



**Texas  
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Producers and  
Royalty Owners  
Association**

## **Texas congressman files legislation to stop ESA listing of the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard and protect the Permian Basin**

In July, U.S. Representative August Pfluger (TX-11) introduced the *Limiting Incredulous Zealots Against Restricting Drilling (LIZARD) Act* to block the Biden Administration's recent rule seeking to list the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard as endangered under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). As TIPRO previously reported to members, at the end of last month, U.S. wildlife managers from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) proposed federal protections for the three-inch-long brown lizard that is only found in parts of the country's most prolific oil and natural gas basin – the Permian Basin.

"On the campaign trail, President Biden promised to kill the fossil fuel industry, and that's about the only promise we can count on him keeping. His latest tactic—listing the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard as an endangered species so he can shut down drilling in the Permian—is just the latest in a string of assaults on the Permian Basin and our way of life... My legislation protects energy security and jobs in the Permian by nullifying his latest attack," stated Congressman Pfluger.

While talking about his new bill, the Texas lawmaker, whose congressional district covers sections of the Permian Basin, noted ongoing conservation efforts in the region that have helped to protect the lizard's habitat, as well as financial contributions funding dozens of reclamation and conservation programs in support of the species while still affording for the development of natural resources and human existence. "As of December 31, 2022, through state and private conservation efforts in New Mexico alone, 1,905,120 acres have been enrolled in a Candidate Conservation Agreement (CCA) and Candidate Conservation Agreement with Assurances (CCAA) by the ranching community and 2,230,066 acres have been enrolled in the CCA and CCAA by the oil and gas industry to protect the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard," mentioned Congressman Pfluger.

Ed Longanecker, president of the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association (TIPRO), also recounted the efforts by the Texas oil and gas industry for over a decade to protect the lizard. "Much of the Dune Sagebrush Lizard's habitat, nests and food resources exist within the Permian Basin in Texas and New Mexico and conservation efforts have enabled these habitats to co-exist alongside energy development in the Basin, which accounts for nearly 40 percent of all domestic oil production and more than 10 percent of all U.S. natural gas," Longanecker told the *Odessa American* earlier this month. "In 2012, the Texas Conservation Plan finalized a CCAA to protect the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard. This agreement, with consultations from the Texas Railroad Commission and the Texas oil and gas industry, created key initiatives to protect the species such as avoiding their natural habitats of dunes and swales, improving management of waste and using remote well monitoring to reduce traffic around its habitat," Longanecker explained.

"Then-Interior Secretary Ken Salazar said the agreement was 'the right thing for conservation and the right thing for the economy,' Longanecker described. "Salazar said then, 'My goal is to implement a 21<sup>st</sup> Century conservation agenda and when I see 600,000 acres-plus and I see most of the lizard habitat protected, that is a major victory for conservation.'"

TIPRO members interested in learning more about conservation progress for the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard can see an update on the issue from Texans for Natural Gas [here](#).

While Congressman Pfluger advocates to build support for his new *LIZARD Act* in the halls of Congress, the Biden Administration is currently accepting public input on its proposed listing of the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard through September 1, 2023. The USFWS also will hold a public information meeting and hearing via the Zoom online video platform on July 31, 2023. For information on how to submit comments to the USFWS or participate in the public hearing, visit <https://tinyurl.com/5ijt2bd7>.

## **ICYMI: Catch up on TIPRO's legislative work during the 88<sup>th</sup> Session with *End-of-Session Report***

During the 88<sup>th</sup> Regular Texas Legislative Session, the Texas Independent Producers & Royalty Owners Association (TIPRO) tracked hundreds of bills of relevance to oil and gas producers and royalty owners and, on behalf of our members, took formal positions on 99 priority bills. 100 percent of the legislation TIPRO opposed during the regular session failed and 75 percent of the bills that were supported by the association were passed this year by state lawmakers. Overall, TIPRO is proud of another successful legislative session advancing oil and gas policies and measures that will allow Texas to remain a leader in oil and natural gas development and production.

To recap and summarize the work of TIPRO at the state capitol throughout this year's legislative session, members are encouraged to review TIPRO's *2023 End of Session Legislative Report*, available at: <https://tinyurl.com/rxh3rsd>.



