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Load Research & Analytics, Cable Engineering Committees and Data Analytics Council Initiate Phone Conference Meetings

The AEIC Load Research & Analytics Committee held another one of its bi-weekly member discussions regarding COVID-19 to observe and better understand the virus impacts on customer loads, ways of measuring the impacts, and how member and guest companies are reporting the impacts of the virus across customer classes.

Thanks to robust attendance and participation in the discussion, the committee is creating an ongoing schedule of these discussions and will be opening up attendance to other load research organizations as the topics and requirements fluctuate due to the virus.

- **The Cable Engineering Committee** is planning a telephone conference meeting in place of its regular face-to-face meeting scheduled in May, which had to be canceled. The telephone conference is scheduled for May 6, 7, and 8, 2020 with specific topics planned for short sessions during the three days. On the first day, the committee will meet with manufacturers of underground cables in a regularly scheduled meeting of the UPCSTAC organization – The Utility Power Cable Standards Technical Advisory Committee.

The second day will feature a technical presentation by the NEETRAC organization, a self-supporting, membership-based center within the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering at Georgia Tech, along with a committee breakout session.

The last meeting day will continue with committee breakouts, time carved out to provide committee workgroups to develop and amend the underground cable specifications and guides provided world-wide.

- **The Data Analytics Council Leadership Team** holds monthly conference calls to review the status of activities and discuss issues related to the Council in addition to regular

conference calls with the Team Leaders for the four Use Case templates and white paper that are being developed by Council teams. Among these discussions is developing an alternative to the Spring Council meeting which included a joint session with the Customer Service Committee and work team breakout sessions. The work teams also have regular conference calls and the Council Secretary, Diana Mahoney, publishes regular newsletters.

AEIC will continue reporting on committee and workgroup meetings as the COVID-19 situation continues.