that NGEAO is hosting and included them. I found photos from NGEAO’s donations to OU and OSU and cut and pasted those photos in as well. (NGEAO also donated to TU, but the photo was in the last newsletter).

I called my fellow board members, Debbie Lessert and Kim King to make sure that the information I had on the committee members were correct. I saved the document for the final time and breathed a huge sigh of relief. I had completed my very first newsletter!

I noticed that the program was taking a very long time to save. I had saved numerous times but it has not taken this long. A notice popped up on my computer that said there had been an error and my publishing software would have to shut down. It also asked if I wanted to send an error report. I clicked the yes box. I knew I had saved recently so I was not worried if I had lost a little data since the last save. I could re-create it. No problem.

I was not prepared for what happened next. I went to open my document and it was not there. You MUST be kidding. ARE YOU KIDDING? WHERE IS IT? It was nowhere to be found. GONE. My IT guy was out as well, so I had no help. I work for a small business, so I either had to wait for him until tomorrow or just start over from scratch. UGH! So, here we go.

This is my SECOND article I have ever written for a newsletter. I’m starting over. Procrastinators beware. Bad things happen to those who postpone.

I hope you enjoy my first (and second) attempt at a newsletter. The first article I wrote welcomed the new board members. So, (again) I would like to say WELCOME to the new board members!!! They are Paul Belflower, William Sattre, Lisa Norwood, Ty Peck, Colby Tiffie, Jim Stengle, Tracy Holmes, Megan Woodworth and Allen Gould. I have enjoyed reading your bios (twice) and figuring out who each of you are. I look forward to seeing how each of your talents will contribute to the success of NGEAO in 2010. Would one of you like to help with the newsletter? I am looking for someone who won’t procrastinate.

Kristin Mackey



Links from Members

<http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/> - PIMMA— Pipeline Integrity Management Mapping Application - National Pipeline Mapping System.

“I have used this mapping website and find it useful.” - Lisa Norwood, Manager, Gas Marketing and Trading, ENERFIN Resources.

Know Your Association

Meet Your 2010 NGEAO NEW Board Members



Paul Belflower

I'm a VP at Mustang Fuel Corporation. I am responsible for marketing our equity and plant supply along with risk management for the Mustang Companies. I received my Bachelors Degree in Journalism from OSU in 1979. Before joining Mustang, I was with Grace Petroleum Corporation. I'm a member of the NGEAO and the NESA. I am a native of OKC have been married for 29 years and have three children.

Having been a member of the NGEAO since the mid-1980s, my schedule now allows me to devote more time to our organization. I would like to see the NGEAO take on a more active public relations role in promoting our organization to the industry and public as to what services marketing and transportation provide and the value we bring to the energy business.



Megan Woodworth

Hi, I'm Megan Woodworth and I work for Chesapeake Energy as a volume controller. I deal with some mid-con pipes and am currently starting to transition into some east Texas pipes as well. I've been with Chesapeake for 4 years this coming June. I decided to join the Board because I wanted to start becoming more involved in the industry and love meeting new people! Hopefully I can bring some new ideas to the table from the perspective of some of the 'newbies' to the industry and learn a lot along the way!



Lisa Norwood

Lisa Norwood is Manger of Gas Marketing at Enerfin Resources, and has over 15 years experience in the energy business, including natural gas origination, marketing, transportation and fuel management. Ms. Norwood previously served in several management and individual contributor roles while working for Sequent Energy Corp, Calpine Corporation, Sonat Marketing Company and Transco. She holds a Bachelor of Business Administration and MBA from the University of Houston and is past president of the International Association of Energy Economics and a member of the NESA and first year delegate board member of NGEAO.

NO PHOTO
AVAILABLE

Colby Tiffie

Sorry! No photo or bio available at time of publication.

Opportunity is Knocking

Are you interested in working on the newsletter? We can use a fresh perspective and insightful articles. Please contact [Kristin Mackey](#).

A Few NEW Faces

Meet Your 2010 NGEAO NEW Board Members (Continued)



Tracy A. Holmes

Tracy Holmes is Director, Transportation Trading for OGE Energy Resources, Inc., the marketing and trading subsidiary of Enogex inc., based in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She is responsible for marketing and trading of natural gas transportation, related financial products, and natural gas scheduling services provided by OGE Energy Resources, Inc.