## President's message

TIPRO members —

Following an active legislative season for our state, I'm pleased to share that our state's top leader, Texas Governor Greg Abbott, will join the Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners Association (TIPRO) at our upcoming Summer Conference to address the outcome of this year's session and priorities for our state. To review a multitude of policy issues and challenges facing our industry at the federal level, U.S. Senator Ted Cruz also recently confirmed his participation in the event. TIPRO's conference, happening August 9-10 in San Antonio, is always an important forum for our members to gather together to learn about pertinent legislative, regulatory and economic trends and developments and hear from distinguished guests on what lies ahead for the Texas oil and natural gas industry. This year is no exception as we welcome top state and industry leaders at the TIPRO summer meeting.

In addition to commentary from Governor Abbott and Senator Cruz, we look forward to an oil and gas regulatory update provided by Texas Railroad Commissioner Wayne Christian. Additionally, TIPRO will host moderated discussions with industry executives, including Jonah Energy President and Chief Executive Officer Thomas M. Hart III and Earthstone Energy President and Chief Executive Officer Robert J. Anderson. NGP Energy Capital Management Partner Patrick McWilliams and Pickering Energy Partners President Walker Moody will also talk with TIPRO about producers' access to capital in today's market environment and other investment trends facing the oil and natural gas sector. And with continued volatility in global markets, members will also benefit from hearing from Marshall Adkins, who leads the Raymond James energy investment banking team in Houston. Adkins will advise on whether commodity prices will rise or fall later in the year, review market factors affecting supply and demand, and explain what drilling activity could look like in the United States as producers react to ongoing volatility in our industry.

After a full-day of engaging conversations and expert insight, we'll cap off our summer event with the Chairman's dinner, featuring live music from the Bret Mullins band, more networking opportunities and our popular casino games.

I hope we can count on your participation at TIPRO's 2023 Summer Conference. If you have not already signed up for the event, please visit TIPRO's online portal today at [membership.tipro.org](https://membership.tipro.org) to register to attend. If you have any trouble with registration or reserving your hotel room, please call our office at (512) 477-4452 or send an email to [info@tipro.org](mailto:info@tipro.org).

In addition to this important yearly gathering, members are also encouraged to join TIPRO each month in Houston for our 'Leaders in Industry' luncheon, hosted in partnership with IPAA and the Houston Producers Forum. So far in 2023 we've hosted an impressive line-up of executives at the luncheon, including Oxy CEO Vicki Hollub, Williams President and CEO Alan Armstrong, Liberty Energy Chairman and CEO Chris Wright, Rockcliff Energy Co-founder, President and CEO Alan Smith, Northern Oil and Gas CEO Nicholas O'Grady, and others. In the months to come, don't miss the chance to hear from Ovintiv CEO Brendan McCracken, HESS Corporation President and CEO Gregory Hill and Colin Fenton, managing partner and head of research at Blacklight Research LLC, a strategic adviser to senior leaders of corporations, institutional investment firms and sovereign governments. Find more information on the 'Leaders in Industry' luncheon by visiting <https://tinyurl.com/yrmyzhdw>.

TIPRO events are a unique opportunity to join energy thought leaders, oil and gas executives, decision makers, officials, TIPRO members and other industry professionals to gain understanding on the opportunities and challenges facing the oil and gas industry. Don't miss out! We hope to see you soon. Best,

Ed Longanecker



**Ed Longanecker**

## Reserve your seat for the next 'Leaders' luncheon to hear from Ovintiv CEO Brendan McCracken

Register today to participate in next month's 'Leaders in Industry' luncheon, featuring guest presenter Ovintiv President and Chief Executive Officer Brendan McCracken. The luncheon, hosted monthly by the Texas Independent Producers & Royalty Owners Association (TIPRO), Independent Petroleum Association of America (IPAA) and Houston Producers Forum, will be held on August 15<sup>th</sup> at the Petroleum Club of Houston.

With 25 years of industry experience, McCracken has served as president and CEO of Ovintiv since August 2021. He has played a significant role in defining company strategy, positioning Ovintiv for success. McCracken has held a range of senior leadership positions at Ovintiv throughout his career, including the role of president, executive vice-president of corporate development and external affairs, vice-president and general manager of Canadian operations and vice-president of investor relations. McCracken is a member of the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Alberta. He is active in several organizations including the American Exploration and Production Council and the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers. McCracken graduated from Queen's University with a Bachelor of Science degree in mechanical engineering and from the University of Oxford with a Master of Business Administration.

To see more information about the August 'Leaders in Industry' luncheon and to register to attend the event, [click here](#).

