

WESTERN UNDERGROUND COMMITTEE

WUC Conference

HIGH-LEVEL AGENDA • OCTOBER 20-23, 2026

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20 | Arrival & Welcome

3:00-5:00 p.m.

WUC Board Meeting

5:00-7:00 p.m.

Welcome Reception

Networking and welcome gathering for conference attendees

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21 | Welcome, Learning & Industry Breakouts

MORNING

6:45-7:30 a.m.

Registration & Breakfast

7:30-8:30 a.m.

Breakfast Learning Session **UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY**

Hosted by Genics

8:30-9:15 a.m.

General Opening Session

- WUC Welcome & Board Recognition
- Member Introductions
- Host Utility Welcome
- APS Overview & "APS Today"

9:15-10:15 a.m.

Platinum Sponsor Presentation | FallTech

10:15-10:30 a.m.

Networking Break

SAFETY & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

10:30-11:30 a.m.

Safety Presentation | LATTC Lineman College

Workforce development and preparing the next generation of utility line workers

LUNCH & UTILITY MEMBER FORUM

11:30-11:45 a.m.

Grab Lunch

11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.

Lunch Learning Session **UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY**

Hosted by Marmon Utility

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21 | Afternoon Breakouts & Evening Expo

12:45-2:15 p.m.

Mutual Problems Forum **UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY**

Closed-door utility discussion and peer problem-solving

2:15-2:30 p.m.

Networking Break

SUBCOMMITTEE BREAKOUT SESSIONS

2:30-4:00 p.m.

Concurrent Subcommittee Sessions

OPERATIONS

- Leadership & Succession Planning for T&D Industries
- Operations Presentation

ENGINEERING & SUBSTRUCTURES

- Ocotillo-Lincoln Street 230 kV Restoration
- Advanced Conductors

PLANNING

- Medium Voltage DER Metering Requirements for Primary-Service Customers
- Planning Presentation

EVENING

5:00-8:00 p.m.

Expo: Manufacturer Showcase & Reception

Vendor exhibits, demonstrations, networking, and reception

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22 | Utility Collaboration & Technical Tour

MORNING

7:00-8:00 a.m.

Registration & Breakfast

8:00-9:00 a.m.

Breakfast Learning Session **UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY**

Hosted by TE Connectivity

9:15-9:30 a.m.

Networking Break

9:30-11:00 a.m.

Mutual Problems Forum **UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY**

Closed-door utility discussion and peer problem-solving

LUNCH

11:00-11:30 a.m.

Grab Lunch

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Lunch Learning Session **UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY**

Hosted by Prysmian

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22 | Technical Tour & Fellowship Dinner

12:30-1:00 p.m.	Break & Technical Tour Preparation
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TECHNICAL TOUR

1:00-4:00 p.m.	Chase Stadium Technical Tour UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY <i>Tour attendance is limited to the first 50 registered utility members.</i>
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EVENING

6:00-9:00 p.m.	WUC Fellowship Dinner
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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23 | Leadership & Conference Close

8:00-9:00 a.m.	Breakfast & Networking UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY
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9:00-9:05 a.m.	Moment of Silence for Fallen Peers
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9:05-9:15 a.m.	WUC Executive Board Update
• Treasurer Report • Bylaw Discussion • Call for Executive Board Volunteers	

9:15-11:30 a.m.	Closing General Session <i>Session details forthcoming</i>
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11:30 a.m.	Conference Adjourns
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CONFERENCE AT A GLANCE

TUESDAY	Board Meeting • Welcome Reception
WEDNESDAY	Opening Session • Safety • Utility Forum • Breakouts • Expo
THURSDAY	Utility Forums • Technical Tour • Fellowship Dinner
FRIDAY	Networking • WUC Business • Closing Session • Adjournment

PLEASE NOTE

Sessions, presenters, hosts, and locations are subject to change. Activities marked **UTILITY MEMBERS ONLY** are restricted to eligible utility attendees.