

2026 IAEI Northwestern Section Meeting

Sunday August 23rd

- 9:00 – 4:00 p.m.- Board of Directors Meeting (**Private Dining Room**)
- 11:45 – 1:00 p.m.- Board of Directors Luncheon (**Private Dining Room**)
- 10:00 – 3:00 p.m. Exhibitor Setup (**Shoreline Ballroom/Clearwater Room**)
- 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.- Registration (**Shoreline Ballroom-Foyer**)
- 4:00 – 8:00p.m- Exhibitors Open (**Shoreline Ballroom/Clearwater Room**)
- 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Welcoming Reception (**Shoreline Ballroom/Clearwater Room**)

Monday August 24th

- 7:00 – 9:00 a.m.- Registration (**Shoreline Ballroom-Foyer**)
- 8:00 – 9:00 a.m.- Opening Ceremonies (**Shoreline Ballroom**)
 - Call to Order – John Kendall, President
 - Invocation- Doug Gintz
 - Pledge of Allegiance
 - Moment of Silence
 - Welcoming Address – John Kendall, Northwestern Section President
 - Address by International Chairman of the Board
- 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. -Organization Reports
 - IAEI –International CEO
 - NEMA –Field Representative
 - UL Standards Activities – Chris Jensen
 - NFPA- Field Representative
- 10:00 to 10:15 a.m.- Break

10:15 to 11:00 a.m. -Section Business

By-Laws & Operating Rules Committee Report

Membership Committee Report

Educational Committee Report

Announce Location of Future Section Meetings

Announce opening of nominations for the Board

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11:00 – 12:00 p.m.-Introduction and Visitation of Exhibitors

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. – Exhibitors' Lunch (**Shoreline Ballroom/Private Dining Room**)

1:00 – 3:00 p.m. **2026 NEC Changes/General Requirements (Shoreline Ballroom)**

3:00 – 3:15 p.m.- Break

3:15 p.m. -5:00 p.m. **2026 NEC Changes/ General Equipment**

5:00 p.m. Conclude for the day.

Evening event--On Your Own

Tuesday August 25th

8:00 – 9:45 a.m. - **2026 NEC Changes/Wiring Methods (Shoreline Ballroom)**

9:45 – 10:00 a.m. Break

10:00 – 12:00 p.m. **2026 NEC Changes/Grounding & Bonding**

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch (**Shoreline Ballroom**)

1:00 – 1:15 p.m. Nominating Committee Report/Nominations/Elections for Board of Directors

1:15 – 2:30 p.m.- **2026 NEC Changes/Control Panels, Motors, EV, Generators & Alt Power**

2:30 – 2:45 p.m. Break

2:45 -4:00 p.m. **NRTL Discussion with Q & A Session**

4:00 p.m.- Conclude for the day

4:00 – 5:30 p.m.- Exhibitor Breakdown (Flip Rooms for Banquet)

5:30- 9:00 p.m.-Happy Hour/Banquet/ Installation of Officers (**Shoreline Ballroom**)

Wednesday August 26th

8:00 – 10:00 a.m.- **Hazardous Locations** (**Shoreline Ballroom**)

10:00 – 10:15a.m.- Break

10:15 – 12:00 p.m.- **Data Centers-IT Installations**

12:00 p.m.-2026 NW Section Concludes