## TIPRO CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<p><b>AUGUST 9-10, 2023</b>  <b>SAN ANTONIO — TIPRO's 2023 Summer Conference.</b>            For information, email <a href="mailto:info@tipro.org">info@tipro.org</a>.</p>	<p><b>AUGUST 15, 2023</b>  <b>HOUSTON — TIPRO/IPAA/HPF "Leaders in Industry" Luncheon.</b>            For information, email <a href="mailto:info@houstonproducersforum.org">info@houstonproducersforum.org</a>.</p>	<p><b>SEPTEMBER 19, 2023</b>  <b>HOUSTON — TIPRO/IPAA/HPF "Leaders in Industry" Luncheon.</b>            For information, email <a href="mailto:info@houstonproducersforum.org">info@houstonproducersforum.org</a>.</p>

## TxDOT to host public hearing next week on draft 2024 Unified Transportation Program

Texans across the state are invited to participate in a virtual public hearing happening Tuesday, July 25, at 2 p.m. that will review the state's 10-year transportation plan, known as the Unified Transportation Program (UTP). The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is seeking public input on the draft UTP currently being developed by the agency for Fiscal Year 2024. "The UTP is TxDOT's road map to developing projects across the state," explained TxDOT Executive Director Marc Williams. "It's important to work with our transportation partners and hear from the public to guide transportation improvements that address congestion and enhance safety."

The UTP is updated annually and TxDOT works with its transportation partners to identify projects that should be included in the UTP. According to TxDOT, the draft 2024 UTP totals \$100 billion, which is \$15 billion more than the 2023 plan. The increase primarily comes from growth in revenues from Proposition 1 (passed in the 2015 legislative session) generated by oil and gas severance fees dedicated to highway improvements.

In addition to the July 25<sup>th</sup> public hearing, TxDOT is also accepting public comments from stakeholders on the UTP. The public comment period will end on Monday, August 7, 2023, at 4 p.m. (CDT).

For more information on the upcoming UTP hearing or instructions on how to submit comments on the draft UTP, visit the Public Involvement section of [TxDOT.gov](https://www.txdot.gov), accessible at <https://tinyurl.com/5349h6en>.

## Texas gets new interim attorney general following departure of acting AG

Governor Greg Abbott has named Angela Colmenero as the interim attorney general of Texas, under Article 15, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution, effective as of 10:00 a.m. on Friday, July 14. The announcement follows the recent departure of John Scott, who had been serving as short-term interim attorney general of Texas since May amid the suspension of Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton, who is facing an upcoming impeachment trial by the Texas legislature in September.

Colmenero, a longtime aide to the governor, has been serving as Governor Abbott's deputy chief of staff. Before, Colmenero was principal deputy general counsel to the governor since November 2021. Prior to this role, she served as deputy general counsel to the governor starting in September 2018. Colmenero also previously held various leadership positions for nearly a decade at the Texas attorney general's office, including as chief of the general litigation division and deputy chief of the special litigation division. She is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame Law School and the University of Texas at Austin.

"Under authorities granted by the Texas Constitution, I appoint Angela Colmenero to serve as interim attorney general of Texas. In addition to her time in the office of the governor, Angela served under me in the Texas attorney general's office and has firsthand experience on how the agency operates. Angela's record of experience in state government and expertise in litigation will help her oversee the Texas attorney general's office and serve as our state's top law enforcement officer as the Texas Senate conducts impeachment proceedings," said Governor Abbott.

## Two Texas Democrats want the EPA to deny the state primacy over Class VI CO2 wells

In a new letter addressed to Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Administrator Michael Regan, U.S. Representatives Lloyd Doggett (D-Austin) and Joaquin Castro (D-San Antonio) said the federal government should reject an application by the Railroad Commission of Texas seeking to gain primary enforcement of the Class VI Underground Injection Control (UIC) well program under the *Safe Water Drinking Act*. The members in their letter expressed hesitation over state abilities to uphold the standards that protect health and safety in communities with carbon capture infrastructure. In their letter, the lawmakers make clear, "To ensure carbon capture and sequestration projects are done well with stringent health and environmental protection standards, the EPA must not grant the commission primacy." Read the full letter [here](#).

The Railroad Commission last year submitted its official application to the EPA to obtain enforcement primacy for the federal Class VI UIC program. In June, the commission published amendments to state rules under 16 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 5, relating to Carbon Dioxide, to ensure that Texas regulations are as stringent as requirements of the EPA and support the commission's application for the program. Public comments are currently being accepted on these proposed amendments until July 31.

