**RESNETâ SDC 1600 Meeting Minutes**

**April 21st, 2025**

**12:00 PM – 1:00 PM ET**

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| **Members & Staff** | **Present** | **Absent** | **Other Attendees** |
| **Members**  Anna Kelly Brendan O’Brien Craig Sinnamon Jonathan Arnold Leo Jansen Michael Browne Philip Fairey Steve Byers Roland Risser | **Members**  Anna Kelly Mike Browne Philip Fairey Craig Sinnamon Jonathan Arnold Leo Jansen  **RESNET STAFF**  Katie Stewart | Steve Byers Brendan O’Brien Roland Risser | Anna Gire |

Meeting began at 12:04 PM ET

**Call to Order/Roll Call**  
Anna Kelly called the meeting to order.

**Committee Member Nomination Update:**   
The nomination process is ongoing for additional standard committee members. One nominee is under review by RESNET. If approved, a ballot will be sent to committee members.

Two nominees have been rejected, and discussions are ongoing with other candidates. A ballot will likely be distributed in the coming days. The committee is progressing, but not yet complete.

**Next Steps for the Standard:**   
The draft standard will soon be released for public review and comment. A one-month period for public feedback will begin, with a final vote to follow if there are no significant comments. After approval, it will be submitted to the RESNET Standards Management Board for formal adoption.

**Comment Response Review:**   
A detailed comment from Jim Edelson was discussed. Their concerns mainly involve the biofuels section, which was described as vague. It was specifically mentioned as ambiguous language regarding public health and ecosystem impacts, and the 90% lower emissions requirement.

A discussion took place on whether these comments should be addressed now or later, especially considering the potential impact on the ANSI standard stage. The suggestion was made to reach out to Jim for specific language to resolve the ambiguity.

Depending on public feedback, there could be another draft version (PDS-03) created, and any changes would be open for comment on specific items only.

**Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) Clarification:**  
Jim believes that terms like "adverse impacts on public health" are vague and unclear in terms of how they would be calculated. The committee discussed the nuances of this issue but agreed that it could be reviewed later.

A specific clause on RECs was reviewed, and further clarification could be beneficial, though the committee feels it may not be necessary.

**Next Steps and Meeting Reschedule:**  
To ensure that the public comment period is completed before the next committee meeting, it was suggested to reschedule the following month's meeting. A Doodle poll will be distributed.

Anna will be sending out these comments by email later today for everyone to review.

**Adjourn**

Meeting adjourned at 12:31 PM ET