



### **John Sumi, Madison Gas and Electric**

John Sumi is the MGE Director of Legislative Affairs. John joined MGE in 2007. As Legislative Affairs Director, John advocates for the interests of MGE and its customers at the federal, state and local levels of government.

Prior to joining MGE, John was the Executive Director of the Customers First! Coalition (CFC). The coalition is a broad-based alliance that MGE helped found to advocate for state policies that preserve Wisconsin's affordable, reliable and environmentally responsible electricity.

Before coming to CFC John pursued his interest in regulatory policy with AT&T Corporation as the State Manager for Law & Government Affairs. While with AT&T, John helped guide the company's Wisconsin regulatory agenda in support of AT&T's 2003 entry into the local telephone service market.

John also has extensive past experience in State Capitol as an Executive Assistant to two State Senators. During several sessions of the Legislature John served as the lead Senate staffer for the Legislature's Joint Committee for Review of Administrative Rules