Mrs. Homes joined OGE Energy Resources, Inc. in May of 1998 as a Power Trader, having previously served in various positions with Enogex Inc. and Mustang Fuel Corporation.

She has over 20 years of business experience, including her affiliation with natural gas and power trading, transportation, volume control, scheduling and business development within the Energy sector.

Mrs. Holmes holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in General Business for the University of Central Oklahoma and a MBA from Oklahoma City University.



William Sattre

Prior to Mustang Fuel I was a mechanic and worked for my dad for 4 years. I decided to start looking into a different profession when I started back to school. My current boss approached my wife, who worked in the revenue accounting department at Mustang, and asked if she knew anyone looking for a job. I am working on 5 years with the company now and am grateful everyday for it. My title here is a Volume Control Analyst II. I technically wear 3 hats for with what I do; one for Mustang Fuel Corporation, Mustang Gas Products, and Mustang Fuel Marketing. I analyze wellhead production for our operated wells, third party wells, and inlet gas at our 4 processing plants as well and schedule that to the pipelines and then on to our market. I have Associate's degrees in Computer Information Systems with an emphasis in business and Business Technology and I am currently still going to school at night. I have been married for 6 years and have a daughter who is 3 years old and a son who is 2 years old.



Allen Gould

Allen Gould graduated from Oklahoma State University with a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering in 1982. He has worked for OG&E for the past 28 years. From 1982 to 1987, he held the position of Plant Engineer at the Sooner Generating Station where he became a registered professional Engineer in the state of Oklahoma. From 1988 through 1994, he served in the Generation Services Department in Oklahoma City as Sr. Engineer, Plant Performance. In 1982, he received his MBA from Oklahoma City University. From 1994 through 1997, he held the position of Coordinator, Fuels Planning in the Fuels Department. In June of 1997, he was promoted to Superintendent, Fuels Planning/Operations Support. In 2007, he was promoted to the position of Fuels Manager for OG&E.

**It Should Be
A Good Year**

Meet Your 2010 NGEAO NEW Board Members (Continued)



Jim Stengle

I, Jim Stengle am currently the Sr. Engineer – Special Projects at OGE where I have worked for the past 35 years in various capacities regarding our largest customers, Oil and gas projects, and financing. I've been married to my wife Dixie for 38 years now, a school librarian and teacher, who I met as a blind date at OSU in 1969. We have three daughters we are very proud of, all OSU graduates. I have a BS degree in Mechanical Engineering from OSU and an MBA from OCU. I have been a member of NGEAO for over 20 years. I became a member when I coordinated the TEGR program for OGE from 1986-1991. That was a program allowing our largest one hundred electric customers to purchase through gas marketers, their gas to nominate to the pipeline to provide for the generation of their electrical usage. I learned quickly and with great respect what the gas marketing business was about, and am still amazed at the amount of work that goes on every day to keep it moving. I enjoy time with my family foremost, and am like any other gear head, I enjoy auto racing of any kind, water skiing, traveling, golf, partying. I road raced a B-Production Corvette in the SCCA series in the 70's and 80's, but time, money, and family relegated that to a back burner. I did get to race with Paul Newman several times, and he was very good and precise and a lot of fun. I really look forward to helping NGEAO as a board member. It is the best professional organization I've ever had the privilege of being associated with.



Ty Peck

My name is Ty Peck and in my role as a Commercial Accounts and Development Manager am the face of Enogex to the customer. In our group our job is to obtain value for gas coming out of the ground at one end and/or work with customer to insure delivery of quality gas when needed for consumption in their particular business. I joined the board because after benefitting over the years from the network opportunities and learning from events like the monthly luncheons, it was time for me to give back and promote those benefits, and more, which I have come to really appreciate.

Keep Up With The FERC

FERC Form 552 Technical Conference Webcast March 25th, 2010

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE TO FORM NO. 552 TECHNICAL CONFERENCE (March 1, 2010)

As announced in the Notice of Technical Conference issued on February 22, 2010, a technical conference will be held on March 25, 2010, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (EST) in the Commission Meeting Room at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426. The conference is open for the public to attend.

In that notice we stated on page 3 that the conference would not be webcast. However, we are now planning to webcast the conference. Set forth below is the information you will need to view the technical conference.

