

Editor's note

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Sometimes it's really fun to be editor of *Infrastructure*. That's how I felt in early spring doing the final reading of the text for this issue. The articles are, across-the-board, informative and thought provoking.

The interview with Pat Wood, our lead article, is an informal discussion of what to look for from the FERC in the coming months. Let me know if you enjoy reading the interview format and we'll work on adding other interviews in the future.

The Section's new Corporate Governance Committee has identified key subjects that will affect the industries that form the foundation of this Section's membership. The chair of the committee describes his plans in this issue and the first committee "white paper" — the role of independent special counsel — is published here.

Finally, we feature an article on the American Association of Blacks in Energy, a national organization whose members are active in the energy industries and in affecting the energy policy agenda.

I am trying to be sure that *Infrastructure* covers all Section areas. If you would like to suggest a subject for future articles, please send me an e-mail at lrandell@wiggin.com.