

IESO Engagement

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Electricity planning activities have begun for the Toronto Region. [Register](#) to participate in the upcoming webinar on February 16 at 10 a.m. The webinar will provide attendees with an overview of the electricity planning process, the needs that have been identified for this area, and to seek input on the draft Scoping Assessment report to determine the most appropriate planning approach going forward to meet the needs.

The draft report and presentation materials will be made available in advance of the webinar.

All interested parties are invited to participate including, but not limited to, local municipalities, Indigenous communities, businesses, stakeholders and members of the general public. For more information, visit the Toronto Region [engagement webpage](#).

The Toronto electricity planning region includes the City of Toronto as well as a small number of distribution feeders that supply customers in the City of Mississauga and City of Pickering.

Indigenous communities in or near the region or that have an interest in the area include:

- Mississaugas of the New Credit
- Six Nations of the Grand River
- Haudenosaunee Confederacy Chiefs Council
- York Region Métis Council
- the Huron Wendat of Wendake, Quebec

The Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) will work with electricity sector partners (transmitters and local distribution companies), communities, stakeholders, and other interested parties to help define the specific needs and explore possible solutions through the regional electricity planning process. The Scoping Assessment Report is the first step of this engagement process and your feedback will be important to help shape the electricity planning activities that will be undertaken in your region.

The last planning cycle was completed in 2020. The [Toronto Integrated Regional Resource Plan \(IRRP\)](#) and Appendices were posted in August 2019. Subsequent to the IRRP, a [Regional Infrastructure Plan \(RIP\)](#) led by Hydro One was completed in March 2020. An updated analysis of the timing of needs associated with the Richview to Manby Upgrade (as outlined in the 2019 IRRP) was

conducted in 2021. The analysis provided in this [2021 Toronto Addendum](#) and [Appendices](#) reaffirmed the needs and recommended solutions identified in the 2019 IRRP and 2020 RIP.

To view relevant documents and learn more visit the [Toronto regional planning webpage](#).

For more information about the regional planning process, please visit the [regional planning overview webpage](#).

Regards,

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