

# Wednesday, February 5, 2025



*Take part in educating Wisconsin's legislative leaders about municipal electric utilities and the unique advantages of public power.*

Join us in Madison for MEUW's "**Day at the Capitol**." You'll be representing not only your public power community, but also the 300,000+ Wisconsinites who get their electricity from a community-owned utility.

*This year's event is especially important because re-districting means we'll be meeting with many first-time legislators who are new to their roles.*

## Program Schedule

- 8:00 a.m. Arrival and networking
- 8:30 a.m. Informational session
  - Introduction to the issues
  - Presentation and plan for the day
- 9:30 a.m. Small guided groups will visit Senate and Assembly offices inside the Capitol and leave behind informational materials  
(Visits will be pre-scheduled and each attendee will receive a personalized itinerary; all visits will wrap up by 12:30 p.m.)
- 11:45 a.m. *Box lunches available*
- 1:00 p.m. Event debrief to share feedback from legislative meetings (at hotel)
- ~2:00 p.m. Day at the Capitol concludes

## Who Should Attend

- Municipal utility staff and leaders, including lineworkers, superintendents, and foremen
- Elected officials, including mayors, village board presidents, city council members, and appointed utility commissioners and board members
- Others who want to get involved and advocate for public power

## Location

Our "headquarters" for the day is the **Best Western Premier Park Hotel** (formerly Inn on the Park), located on the Capitol Square at 22 S. Carroll Street.

Parking is available at the hotel (valet only, for a fee) and at nearby municipal parking facilities.

## Why Attend

- Influence those who make decisions impacting your community's future
- Help educate legislative leaders about the issues affecting public power
- Expand your knowledge and help advocate for public power with your elected representatives
- Communicate the value and advantages of public power to legislators and their staffs during small group visits to the State Capitol
- Network with and learn from public power peers
- Hear about the political landscape from MEUW's government affairs partners

There is no cost to attend. Pre-registration is encouraged to enable effective scheduling of legislative visits.

**Visit [MEUW.org](http://MEUW.org) to sign up before the Jan. 31 deadline.**

*Please call the MEUW Office at (608) 837-2263 with any questions.*