

EUCG 2025 Fall Workshop
April 27th-29th, 2026
Hyatt Regency Houston Galleria
Houston, Texas

Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS) Committee

Wednesday, April 29th, 2026

Time Blocks	Session Title
8:00 – 8:45 CST	<i>Breakfast</i>
Time Block 1 8:45 – 9:00 CST	Safety Moment: EPRI Document “Risk of Chemical Exposure from BESS Fires” Miranda Mendez – APS
Time Block 2 9:00 – 10:00 CST	Roundtable: Thermal Management & Maintenance Ben Cluff – APS
Time Block 3 10:00 – 11:00 CST	OOM vs. PPA Billy Sabin – TVA
Time Block 4 11:00 – 12:00 CST	EOP 012: Extreme Cold Weather Preparedness Trevor Turner – Duke
12:00 – 12:45 CST	<i>Lunch</i>

<p>Time Block 5 12:45 – 2:15 CST</p>	<p>Recap of St. Pete Workshop: KPI, Metrics & Definitions Aaron Dale – Duke Chris Messer – EUCG</p>
<p>2:15 – 2:45 CST</p>	<p><i>Break</i></p>
<p>Time Block 6 2:45 – 3:30 CST</p>	<p>Emergency Response Plans Raul Rivera – TECO</p>
<p>Time Block 7 3:30 – 4:30 CST</p>	<p>Learnings from Thermal Events Josh Harris – PG&E Markus Zimmermann – SRP Miranda Mendez – APS</p>
<p>Time Block 8 4:30 – 5:00 CST</p>	<p>Roundtable Discussion & Future Topics Jeff Polacek – NIPSCO</p>