Energy Programme Update

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IESO: Who we are and what we do



Reliably operate Ontario's province-wide system 24/7



Enable provincewide energy conservation



Support innovation



Create electricity market efficiencies

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Plan for Ontario's future energy needs



Work closely with communities to explore sustainable options





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Independent Electricity System Operator

An Evolving Sector



Transforming Our Supply Mix



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- Coal-fired generation has been removed (6,000 MW)
- Renewable resources now account for 35 percent of the system's energy capacity (14,000 MW)
- Embedded "local power" resources are on the rise (3,800 MW)
- Conservation savings, growing embedded generation and demand reduction programs have offset increased demand
- Stable supply means the IESO can focus on implementing needed market design changes. Our Market Renewal Program underway has an estimated net benefit of \$2.2 - \$5.2 billion, over a 10 year period



Distributed Energy Resources





Market Renewal



Renewing Ontario's market

Address Inefficiencies of Current Design

- Two-schedule market results in misalignment between price & dispatch
- Reliance on out-ofmarket payments
- Price distortions and out-of-market actions

Reduce Costs and Risks

- Reduce risk of producing electricity
- More efficiently schedule and optimize resources
- Greater flexibility

Enable a More Dynamic Future

- Decentralization and digitization
- Empowered customers

Solutions well tested in other markets but will need to be designed to meet Ontario needs



Efficiencies will come from . . .

- Improved price signals
- Opportunities for new technologies
- Lower risk for producers
- Focus on system needs
- Better use of interties
- Greater reliance on competition
- Better use of existing assets



2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030

Market renewal benefits case



Market Renewal



An **ENERGY** work stream to reduce the cost of scheduling and dispatching energy to meet real time energy demand

- Single Schedule Market
- Day Ahead Market
- Real Time Unit Commitment



A **CAPACITY** work stream to reduce the cost of procuring MW to meet future resource adequacy needs

- Introduce an Incremental Capacity Auction
- Enable Capacity Trade



A **FLEXIBILITY** engagement to find near term ways to meet intra hour operability needs

- Expanded Participation in the Market
- Maximising Use of Interties



What to expect and when





Energy Efficiency



Historical Perspective





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Energy-Efficiency Achievements



2017 best-performing year on record:

- Portfolio remains cost-effective at under 3¢/kWh
- Ontario has saved 15.4 TWh of electricity since 2006
- IESO & LDCs achieved 1.8 TWh of energy savings in 2017, reaching 4.9 TWh
- In 2017 the Industrial Accelerator Program achieved 280 GWh of energy savings – 22% of the 1.3 TWh target based on 117 projects



What's New and What's Next

- Recent report on Indigenous energy-efficiency to guide program design efforts
- Outreach with Municipal Energy Profile report
- New Save on Energy Website
- Province-wide Home Assistance Program
- Deal Days on now





Regional Planning



Electricity Planning in Ontario

Regional Planning is the link between **provincial** and **local planning**



Preparing for change: regional planning

- Needs for all 21 planning regions re-evaluated on a five-year cycle
- 20-year plans ensure a reliable electricity supply through a variety of options including:
 - Energy efficiency
 - Generation
 - Transmission & distribution
 - Other innovative solutions





Community engagement

- Critical to the success of the IESO's decision-making process
- Ways to engage:
 - Participate in regional planning
 - Attend an IESO Regional Forum
 - Email communityengagement@ieso.ca
- Visit ieso.ca Get Involved>Regional Planning and Community Engagement



2018 regional electricity forums



Southwest, Waterloo – Nov 7-8 Northeast, Timmins – Nov 21-22 East, Kingston – TBD, Spring 2019 Northwest, Thunder Bay – TBD, Spring 2019



Stay Engaged



IESO Resources

The Bottom Line on Energy Management

DEMAND RESPONSE

Making Ontario's Electricity Market Work for Your Business

Why demand response

is worth a second look

take control of your electricity costs

 How Western University is investing in the future of higher learning





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