

REPORT INTERNATIONAL UTILITIES COMMITTEE

The International Utility Committee met in Indianapolis on June 28, 2009. I have not received the minutes but the following is the highlights of the meeting. The final assignments were made for the Conference. Initial discussions were held on the presentations for the conference to be held the next year in Calgary. A subcommittee was appointed to work on an outline for a Utilities 101 course. Foundation money will be used to pay a professional to do the nuts and bolts work to put together the course. The subcommittee people will review the work.

There was a discussion as to whether a face to face meeting or a conference call should be used for the fall meeting. At a later date members of the committee were asked to vote by e-mail whether to meet in Chicago on October 24th or to hold a conference call around that time. No decision has been announced as of this date.

The winter/spring meeting will be held in Las Vegas after the Federal Agency Update. The date will probably be January 29, 2010.

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