



U.S. DEPARTMENT  
of ENERGY

# National Coal Council Meeting Agenda

*Thursday, January 15, 2026  
11:00 AM – 12:30 PM EST*

**Location:** White House, Eisenhower Executive Office Building, Indian Treaty Room 474

**Chair:** Jim Grech, President and Chief Executive Officer, Peabody Energy

**Vice-Chair:** Jimmy Brock, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Core Natural Resources, Inc.

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## Official Proceedings

### 11:00 AM – 11:05 AM: Welcome from the White House

- Deputy Executive Director Blake Deeley, National Energy Dominance Council
- Introduction of Cabinet and Agency Leadership
  - Secretary Chris Wright, U.S. Department of Energy
  - Secretary Doug Burgum, U.S. Department of the Interior
  - Deputy Administrator David Fotouhi, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

### 11:05 AM – 11:20 AM: Remarks from Cabinet and Agency Leadership

- Secretary Wright; Secretary Burgum; and Deputy Administrator Fotouhi

### 11:20 AM – 11:25 AM: Strategic Context for the National Coal Council

- Assistant Secretary Kyle Haustveit, Hydrocarbons and Geothermal Energy Office, U.S. Department of Energy

### 11:25 AM – 11:35 AM: Introduction of National Coal Council Members

- Each member to state their name and company affiliation

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## Council Discussion and Identification of Deliverables

### 11:35 AM – 12:15 PM: Discussion and Identification of Deliverables

- Considerations for Maintaining and Growing the U.S. Coal Fleet
- Opportunities to Expand U.S. Coal Export Options

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## Closing

**12:15 PM – 12:30 PM: Public Comment Period (as time permits)**

**12:30 PM: Meeting Adjourns**

**12:30 PM – 12:40 PM: Council Group Photo**

**12:40 PM – 1:00 PM: Member Departure and Informal Networking**

- *National Coal Council members may network briefly before departing the White House*