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Kiel Weaver is Chief Advocacy Officer at the Edison Electric Institute (EEI), leading EEI's external and government affairs team.

Previously, he shared his time between NextEra Energy's Government Affairs and Environmental Services business units as a Policy Director.

Weaver served for more than 26 years in various levels at the legislative and executive branches of the federal government, working in senior roles as the energy and environmental policy advisor for Speaker of the House Paul Ryan and later as the Associate Deputy Secretary at the U.S. Department of the Interior during President Donald Trump's first administration.

Weaver also held positions at the House Natural Resources Committee, where he was Senior Advisor to current Chairman Bruce Westerman, and the Water and Power Subcommittee and its subsequent iterations, where he served for nearly 15 years as Republican Staff Director.

Before these roles, Weaver represented electricity providers at Morgan Meguire, LLC and served as a legislative aide in House and Senate personal offices.

His early years were spent in Gettysburg, Pa., and he received his bachelor's degree from Mary Washington College.