The webcast of the technical conference is free and registration to view the webcast is not required. Webcast viewers will not be permitted to participate during the technical conference. Anyone with Internet access interested in viewing this conference can do so by navigating to [Calendar of Events](#) on the FERC website. The events will contain a link to the applicable webcast option. The Capitol Connection provides technical support for the webcasts and offers the option of listening to the conferences via phone-bridge for a fee. If you have any questions, visit www.CapitolConnection.org or call (703) 993-3100.

For additional information, please contact Christopher Peterson at 202-502-8933 or Christopher.Peterson@ferc.gov and Thomas Russo at 202-502-8792 or Thomas.Russo@ferc.gov of FERC's Office of Enforcement.

November Speaker

Photo of NGEAO November Speaker, Mindy Stitt, Executive Director of Oklahoma Energy Resources Board



NGEAO President, Josh Baskett presents a speaker gift to OERB Director, Mindy Stitt.

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Save the Date!

NGEAO March Luncheon

“The Shale Revolution”
Presented by Rusty Braziel

Thursday, March 11th, 2010
11:30 am—1:00 PM

The Renaissance Marriott in
Tulsa

Registration begins at 11:00

Register online -
www.ngeao.org

5th Annual NGEAO Sporting Clays Tournament April 15th, 2010

Lunch served at 11:30

Shooting begins at 1:00

Silverleaf Shotgun Sports
Guthrie, OK

Register online - www.ngeao.org

Midstream Accounting Class and Gas Plant Tour

April 5th and 6th, 2010

8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Chaparral Energy Offices

Oklahoma City

Cost \$250

Register online— www.ngeao.org

NGEAO Crude Oil Luncheon

May 18th, 2010

Tulsa, OK

Register online— www.ngeao.org



NGEAO Presents Check to University of Oklahoma

Kristin Mackey (2009 Education Chair) and Debbie Lessert (2010 Education Chair) presented a check for \$7,500 on behalf of the NGEAO to Steve Long, Director of Energy Management at the University of Oklahoma. The presentation took place at the Price College of Business on the OU campus in Norman, Oklahoma. The funds are the direct result of NGEAO members' participation in the Annual Meeting. Thank you, NGEAO members for helping make this possible!



NGEAO Presents Check to Oklahoma State University

Kristin Mackey (2009 Education Chair) and Debbie Lessert (2010 Education Chair) presented a check for \$7,500 on behalf of the NGEAO to John Polonchek, Sarah Freedman (Dean of the Business School) and Betty Simkins of Oklahoma State University. The presentation took place on the Charles L. Watson Trading Floor at OSU in Stillwater, Oklahoma. The funds are the direct result of NGEAO member's participation in the Annual Meeting. Thank you, NGEAO members for helping make this possible!

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NGEAO Cartoon



NGEAO Committees

New Membership – The NGEAO continues to add new members each month. Contact [Debbie Lessert](#) and [Megan Woodworth](#) for more information.

Monthly Meetings – New incoming committee members will be planning the events for the remainder of 2010. Contact committee Chairman [Kim King](#).

Education – Yearly scholarship funding selection, continuing education credits, seminar topics, etc Committee Chairman is [Debbie Lessert](#).

Sports Tournament – Actively participate in all phases of the annual event including planning and working the event. Committee Chairman is [Bill Shanahan](#). Assisting him will be [Kim King](#).

Website – Participate in managing the website, provide content, update periodically Committee Chairman is [Mary Beasley](#)

Newsletter – Author industry related articles, provide web links or photos, etc Committee Chairman is [Kristin Mackey](#).

Membership Directory – Assist in creation of a membership directory. Committee Chairman is [Bill Shanahan](#).

Communications and Public Relations – Create press releases, add events to industry calendars, advertising, etc Committee Chairman is [Kristin Mackey](#). [Paul Belflower](#) will be working on this as well.

Volunteers – Coordinate with those interested in becoming more active in NGEAO. Committee Chairman is [Debbie Lessert](#)

Clayshoot Tournament – Assist in the planning of our annual clay tournament. Committee chairman is [Rusty Raines](#).

Holiday Meet & Greet – Help make arrangements for the 2010 holiday meet and greet. Committee Chairman is [Allen Gould](#).