

# 2019 IRP Working Group

Meeting 1: February 28, 2018



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### Introductions



- Name
- Organization and Role
- Interest in the Energy Sector





Agenda

# Agenda – February 28, 2019

9:00	Executive Welcome	Laura Campbell, Vice President, Enterprise Planning Joe Hoagland, Vice President, Enterprise Relations and Innovation	
9:05	Welcome and Introductions of IRPWG (alternates too?) (each person speak 2-3 mins)	Jo Anne Lavender, Facilitator, and Group	
10:15	Introduce TVA 2019 IRP Team	Jo Anne Lavender and Staff	
10:30	Break		
10:45	IRPWG Protocols and Logistics	Jo Anne Lavender	
11:00	Information Sharing Protocol and Discussion Non Disclosure Agreement Overview	Khurshid Mehta, Office of the General Counsel	
11:15	Intro to TVA	Joe Hoagland	
11:35	What is Resource Planning	Brian Child Jane Elliott	
12:20	Lunch	INTEGRATED <b>Resource Plan</b> 2019	



# Agenda – Continued

1:20	Environmental Reviews	Ashley Pilakowski, Environmental Compliance and Operations
1:35	Overview of the 2015 Integrated Resource Plan	Brian Child, Enterprise Planning
1:50	Break	
2:10	2019 IRP Process and Schedule and Q&A	Brian Child
3:00	Wrap Up	Jo Anne Lavender
3:30	Adjourn	





# IRP Working Group Protocols & Logistics

Jo Anne Lavender Facilitator

# Purpose of the 2019 IRP Working Group (IRPWG)

- A key engagement mechanism for TVA and diverse stakeholders
- Provide in-depth ongoing discussion and feedback on the IRP process, approach and assumptions
- Validate the assumptions behind the analysis and the recommendations
- Real time stakeholder input results in greater efficiency
- Distributed Energy Resources will play a more prominent role in future planning.



# IRPWG Meeting Starter Ground Rules

- One person speak at a time; be respectful of others; refrain from interrupting while someone is speaking
- > Be succinct so that everyone has the opportunity to speak.
- > Try to offer alternatives that accommodate your interests and the interests of others.
- ➤ Members reserve the right to disagree with any position
- > ELMO (Enough Let's Move On)

# **IRPWG Meeting Protocols**

#### Agenda

- TVA will prepare each meeting agenda and logistics
- Meeting materials will be sent to IRPWG members ahead of the meeting date using an external file sharing site

# Meeting Notes and Actions

> TVA will maintain meeting notes and running action items and responses

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# **IRPWG Meeting Protocols**

## Meeting Frequency

- Meeting locations will likely rotate, with sites chosen in consultation with the IRPWG
- > The IRPWG is expected to meet most months for 1-2 days.
- Identify an alternate who is informed and can attend in the event you are not available. If a member/alternate fails to attend three meetings in a row, TVA may seek a replacement

### Confidential Information

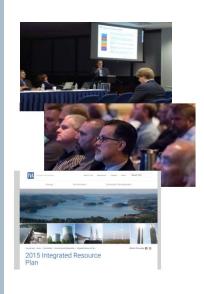
Non-disclosure agreements may be needed to facilitate TVA sharing confidential information.

## Public Involvement

While meetings and working sessions of the IRPWG will not be open to the general public, there are multiple ways TVA will be engaging other interested stakeholders and the general public.



