

Resource Adequacy

Western Resource Adequacy Program

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"Resource adequacy planning looks forward to match electricity needs with electricity resources to determine whether the system can meet electricity needs in every hour of every season – even during extreme conditions such as extended heat wave or drought."

- Oregon Public Utility Commission



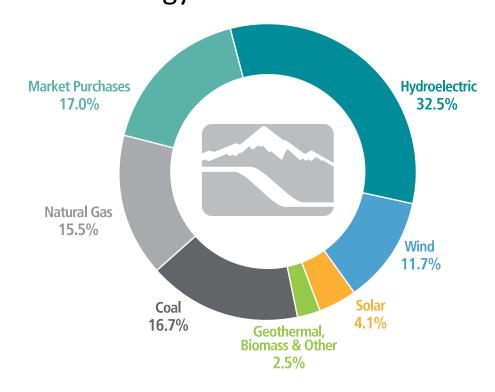




OUR PRICES ARE MORE THAN 20% BELOW THE NATIONAL AVERAGE



Clean Energy 2021 Energy Mix



This shows the energy we generate from company-owned resources and energy we buy through long-term contracts with wind, solar, biomass, geothermal, and small-scale hydro generators.

The mix does not represent the energy delivered to customers for two reasons.

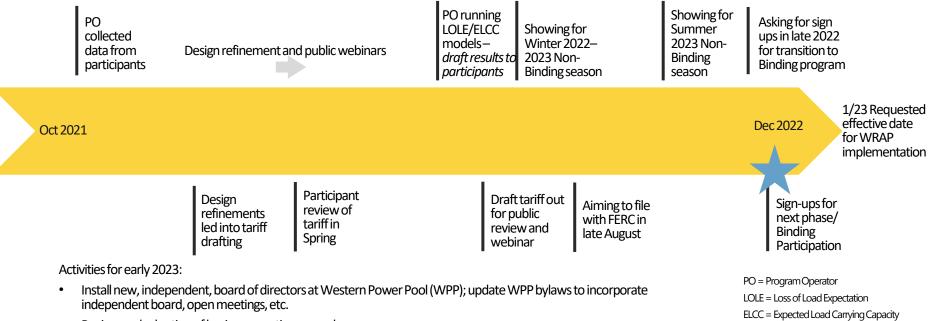
- We participate in the wholesale energy market and sell energy both to other utilities and to retail customers.
- Some of our purchased power from renewable sources comes with a Renewable Energy Credit, or REC, which we sell to keep customer prices low.

Western Resource Adequacy Program (WRAP)



- Industry Driven
- Reliability Focused
- Economically Beneficial Reduced Planning Reserve Margin (PRM)
- Works with Existing Market Structures
- Voluntary
- Geographical Diversity
 - Load
 - Generation

Current Phase Activities



- Review and adoption of business practice manuals
- Begin planned WRAP governance and review (e.g., Committee of State Representatives (COSR), Program Review Committee (PRC), stakeholder processes)
- Set up data exchange between participants/small-power producers (SPP) for Operations Program trial and non-binding seasons

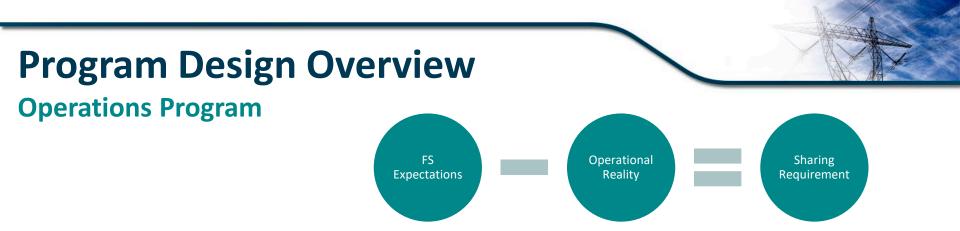
Program Design Overview

Forward Showing Program

- Establishes a regional reliability metric (1 event-day in 10 years LOLE)
- Utilizes thoughtful modeling and analytics to:
 - Determine historical summer and winter **capacity critical hours** (CCHs) data sets for the region
 - Determine each resource type's **qualifying capacity contribution** (QCC) to the regional capacity needs
 - Determine a planning reserve margin (PRM) which is applied to peak load forecast based on P50 metric
- Showing requirement includes **deliverability** component
 - Firm or conditional firm transmission to meet 75% of P50 + PRM (paired with robust exception framework)
- Participant compliance obligation (7 months in advance of binding season) = physically firm resources to meet P50 + PRM

Determine Program Capacity Requirement Determine Resource Capacity Contribution Compliance **Review of**

Portfolio



- » Evaluates participants' operational situation relative to Forward Showing assumptions (for load, outages, variable energy resources [VER] performance)
- » Obligates participants with calculated surplus to assist participants with a calculated deficit on the hours of highest need
- » Deficiency forecast on the day before the Operating Day (Preschedule Day) establishes Holdback Requirement for surplus participants
- » Surplus Participant that fails to provide assigned Energy Deployment must pay Energy Delivery Failure Charge

Commitment

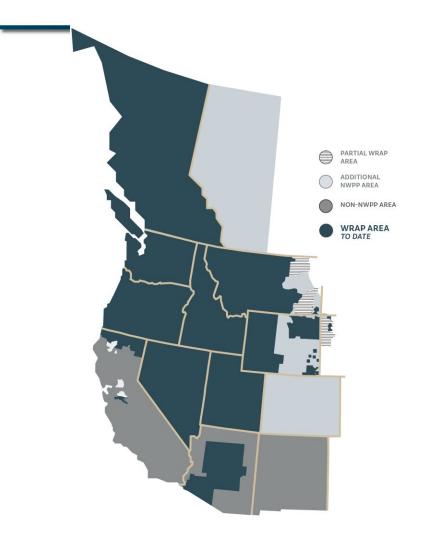
- Normal Withdrawal 24-month notice requirement
 - Prior to selected binding season
- Expedited Withdrawal Negotiated with WPP
 - Potential exit fee
- Idaho Power is meeting WRAP Forward Showing requirements for 2023
- Phase 3B includes the **non-binding** implementation phase

Transition Timeline



Summary of Benefits and Next Steps

- Over \$4M in annual savings
- Immediate Reliability Benefits
- Commit to Participate in Phase 3B non-binding operation (12/16/22)
- Select an initial Binding Season of Summer 2027
- Evaluate feasibility of earlier Binding Season
 - Earlier binding season provides Idaho Power and the program an assured Resource Adequacy outcome sooner, allowing full realization of reliability and economic benefit
 - Could be as early as 2025
- File an Application with the Idaho Public Utilities Commission for Review of Costs & Benefits of WRAP



Transmission



Diversity

Questions

