# **Dominion Energy Virginia**

## **Retail Service Territory (LSE)**

### Load Adjustment Request Detail

### Submission request by year and type (if multiple).

See page 3 for the forecast by year.

### Summary of expected load behavior by type (if multiple).

The metered load is expected to grow as forecast.

### How the requester is treating these loads in their own financial/planning forecast.

Dominion Energy uses this same forecast to prepare both its Integrated Resource Plan and financial plans.

# Summary of agreements or other supporting information that speaks to the certainty of the submission.

Dominion Energy does not prepare its forecast using signed contracts. Rather it uses signed firm contracts to validate its forecast. The Company uses two different signed firm contracts to validate its forecast.

- Construction Letter of Authorization This is a contract that authorizes the Company to construct transmission and distribution facilities to serve a customer request. This contract obligates the customer to: 1) reimburse the Company for any investments made if the project is canceled and 2) execute an Electric Service Agreement within a fixed period of time after the facilities are in place.
- Electric Service Agreement This is a contract for service. It is required prior to meter set and outlines how the Company will serve the customer. The guiding terms are outline in the Company's Terms & Conditions and the appropriate electric tariff.

### In the case of agreements, please provide summary of what the agreement entails.

See the response above and the top of page 4 for a comparison of the billed demand forecast to the signed firm contracts.

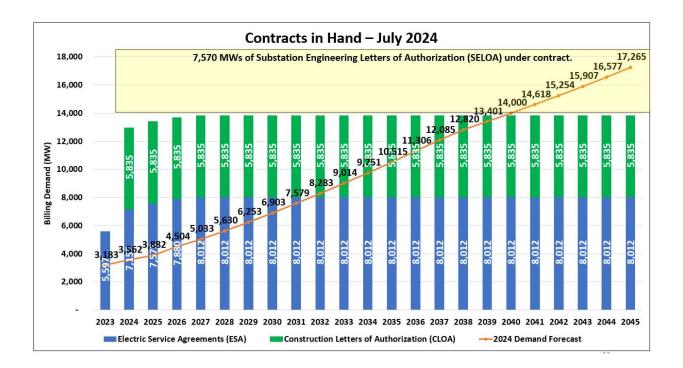
# Description/summary of any methods, screening, or scoring criteria that was used in developing the submission.

See the bottom of page 4 and page 5 for both a description and a graphic highlighting the Company's forecasting process. The foundation of this process is over ten years of monthly metered information.

### Narrative on pipeline of future projects (e.g. projects that were not submitted, inquiries, etc.).

See the top of page 4. This graph shows how the firm contracts grow into the demand forecast over time. The contract values are as of July 2024. The Company has contractual support for its forecast through 2040. The Company executed 6 GW of new firm contracts from July 2023 to July 2024. The Company continuously executes new contracts, both Construction Letters of Authorization and Electric Service Agreements and expects to continue to do so in support of future demand.

Dominion Energy Retail Service Territory (LSE) Data Center Industry Coincident Peak			
		Year	MW
		2025	3,474
		2026	3,954
2027	4,458		
2028	4,987		
2029	5,538		
2030	6,114		
2031	6,713		
2032	7,337		
2033	7,984		
2034	8,637		
2035	9,313		
2036	10,014		
2037	10,704		
2038	11,355		
2039	11,870		
2040	12,400		
2041	12,948		
2042	13,511		
2043	14,089		
2044	14,683		
2045	15,293		



## **Modeling Process**

### Forecast is based on 10+ years of metered data center customer information

- Statistically modeled 7 largest or fastest growing customers and an 8<sup>th</sup> model of all remaining customers combined into one segment
- 2. Statistically model <u>high</u> billing demand forecast three ways for each customer segment (24 models)
  - a) Approach 1: linear regression of billing demand
  - b) Approach 2: polynomial regression of billing demand
  - c) Approach 3: custom fit based on market/customer information
  - Note: One of these three approaches is selected for each of the 8 customer segments
- 3. Validate/adjust statistical forecasts based on customer provided long-term forecasts (4 cloud customers)
- 4. Develop low billing demand forecast using industry aggregate statistical models (4 models)
- 5. Average high and low forecasts to derive the official billing demand forecast
- 6. Use load factor to model MWH sales based on high, official, and low forecast scenarios
- 7. Based on historical ratios, calculate coincident demand forecast from billing demand forecast