# Stakeholder & Public Involvement Opportunities



#### **Forums for Public Input**

- Public Scoping Meetings
- > IRP Working Group (and other stakeholder groups)
- Quarterly Public Briefings / Webinars
- Draft IRP Public Comment Period
- External Web Page

Early 2018

Input will be incorporated throughout the process

Summer 2019



# IRPWG Relationship to Other Stakeholder Groups

Regional Energy Resource Council (RERC)

- FACA Committee
- Provides Council's advice to TVA Board External Relations Committee on energy policy matters

**Integrated Resource Plan Working Group** 

**Distributed Generation Information Exchange** 

- Working stakeholder groups (not formal FACA committees)
- Provides input/counsel into various work efforts and initiatives within TVA
- Stakeholder group members speak in "many voices;" no consensus required





# Non Disclosure Agreement Overview

Khurshid Mehta
Office of the General Counsel

# **Proposed Information Sharing Policy**

- > TVA is committed to share information required for the IRPWG to fulfill its objectives
- > A general guideline of information that will be shared is shown below

Туре	General Definition	Treatment
Public Information	Suitable for public release or already publicly available	
Confidential Information	If released could reasonably be expected to have an adverse effect on TVA operations, assets or individuals	Will be provided under a confidentiality agreement
Sensitive / Restricted Information	If released could reasonably be expected to cause serious risk of harm to TVA operations, assets or individuals.  Primarily, this is either:      Commercially proprietary information that could put TVA at a serious disadvantage in the marketplace      Information that would risk safety and security of assets or individuals	Will not be provided

# Non-Disclosure Agreement

#### **Purpose**

- Facilitate IRP deliberations by providing access to sensitive information regarding TVA's operations or assets
- Helps TVA maintain confidentiality of the sensitive information
- Written information
  - marked "IRP Workgroup Confidential"
- Oral information
  - stated by TVA to be confidential

#### **IRPWG Member Obligations**

- Keep information confidential
- Safeguard information
- Upon request, return information to TVA
- If not requested by TVA, destroy information after its use in IRP deliberations
- Member may share information with its representatives only for purpose of evaluating IRP and after instructing representatives of the restrictions
- Return signed copies (with signatures of member and its representatives) at next IRP Workgroup meeting

Proposed NDA can be found in your folder (and on the file sharing site)







# **TVA Overview**

Joe Hoagland, Vice President, Enterprise Relations and Innovation Laura Campbell, Vice President, Enterprise Planning

## What We Are

- Provider of low-cost, reliable power
- Steward of the Valley's natural resources
- Partner for economic growth



"Power is really a secondary matter.... TVA is primarily intended to change and to improve the standards of living of the people of that valley. Power is, as I said, a secondary consideration. Of course, it is an important one because, if you can get cheap power to those people, you hasten the process of raising the standard of living."

President Franklin D. Roosevelt

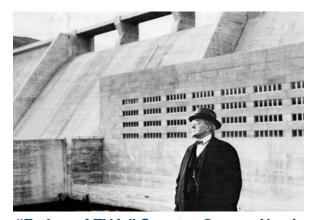


### What We Do

- Serve 7 states, 154 local power companies, 57 directly served customers and 80,000 square miles
- Generate \$10.9 billion annual revenue
- Manage the Valley's river systems and environmental resources.



First power pole erected in 1934 in Pontotoc, Miss.



"Father of TVA," Senator George Norris



#### Energy



Provide affordable electric power throughout the Tennessee Valley Region

#### **Our Mission**

#### **Environment**



Act as a steward of the Valley's natural resources

#### **Economic Development**



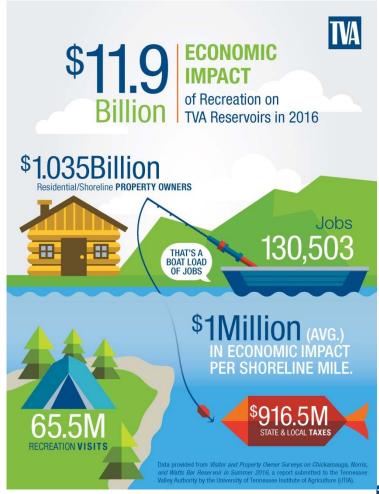
Serve as a catalyst for sustainable economic development

# Why We're Unique



## **Environmental Stewardship**







#### Serving the People of the Valley

#### **Energy Efficiency**

381.4 GWh FY16 ERS ACHIEVEMENT

The Valley has exceeded its load management targets nine years in a row.

