

PJM IPRTF Solution Package



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Clearway Energy Group Overview

Clearway is one of the largest renewable energy companies in the United States. We are a fullscope development & operations platform. We participate in every stage of the life-cycle of **Our Projects** – from origination and development – through construction and financing – to long term ownership, management, and operations. Clearway strives to create an enduring platform for our customers, counterparties, partners, affiliates, and stakeholders.

With 5 GW of solar and wind assets across 26 states and a development projects (nearly 16 GW of solar, wind, and storage projects) nationwide, we are offsetting nearly 8.8 million metric tons of carbon emissions for our customers.

- Origination & Business Development
 - Focused on utility-scale wind, utility-scale solar & community solar
- Development
 - Site diligence, project management, permitting, & interconnection
- Engineering, Procurement & Construction
 - Technical services & construction management
- Project Finance
 - Over \$8.1 billion in financing across over 170 distinct projects

Commercial Operations

• In-house Asset Management and Operations & Maintenance



Clearway supports five queue reform's fundamental goals

A few strawman ideas are listed below - with more details in the solution package workbook

Cost Allocation Improvement

- Shift factors for cost allocation based on the study methodology being deployed (e.g. reliability vs. deliverability contingencies)
- Network upgrades are subject to rate recovery and reimbursements to interconnection customers up to a defined cost cap (\$/MW)
- Identified Cluster Study Network upgrade also be evaluated as a possible baseline or policy driven upgrade

Study Time Reduction

- Overall study timeline (Phase 1 + Phase 2 + Phase 3) reduction to around 365 days:
- Overall queue process timeline 18 months
- Affected System Study coordination and study timeline reduction

Increasing Cost Certainty

- Support finding ways to reduce late-stage queue churns and corresponding study retooling
- Support implementing appropriate milestones (financial and technical ones) at various phases of the projects to increase the certainty of the projects

Increasing Upgrade Schedule Certainty

 Interconnection Facilities and Network Upgrade cost and schedule should be binding to provide IC cost and timing certainty

Retainment of No Harm Changes Flexibility

- Allowing some flexibility around fuel type, MW reduction, equipment change etc., subject to material modification evaluation
- Modifications after the Phase 2 or 3 study phases should be evaluated under a Material Modification Assessment process with clear guidelines on what modifications are allowed through the confirmation process





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