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NATIONAL PETROLEUM COUNCIL TO HOLD
131st MEETING VIRTUALLY
SECRETARY GRANHOLM TO SPEAK

WASHINGTON, D.C., December 6, 2021 – National Petroleum Council (NPC) Chair Larry Nichols announced today that the 131st meeting of the Council will be held on Tuesday, December 14, beginning at 9:00 a.m. (E.S.T.). The NPC meeting will be held in a virtual format. A live stream of the meeting's proceedings will be available to the public with details provided through the NPC website <www.npc.org>. The meeting agenda will include remarks from the Secretary of Energy, Hon. Jennifer Granholm.

The NPC is a federal advisory committee chartered by the Secretary of Energy. From 1946 until the implementation of the U.S. Department of Energy Organization Act of 1977, the NPC served as an advisory body to the Secretary of the Interior. The sole purpose of the Council is, at the Secretary of Energy's request, to advise, inform, and make recommendations to the Secretary, and through the Secretary, to the Executive Branch, on matters pertaining to oil and natural gas or to the oil and gas industries.

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