## EPA takes action to amend reporting requirements of methane emissions for oil and gas systems

Federal regulators [announced](#) on July 6<sup>th</sup> a proposed rule that would amend reporting requirements for petroleum and natural gas systems under the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Reporting Program. The proposed revisions, according to the EPA, would leverage advancements in technology to produce high-quality, long-term data and improve the accuracy of reported GHG emissions, including methane, from applicable petroleum and natural gas facilities, consistent with the Methane Emissions Reduction Program under the *Inflation Reduction Act*.

Regulatory changes specifically are being pursued by the EPA to address potential gaps in reporting of emissions data for certain sectors. Amendments have been proposed to subpart W of the GHG reporting program to account for gaps in the total methane emissions reported by facilities by adding several new covered sources such as "other large release events," which would abnormal methane emission events that are not fully accounted for using existing methods. Other rule amendments would also add new or revise existing calculation methodologies to improve the accuracy of reported emissions data for methane and other GHG and incorporate additional empirical data; include the use of new technologies such as remote sensing for quantifying emissions from other large release events; and collect data at a more granular level to improve verification and transparency of the data collected. In addition, EPA is proposing determinations to establish whether data submitted to the agency under the proposed revisions would be entitled to confidential treatment.

EPA is proposing that most revisions would become effective on January 1, 2025, and that reporters would implement most of the changes beginning with reports prepared for the 2025 reporting year and submitted by March 31, 2026.

## Interior Department distributing another \$660 million to clean up orphan oil and gas wells

The federal government is giving states millions of dollars in more funding to continue work plugging and remediating orphaned oil and gas well sites. The U.S. Department of Interior announced on July 10<sup>th</sup> that it was planning to invest \$660 million in *Bipartisan Infrastructure Law* funding to plug more abandoned oil and gas wells across the country. The funding will be available to 27 states, with most of the money earmarked for large producing states like Texas, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

"These investments are good for our climate, for the health of our communities, and for American workers," said U.S. Interior Secretary Deb Haaland.

States will have until the end of the calendar year, December 31, to submit applications to receive the latest grant funding for orphaned oil and gas wells. Texas is eligible to apply for up to \$79.6 million under the program for orphan well plugging.

The Interior previously offered \$560 million in initial grants last year for plugging of orphaned wells, with eligible states plugging nearly 3,000 wells so far using that funding. Texas received a \$25 million initial grant from the U.S. Interior Department in 2022 to plug abandoned oil and gas wells and was the first state in the country to start plugging abandoned oil and gas wells using the federal funds.

TIPRO members can view sites where wells have already been plugged or have had a work order issued to be plugged with federal funds using an interactive map managed by the Railroad Commission of Texas. The data visualization, launched in January by the commission, allows users to see progress on plugging wells with the federal funds – see the map here: <https://tinyurl.com/2tads8rp>.

The Biden Administration is also expected to offer additional phases of funding for orphan well plugging in the future under the *Bipartisan Infrastructure Law*.

## Legislative amendment by Senator Ted Cruz would prohibit sales of America's SPR oil to China

U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-Texas) in mid-July introduced his *Protecting America's Strategic Petroleum Reserve from China Act* legislation as an amendment to the *National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA)* for Fiscal Year 2024. The senator's amendment would prohibit the U.S. Department of Energy from selling petroleum products (e.g., crude oil) from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve (SPR) to any entity under the ownership, control, or influence of the Chinese Communist Party. It also would require the Department of Energy, as a condition of any sale of crude oil from the SPR, to ensure the oil will not be exported to China.

"The original intent of the SPR was to ensure that America had sufficient oil reserves in the event of an emergency. We are unnecessarily and dangerously undermining our national security in any instance that we sell any part of this stockpile to the Chinese Communist Party or any company under its control," stated Senator Cruz. "I'm proud to lead the bipartisan effort to stop this from happening in the future and unleash American energy."

Senator Cruz refiled this bill originally in February, and also previously pushed for the policy in July of 2022. TIPRO members can read the full text of the legislation [here](#).

## ExxonMobil to acquire Denbury for \$4.9 billion

Leaders of ExxonMobil Corporation signed an agreement on July 13<sup>th</sup> to buy Denbury, Inc., an experienced developer of carbon capture, utilization and storage (CCS) solutions and enhanced oil recovery. The transaction is valued at \$4.9 billion.

