

## **Executive Director's Report, September 23, 2020**

1. Administrative Updates
  - a. Staff will continue to telework until further notice.
    - i. Teleworking began March 16.
    - ii. Mail is being forwarded to Erica's home.
    - iii. We have both made necessary trips to the office, as needed.
    - iv. Phone messages are being forwarded.
  - b. Advocacy Software – Voter Voice
  - c. Planning Meeting update
  - d. Contracts
    - i. Hyatt Washington DC 2021
    - ii. Sheraton San Diego 2021
    - iii. MSI
    - iv. Cvent
  
2. NEUAC speaking engagements/media connections:
  - a. TIME Magazine – article TBA
  - b. [NPR Article: Crisis within a crisis](#) – 7/27
  - c. Connection with Princeton's Eviction Lab, by Dr. Matthew Desmond
  - d. Connection with Union of Concerned Scientists, following [this article on energy poverty](#)
  - e. LIHEAP "First 100 Days" memo for next administration
  - f. Florida Community Action Partnership Panel – 8/13
  - g. NCAP National Partners Panel – 8/27
  - h. Washington Gas Energy Assistance Roundtable – 9/1
  - i. 2020 Virtual Aspen-Nicholas Water Forum hosted by the Aspen Institute Energy & Environment Program in partnership with the Nicholas Institute at Duke University and the US Water Alliance – 9/10
  - j. NRECA Low-Income Solar Working Group – 10/2
  - k. NASCSP National Partners Panel (pre-recorded) to air 9/28-10/2
  
3. Resources developed and shared with NEUAC members:
  - a. The Moratoria is Ending – customizable outreach materials
  - b. [Whitepaper: Energy Affordability and COVID-19: Exploring Promising Practices to Address the Growing Need](#) – exploring compassionate voluntary practices on the part of utilities to address COVID19
  - c. [LIHEAP COVID19 One-Page Fact Sheet](#)
  - d. [Official NEUAC website resource page for COVID19 and utility assistance](#)
  - e. [LIHEAP Talking Points: Escalating Need for LIHEAP in Time of COVID19](#)
  - f. One-pager: state and territory funding totals for LIHEAP FY 20 and CARES Act