**CAPITAL AVOIDANCE AT \$700 PER KILOWATT OF INSTALLED COSTS** 

**1,128** mw

AVOIDED CAPACITY ADDITION

\$790 million 2.0¢ per kWh

AVERAGE LIFETIME COSTS FOR TVA'S **ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS** 

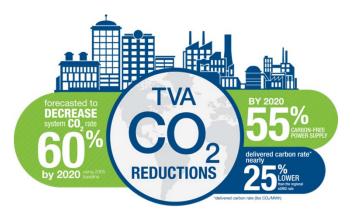
>3,120 GWh

**ENERGY NEEDS AVOIDED** 

Savings of EnergyRight Solutions programs from 2008 to 2016.

#### Low Rates Top Quartile Industrial Rates

#### **Cleaner Generation**





# **Economic Development**

#### FY17 TVA Economic Development Year-End Results

Region	Jobs Attracted/Retained	Capital Investment
Alabama	10,700 jobs	\$1.3 billion
Kentucky	6,000 jobs	\$ 1.1 billion
Middle Tennessee	22,700 jobs	\$2.8 billion
Mississippi	6,870 jobs	\$520 million
Northeast Valley	7,760 jobs	\$1.1 billion
Southeast Valley	6,990 jobs	\$790 million
West Tennessee	8,260 jobs	\$540 million

In FY 17:

\$8.3 billion in capital investment

70,000 jobs



## The Value of Public Power

- People are first Accountable to stakeholders, not stockholders
- Rates are set to recover costs and reinvest in facilities – Not maximize profits
- Low-cost, reliable service are the focus Not shareholders
- Collaborative regulatory process with a clear focus on serving energy consumers



More than 25% of our nation's electricity consumers receive their energy from public power



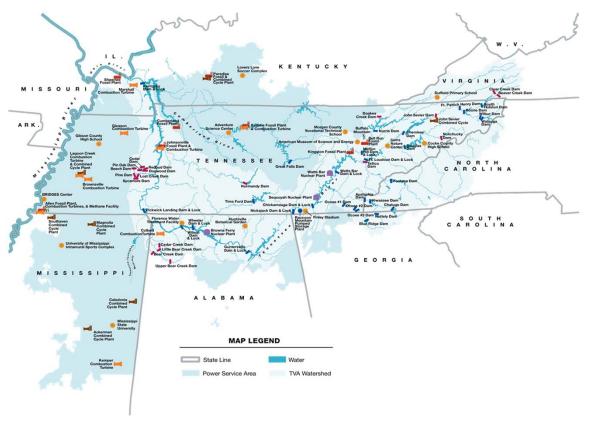
### **TVA Governance**

- Corporate Agency of the United States, receives no tax dollars / self financing
- Nine-member Board of Directors, nominated by the President, confirmed by the Senate
- CEO, appointed by the TVA Board
- RERC provides advice to the TVA Board





