

Welcome! Thanks for being here today!

9:30 Greetings and Introductions, *Bill Cook, MSU Extension*

9:45 Turning Point Poll #1, *Dean Solomon, MSU Extension*

10:00 Michigan's Energy Profile and the Possible Role of Wood
- *Bill Cook, MSU Extension*

10:15 Current Status of Wood-based Electricity Production in Michigan
- *Gary Melow, Michigan Biomass*

10:45 Break

11:00 Michigan's Policy Environment Affecting Woody Biomass
- *Tom Stanton, Michigan Public Service Commission*

11:30 Current Initiatives with Michigan State University Involvement
MSUE Bioenergy Team Organization & Strategy
- *Steve Pueppke, Director, Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station*
- *Dennis Pennington, MSU Extension, Bioenergy Team*

12:00 Lunch, deli buffet

1:00 Working Group Session #1 – Idea Generation
Listing potential concepts, messages, and ideas to incorporate into MSU Extension outreach and education programs. See the green-text handout.

1:45 Break

2:00 Working Group Session #2 – Priority Setting
Categorize, combine, edit, and prioritize output generated from Session #1. See the blue text handout.

2:45 Re-assemble large group and report priorities.
Although this portion will highlight only common and/or high-ranked priorities, ALL ideas and generated information will be retained and considered.

3:15 Turning Point Poll #2, *Dean Solomon, MSU Extension*

3:30 Wrap-up and Adjourn