In a statement, Denbury CEO Chris Kendall said "significant capital and years of work" were required to fully develop its carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) business, making oil major Exxon "the ideal partner with extensive resources and capabilities."

Darren Woods, chairman and CEO of ExxonMobil, also described the company's interest in acquiring Denbury as a strategy to profitably grow Exxon's Low Carbon Solutions business. "The breadth of Denbury's network, when added to ExxonMobil's decades of experience and capabilities in CCS, gives us the opportunity to play an even greater role in a thoughtful energy transition, as we continue to deliver on our commitment to provide the world with the vital energy and products it needs."

Exxon set up its Low Carbon Solutions business in 2021, though the company has more than 30 years of experience in CCS technology and was the first company to capture more than 120 million tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>, the equivalent to emissions of more than 25 million cars for one year. The acquisition of Denbury by ExxonMobil will further enable Exxon to build on its existing business strength in carbon management technology.

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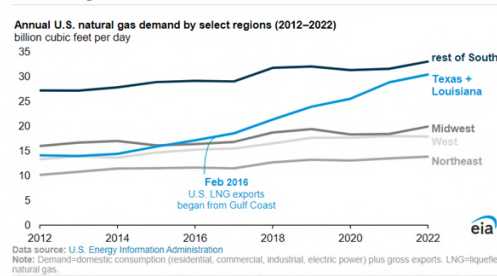
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## “Top LNG exporters, Texas and Louisiana, drive rise in U.S. natural gas demand”

### Guest article by Texans for Natural Gas

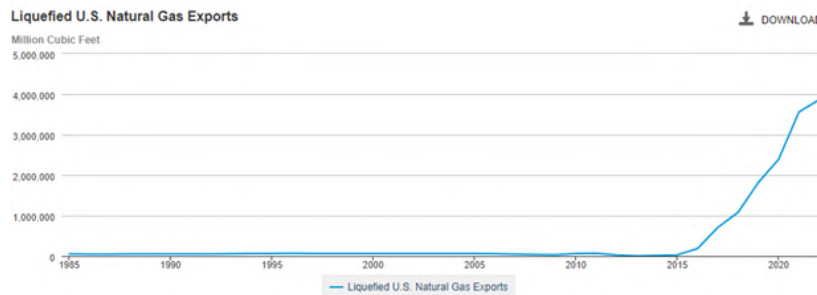
U.S. natural gas demand increased by 43 percent, or 34.5 billion cubic feet per day (Bcf/d), from 2021 to 2022, according to the [Energy Information Administration \(EIA\)](#). In Texas and Louisiana alone, demand grew by 116%, driven largely by an increased demand for feedgas for LNG exports.

LNG-exporting Gulf Coast states drove U.S. natural gas demand growth



Source: [EIA](#)

Since 2016, when the first LNG export terminal, Sabine Pass, opened in Louisiana U.S., LNG exports have increased [nearly 2,000 percent](#), becoming the world's largest LNG producer in 2022 thanks to a decade of shale discoveries and a boom in LNG plant construction. Just this year, U.S. LNG exports are [set to reach](#) 12.1 bcf/d and 12.7 bcf/d next year.



Source: [EIA](#)

Industry analysts say demand for LNG will continue this year as a number of LNG projects are currently underway or pursuing financial support with customers across the globe ready and willing to sign long-term contracts.

Texas is leading the way on this front to help meet global LNG demand. Just this week, NextDecade Corp. announced [it will move forward](#) with its \$18.4 billion Texas LNG plant, Rio Grande LNG, in Brownsville, Texas. The facility is set to begin supplying customers across the world, including Europe and Asia, by 2027. In addition, there are four LNG facilities currently [under construction](#) in the U.S., three of which are in Texas- Golden Pass, Corpus Christi and Port Arthur. As those four enter service between 2024 and 2028, U.S. LNG export capacity will rise to 15.3 bcf/d and 22.3 bcf/d by 2028.

“We expect global LNG demand to grow from 399 million tonnes in 2022 to 627 million tonnes by 2035, more than a 50 percent increase,” Michael Stoppard, global strategy lead at S&P Global Commodity Insights, told [Reuters](#).

To support this additional export capacity, several other industry projects are in the works as well. This includes the Matterhorn Express Pipeline, the Whistler Pipeline Capacity Expansion, the Permian Highway Pipeline Expansion and the Gulf Coast Express Pipeline – all of which will help move additional natural gas from producing basins to end users and consumers.