### TVA's Service Territory





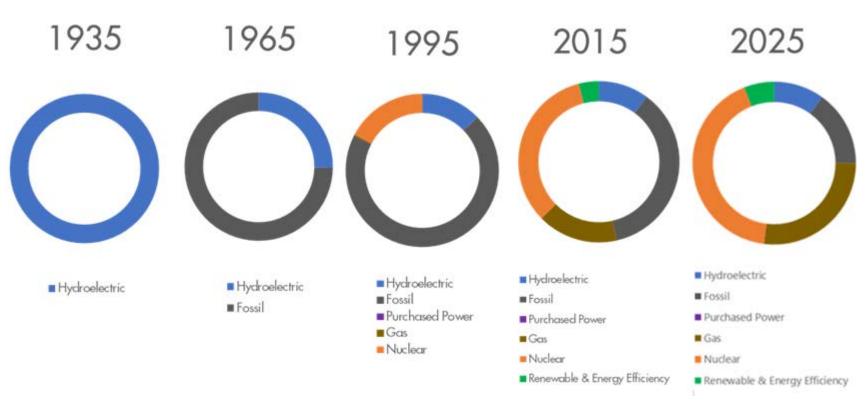
# **Our Transmission System**



- 99.999 reliability for 18 years
- More than 16,000 circuit miles of transmission line
- Over 400 substations and switchyards (100-kV and above)
- Over **104,000** transmission structures on **236,000** right-of-way acres
- Over 1,200 customer connection points (includes generators and neighboring systems)
- 2 fully-operational Control Centers

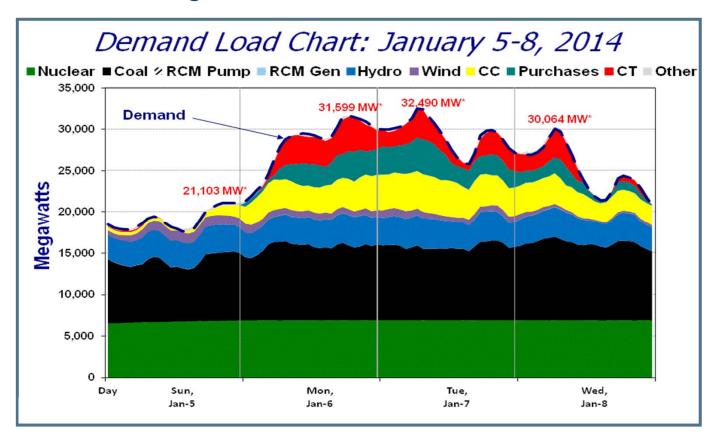


### Generation Over the Decades





# Obligation to Serve the Extremes





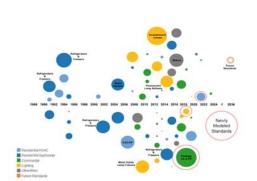
# 2019 IRP: Why Now?

- Proactively plan for the future
- Inform next long-range financial plan
- How might TVA continue to:
  - Provide low-cost, reliable electricity
  - Support environmental stewardship
  - Spur economic development

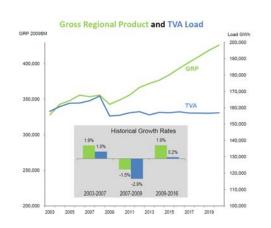


#### Consumer behaviors and preferences are changing

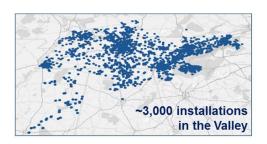
Energy efficiency penetration continues



Load is declining despite economic recovery



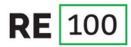
Renewables are becoming more attractive



New installed capacity from renewable sources surpassed natural gas, nuclear power, coal and oil combined in 2016



### Companies are committing to renewables



- Committed to 100% renewable electricity
- 87 companies to date







#### Stated Renewable **Energy Goals**

• Publicly stated renewable energy goals, but not RE100 commitment















- · Committed to accelerating procurement of wind and utility-scale solar energy
- 160+ members











