# Innovation Roadmap Update: Energy Storage Design Project

Stakeholder Advisory Committee

February 11, 2020



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### Recap: Storage Design Project Scope

- The Storage Design Project will:
  - 1. Clarify how energy storage resources can participate in today's IESO Administered Markets (the **interim period**), and
  - 2. Provide a vision for how storage resources will participate on an enduring basis in markets resulting from the Market Renewal Program (the **long-term period** - once investment in IESO tool upgrades to fully integrate storage resources are made)
- The Storage Design Project is an important step towards ensuring energy storage can fully compete to reliably and efficiently provide needed system services



### Recap: Scope – Transmission and Distribution Connected Storage in Wholesale Markets



# **Recap: Project Inputs and Phasing**



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# **Recap: Project Deliverables**

### The project includes four key deliverables:

#### 1. Design Document

- Answer key questions about how the IESO will treat storage in IESO-Administered Markets
- Reflect different timeframes (e.g. greater detail for interim measures and higher-level design discussion for long-term solutions)

#### 2. Market Rules and Manuals

- Draft and invite stakeholder feedback on market rule/manual language required to implement interim measures
- Produce inventory and description of future market rules/manual changes required to implement long-term design questions addressed in the project

#### 3. Inventory of IESO Tool/Process Changes

• Develop a list of tools/processes that will require updating to enable design questions addressed in the project

#### 4. Schedule for Market Updates

• Develop an integrated schedule to roll out changes that reflects dependencies on/timing of other initiatives



### Stakeholder Feedback on Project Scope Key Themes from October 28 Engagement Meeting

Theme	Stakeholder Feedback	IESO Response
Timing of storage integration into markets	Ensure storage is fully enabled in first iteration of new energy markets resulting from Market Renewal	Schedule for implementation of design decisions is a project deliverable (will be provided prior to project completion in Summer 2020)
Scope of Storage Design Project	Expand project scope to include behind-the-meter storage and hybrid (e.g. storage/ generation) facilities	Integration of behind-the-meter resources (distributed energy resources more generally) and hybrid facilities are being looked at in other IESO forums
Distribution System Coordination	Suggestion that Storage Design Project should address issues related to coordination of transmission and distribution operations related to storage	Transmission/Distribution (T-D) coordination is an issue larger than the scope of storage design project IESO is exploring enhanced T-D coordination via multiple forums and projects (e.g. IESO York Region Non- Wires Alternative Demonstration Project)

## SDP Progress to Date

- Oct. 2019 introduced project to Stakeholder Advisory Committee
- Oct. 2019 initial meeting with Energy Storage Advisory Group to introduce project and invite feedback on scope
- Nov. 2019 Energy Storage Advisory Group feedback on scope of project due
- Dec. 2019 IESO team meets with New York Independent System Operator to learn about their approach to storage integration
- Oct. 2019 to Jan. 2020 IESO developed draft design proposals for interim period (existing markets) for Energy Storage Advisory Group input at February 18<sup>th</sup> meeting



### High level overview

Design	Current	Proposed Interim Design	Rationale for
Element	Barrier/Issue	Solution	Proposed Solution
Market and Facility Registration	Current IESO tools model each storage facility as a combination of a generator and load which means that the facility could receive conflicting dispatch signals AND tools can't see State of Charge Acceptable participation models for storage not clearly defined in the Market Rules and Manuals	<ul> <li>Proposing to enable storage to register in 1 of 3 ways:</li> <li>1. Self-scheduling facility providing regulation service only (registered as self-scheduling generator)</li> <li>2. Self-scheduling facility in the energy market only (registered as self-scheduling generator and non-dispatchable load)</li> <li>3. Dispatchable facility, capable of participating in energy and operating reserve markets* (registered as dispatchable generator and dispatchable load)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Provides clarity on acceptable participation models for energy storage resources</li> <li>Respects current IESO tool limitations</li> <li>Builds on IESO experience with storage pilot projects</li> </ul>



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State of Charge Management	<ul> <li>Because IESO tools can't model storage facilities as a single entity capable of injection and withdraw, there is a risk of conflicting dispatch instructions for the two sides of a dispatchable facility</li> <li>As a storage facility approaches a dispatch hour its ability to inject or withdraw energy may change (due to state-of-charge limitations); currently no rules for storage bid/offer change</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Restriction against overlapping or equal bid/offer prices (i.e., offer prices must be greater than bid prices)</li> <li>Allow storage facilities to signal state-of-charge limitations during the two-hour mandatory window that precedes each dispatch hour</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Minimizes risk of conflicting dispatch instructions for the two sides of the facility</li> <li>Limits potential for infeasible dispatch instructions</li> </ul>



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Operating Reserve	Unclear requirements for storage resources	<ul> <li>No simultaneous offers from load and generation resources</li> <li>Minimum state-of- charge requirements to ensure facility can meet 1 hour activation requirement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Avoids conflicting/infeasible operating reserve activations</li> <li>Ensures storage resources can meet reliability requirement for operating reserve</li> </ul>
Day-ahead Participation	Unclear requirements for storage resources	<ul> <li>Storage facilities will bid/offer in day-ahead commitment process like any other facility</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Consistent with treatment of other resources; results in Availability Declaration Envelope that will allow storage to participate in real- time market</li> </ul>

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Prudential Requirements for ESRs	Unclear requirements for storage	Set collateral based on net energy withdrawals (based upon cycle efficiency and projected number of cycles per assessment period)	Provides sufficient collateral to cover risk of default without being overly onerous
Self-Scheduling Thresholds for ESRs	Unclear requirements for storage	<ul> <li>10 MW threshold for self- scheduling facilities in the energy market</li> <li>Allow regulation-only facilities greater than 10 MW until IESO tools are upgraded to allow dispatchable storage facilities to provide regulation service</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Consistent with threshold for generators</li> <li>Increases potential for storage facilities to compete to provide regulation service while respecting current tool limitations</li> </ul>



### **Next Steps**

- February 18 Energy Storage Advisory Group meeting to walk through design proposals for the interim period
- Q2 2020 Energy Storage Advisory Group to introduce longterm design proposals and draft rule/manual language for interim measures in Q2 2020
  - Technical Panel process to follow in summer 2020 for interim measure rules
- Q2 2020 produce high-level schedule for market updates
- Q3 2020 target for project completion in early Q3
  - Continued work on implementation of design decisions
  - Decisions have been made re: timing of long-term solution



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