“The Texas oil and natural gas industry is an economic powerhouse providing reliable energy to meet growing demand here and abroad,” TIPRO president Ed Longanecker said to [The Center Square](#). “These infrastructure investments will enable the Lone Star State to continue being a global leader in natural gas production, driving further economic prosperity across Texas and enhancing our nation's energy security.”

Thanks to the continued work and investment made by the Texas oil and gas industry into our natural gas infrastructure, we are helping meet LNG demand globally – not just today, but for years to come.

### Less than one month to go until TIPRO's Summer Conference — register today!

TIPRO's Summer Conference is only three weeks away! On August 9 - 10, the association is excited to return to the newly remodeled Hyatt Hill Country Resort and Spa in San Antonio, Texas, for TIPRO's annual summer meeting. This year, TIPRO's Summer Conference will address a broad range of priority issues facing the Texas oil and natural gas industry. The association's stellar line-up of guest speakers will discuss policy priorities facing the sector, access to capital, trends and opportunities, innovation in the oilpatch and industry best practices to enhance efficiency and productivity, and a comprehensive market outlook for oil and natural gas. Attendees will also have ample opportunity to network with colleagues and enjoy live music, entertainment, and a long list of resort activities.

See the conference agenda and schedule on the page that follows and make sure to register to join TIPRO for the association's 2023 Summer Conference!





# Conference Agenda & Schedule

## WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 2023

- |               |                                  |
|---------------|----------------------------------|
| 1:30 PM       | TIPRO AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETING    |
| 3:00 PM       | TIPRO BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING |
| 5:30 -7:30 PM | TIPRO WELCOME RECEPTION          |

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 2023

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| 7:45 AM  | BREAKFAST   |
| 9:00 AM  | START OF GENERAL SESSION<br><br>WELCOME & SPONSOR RECOGNITION<br>ED LONGANECKER, PRESIDENT OF TIPRO<br><br>OPENING REMARKS<br>JUD WALKER, CHAIRMAN OF TIPRO, PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF<br>ENERVEST, LTD. |
| 9:30 AM  | NGP ENERGY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT PARTNER PATRICK MCWILLIAMS<br>DISCUSSION MODERATED BY TIPRO PRESIDENT ED LONGANECKER  |
| 10:15 AM | TEXAS RAILROAD COMMISSIONER WAYNE CHRISTIAN   |
| 10:45 AM | NETWORKING BREAK  |
| 10:55 AM | PICKERING ENERGY PARTNERS PRESIDENT WALKER MOODY  |
| 11:40 AM | TIPRO NETWORKING LUNCHEON   |
| 1:15 PM  | GENERAL SESSION CONTINUES<br><br>JONAH ENERGY PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER THOMAS M. HART III<br>DISCUSSION MODERATED BY TIPRO PRESIDENT ED LONGANECKER  |
| 2:00 PM  | EARTHSTONE ENERGY PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER ROBERT J. ANDERSON<br>DISCUSSION MODERATED BY TIPRO CHAIRMAN JUD WALKER   |
| 2:45 PM  | NETWORKING BREAK  |
| 2:55 PM  | U.S. SENATOR TED CRUZ   |
| 3:25 PM  | OIL AND NATURAL GAS MARKET OUTLOOK<br>RAYMOND JAMES MANAGING DIRECTOR AND HEAD OF ENERGY MARSHALL ADKINS  |
| 4:10 PM  | TEXAS GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT  |
| 4:30 PM  | CLOSING REMARKS   |
| 6:00 PM  | RECEPTION AND CHAIRMAN'S DINNER, FOLLOWED BY THE PRESENTATION OF THE<br>MR. TIPRO AWARD, ENTERTAINMENT FROM THE BRET MULLINS BAND AND<br>CASINO NIGHT   |



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AND MEALS)

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- ☐ CHILDREN (12-UP): \$195
- ☐ CHILDREN (12-UNDER): \$125

#### NON-MEMBER FEES:

(FULL PASS INCLUDES ALL CONFERENCE SESSIONS AND MEALS,  
AS WELL AS A ONE-YEAR COMPLIMENTARY TIPRO MEMBERSHIP)

- ☐ NON-MEMBER: \$775
- ☐ SPOUSE: \$375
- ☐ CHILDREN (12-UP): \$195
- ☐ CHILDREN (12-UNDER): \$125

### REGISTRANT INFORMATION

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