- · Goal of growing corporate demand for renewables
- 58 signatures to date











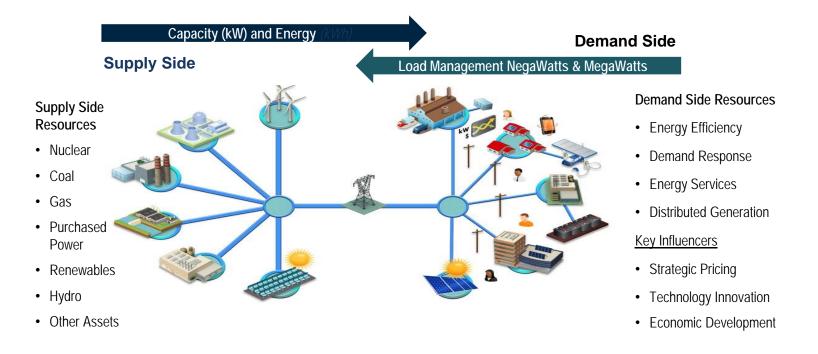




"We intend to achieve this goal, with or without you." - RE 100 member



# Distributed Energy Resources (DER) introduces fundamental change





# Resource Planning

Brian Child Jane Elliott

# Integrated Resource Planning

- Collaboration with stakeholders to envision the generation needs of the future
- Based on least-cost planning foundation
- Provides foundation for developing long-range financial plans
- Considers a number of potential futures to help predict changes in the marketplace



The IRP functions like a compass, not a GPS



## Goals for an Optimal Resource Plan



# Resource Planning Is About Solving Puzzles



By asking a lot of questions, like ...

How much energy will our customers use in the future?

What alternatives do we have to meet our resource needs?

Are there strategic considerations that will limit the alternatives we can consider?

How do we properly evaluate these resource alternatives?

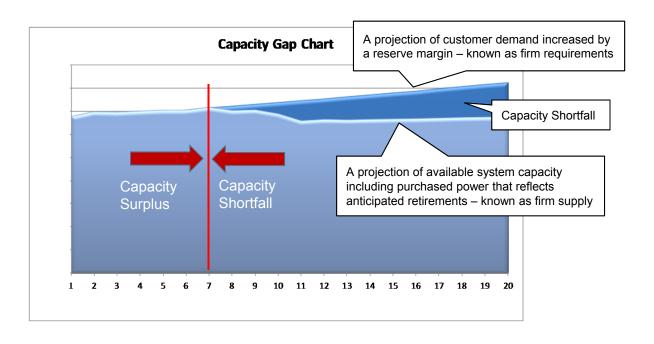
How do we find the best solution?



# Resource Planning Addresses Future Capacity Needs

Resource planning is about optimizing the mix of future capacity.

Projections of capacity needed are filled by the most cost-effective resource.



Recommended path provides low cost, reliability, diversity and flexibility



## Finding the Least Cost (Optimal) Resource Plan

 Using the reliability limit as a constraint, we optimize by minimizing the customer's delivered cost of power

**Planning Objective Function:** 

Minimize Expected Present Value of Revenue Requirements

#### **Components**

- Optimization
- Uncertainty
- > Time value of money



#### **Revenue Requirements**

- Operating expenses
- > Return of and on capital

#### **Constraints**

Planning reserve

Objective is to find the capacity mix that produces the minimum cost over the planning horizon



### Developing a Resource Plan

Resource Planning is a common tool in the utility industry to identify the least cost solution to meet customer demand over a long horizon (usually 20 years)

Develop **Load Forecast Define Existing** Resources Establish Need for Resources Identify **Resource Options** Analyze Portfolios Select Preferred Portfolio

Project customer demand for electricity in the future

 Define the resources currently available to meet customer demand and how that will change in the future

Compare future customer demand with existing resources

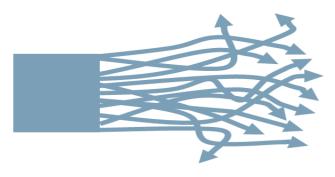
 Identify all resources (supply- and demand-side) that will be considered to meet future need

Test different resource combinations (portfolios) to evaluate performance

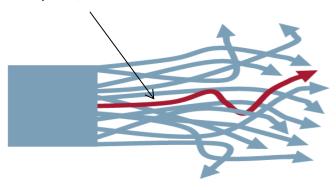
Select the preferred combination of resources

