



**EBC Energy Resources Program  
Update from the Massachusetts Clean Energy Center Leadership**

Wednesday, January 11, 2017

Brown Rudnick LLP | Boston

**AGENDA**

- 8:00 a.m. **Welcome – John Wadsworth**, Chair EBC Energy Committee  
Partner, Brown Rudnick
- Introduction – Briony Angus**, Program Chair & Moderator  
Senior Project Manager / Associate, Tighe & Bond
- 8:15 a.m. **Overview of Mass Clean Energy Center Programs and Priorities**
- Stephen A. Pike, Chief Executive Officer, Massachusetts Clean Energy Center
- 8:45 a.m. **Update from MassCEC Leadership**
- Andrew Belden, Senior Director for Renewable Energy
  - Galen Nelson, Interim Senior Director, Innovation and Industry Support
- 10:15 a.m. **Open Discussion with MassCEC Leadership**
- Moderator: Briony Angus**, Tighe & Bond
- Panel Members:**
- **Stephen A. Pike**, Chief Executive Officer
  - **Andrew Belden**, Senior Director for Renewable Energy
  - **Galen Nelson**, Interim Senior Director, Innovation and Industry Support
- 11:00 a.m. **Adjourn**

## **PROGRAM CHAIR**

**Briony Angus, AICP**, Senior Project Manager/ Associate

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Briony Angus is a Senior Project Manager and Associate at Tighe & Bond. She manages a variety of renewable energy projects at Tighe & Bond including solar PV, anaerobic digestion, wind, hydro, storage, and resiliency projects. She helps to lead Tighe & Bond's business development efforts for renewable energy, and is responsible for the growth and performance of the firm's renewable energy services. She has an in-depth understanding of regulations and incentives for clean energy development. Briony formerly was an Environmental Analyst at the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act (MEPA) Office and worked for the Town of Brookline, MA Department of Public Works and Conservation Department.

## **SPEAKERS**

**Stephen Pike**, CEO

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As Chief Executive Officer of the Massachusetts Clean Energy Center, Stephen Pike is responsible for leading MassCEC's efforts to build a nation-leading clean energy economy in Massachusetts.

Steve first joined the Massachusetts Clean Energy Center as General Counsel in May 2013, leading the organization's general corporate and public law matters; and overseeing governmental affairs.

Prior to joining MassCEC, Steve practiced corporate law in Boston for nearly 15 years, most recently as a shareholder at Davis, Malm & D'Agostine, PC and prior to that as a partner and associate at Edwards Angell Palmer & Dodge LLP. During this time, Steve focused primarily on commercial transactions, venture capital and private equity transactions, mergers and acquisitions, and general corporate law.

Throughout his career, Steve has counseled numerous clean energy companies at various stages, sizes and technology focus. During his time as MassCEC's General Counsel, Steve was responsible for overseeing legal transactions across the organization representing renewable energy programs, industry support initiatives and agency operations.

Prior to attending law school, Steve was the Assistant to the Undersecretary at the Executive Office of Environmental Affairs and also worked as the legislative director for the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, during the Weld administration. Steve, a Haverhill resident, graduated from Yale University with a Bachelor's degree in History and earned a Jurist Doctorate from the Boston University School of Law where he was an editor of the Law Review.

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Andrew Belden is the Renewable Energy Generation Senior Director at the MassCEC where he oversees the agency's portfolio of clean energy incentive programs. He joined MassCEC in 2015 as Solar Programs Director where he led the organization's solar market development and engagement initiatives including the \$30 million Mass Solar Loan Program. Prior to working at MassCEC, Andrew spent six years at Meister Consultants Group, working with state policy makers and regulators on renewable energy incentive programs across the United States. This work included advanced policy and program designs for clients such as the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER), the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA), the City of Boston, and the U.S. Department of Energy. He holds a Masters in Energy and Environmental Policy from the University of Delaware.

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Currently the Interim Senior Director of Innovation and Industry Support at the Massachusetts Clean Energy Center, Galen leads a team focused on providing targeted, strategic, and timely resources to help clean energy companies and entrepreneurs develop technologies, move closer to commercialization and market growth. Galen focuses on emerging markets including microgrids and energy storage, and is currently developing an energy resilience program. Prior to joining the MassCEC, Galen led clean energy business development efforts at the City of Boston. Galen has over 10 years' experience developing programs and policies at the city and state level often at the intersection of urban planning, economic development, and clean energy. He holds a Bachelor of Arts from Colby College.

### Upcoming EBC Programs

- Jan 12: Program Series with MassDEP Leadership – Headquarters Team
- Jan 13: Climate Change Committee Program Planning Meeting
- Jan 17: Site Remediation Program Series, Part One – Setting the Stage
- Jan 18: Evening Program with MA EOEEA Secretary Matthew Beaton
- Jan 20: Dam Management Committee Program Planning Meeting
- Jan 26: Annual Construction & Demolition Materials Management Summit
- Feb 3: Energy & Climate Change – New MassDEP Regulations to Reduce Carbon Emissions