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CPES WELCOMES THREE NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Brian Farnen, Tom Guerra, and Kent McCord Join the CPES Board

Hartford, CT (June 18, 2019) – Connecticut Power and Energy Society (CPES) welcomed three new members to the CPES Board at the meeting prior to the Annual Legislative Update today at the offices of Day Pitney, LLC in Hartford.

"We are thrilled to bring on such talented and experienced energy professionals to help us fulfill our mission of generating information, sharing ideas and educating Connecticut about energy," said **Eric Johnson,** CPES President and Director of External Affairs at ISO-NE.

Brian Farnen, General Counsel and Chief Legal Officer, Connecticut Green Bank

Brian Farnen brings a breadth of policy and business development experience in the clean energy marketplace through his pioneering work at Connecticut's - and the nation's - first "green bank." Brian distinguished himself as a 2018 recipient of the CPES Excellence in Energy Award and we are pleased to bring him on board as a director. **Bio Information**

Tom Guerra, Director of Products and Services, CBIA Service Corp.

As a director, Tom Guerra will continue our organization's longstanding partnership with the Connecticut Business and Industry Association (CBIA). Tom's many years of experience advising customers in the insurance and energy sectors will be an asset to CPES as we work to improve the business conditions of the energy industry in Connecticut. **Bio Information**

Kent McCord, Distributed Energy Professional, Kinsley Energy Systems

Kent McCord's engineering and business development experience will help strengthen our knowledge of distributed generation and co-generation systems and the needs of end-use customers for on-site power supply. Kent has long been engaged with CPES and we look forward to having him step into a director role to help guide the organization going forward. **Bio Information**

For more information, please see www.ctpower.org/2019-New-Board-Members

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