



## Environmental Law & Policy Annual Review

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Friday, March 27, 2026

10:30 AM – 4:30 PM

### *Welcome and Introduction*

**10:30 AM – 10:55 AM**

- Linda K. Breggin, Senior Attorney, Environmental Law Institute
- Michael P. Vandenberg, David Daniels Allen Distinguished Chair of Law, Vanderbilt University Law School
- Rena May Childers, Editor-in-Chief, ELPAR
- Autumn Barfield, Development Editor, ELPAR

### *The Water District and the State, Dave Owen*

**11:00 AM – 12:15 PM**

- Panel Introduction, Natalie Louise Baldacci, ELPAR Article Editor (5 minutes)
- Author presentation (15 minutes) (virtual)
- Commenter remarks (10 minutes each)
  - Noa Bruhis, Manager of the Climate Resilient Water Systems Team, EDF
  - James Eklund, Partner, Taft Law
  - J.D Strong, Executive Director, Western States Water Council
- Author(s) response (5 minutes)
- Dialogue/Q&A (remainder of time)

### *Break (boxed lunch provided)*

**12:15 PM – 12:45 PM**

### *Indoor Air: The Forgotten Frontier of Environmental Law, Albert C. Lin*

**12:45 PM – 2:10 PM**

- Panel Introduction, Carsyn Leigh Kenny, ELPAR Article Editor (5 minutes)
- Authors Presentations (15 minutes)
- Commenter remarks (10 minutes each)
  - Elizabeth Beardsley, Senior Policy Counsel, U.S. Green Building Council
  - Laurence S. Kirsch, Partner, Sidley
  - Emily Porcari, Manager of State and Local Government Affairs, ASHRAE
  - Michelle Thompson, Public Health Industrial Hygienist, Vermont Department of Health
- Author(s) response (5 minutes)
- Dialogue/Q&A (remainder of time)

### *Unwritten Administrative Law and the Regulatory Last Mile, Anthony B. Derron*

**2:15 PM – 3:30 PM**

- Panel Introduction, Nicholas G. Wallenburg, ELPAR Article Editor (5 minutes)
- Authors Presentations (15 minutes)
- Commenter remarks (10 minutes each)
  - Susan Bodine, Partner, Earth & Water Law
  - Amanda Garcia, Senior Attorney, Southern Environmental Law Center
  - Reid Wilson, Secretary, North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality
- Author(s) response (5 minutes)
- Dialogue/Q&A (remainder of time)

### *Closing Remarks - Conclusion*

**3:30 PM – 3:35 PM**

- Molly F. Cohn, ELPAR Executive Editor

### *Reception (in-person)*

**3:35 PM – 4:30 PM**