### A Maze of Future Possible Paths

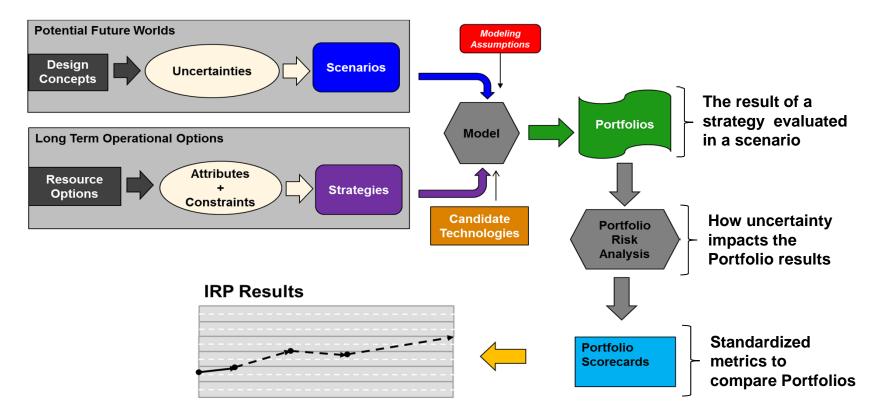
- Our industry faces rapid and unpredictable change, driven by:
  - Uncertain growth rates
  - Volatile regulatory future
  - Maturity of new generation technologies
  - Fluctuating fuel costs
  - Uncertainty over nuclear generation
  - Growth of distributed energy resources
- Drivers interact and new drivers may emerge that can change the future path
- Considering only the most likely path is risky
- Commitment to a single forecast could discourage strategic thinking and ignore significant business risks



Adopting this single path forward could be the right choice, but if the future evolves along one of the other paths, we will be locked in with few alternatives



## How Integrated Resource Planning Works





### Scenarios and Strategies Establish Framework

#### Scenarios

Outside TVA's Control

- Describe potential outcomes of factors (uncertainties) outside of TVA's control
- Represent possible conditions and are not predictions of the future
- Include uncertainties that could significantly impact operations, such as:
  - Load forecasts
  - Commodity prices
  - > Environmental regulations
- · Lends insight to riskiness of portfolio choices

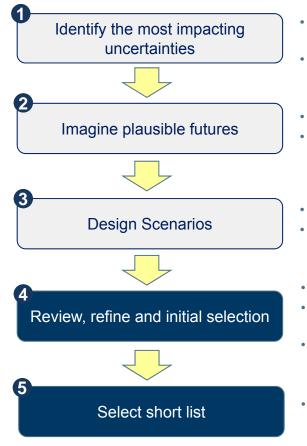
### Strategies Within TVA's Control

- WILLIII I VA S COLLIOI
- Test various business options within TVA's control
- Defined by a combination of resource assumptions, such as:
  - DER portfolio
  - Nuclear expansion
  - Energy storage
- Consider multiple viewpoints
  - Public scoping period comments
  - Assumptions that would have the greatest impact on TVA long-term

A well-designed strategy will perform well in many possible scenarios



## TVA's Process for Building Scenarios



- Identify trends and factors with an unknown outcome, or "uncertainties", that could potentially affect the business environment
- Select the ones that would have the biggest impact on TVA's business
- The next step is to imagine different futures
- TVA uses the building blocks to help frame what it is about these futures that matters
- · Develop stories that describe the plausible futures
- Define the list of scenarios and group them by common themes
- · Discuss the draft scenarios and refine description narratives
- Analyze proposed scenarios and define selection criteria (e.g. probability of occurrence, potential impact on the business, etc.)
- · Collect stakeholder input
- Finally, select a short list of scenarios that covers the range of the most critical uncertainties



### TVA's Process for Building Strategies





- ➤ Is this attribute something we want to evaluate in this IRP?
- Does this attribute capture an existing policy of TVA?
- > Does this attribute capture work done outside the IRP to meet TVA goals or objectives?

Identification of key attributes



Development of strategies using the attributes





Review candidate strategies for robustness & feasibility

- Review attributes within the strategy for correlation and compare attribute variability across all candidate strategies to ensure robust resource portfolios will be possible
  - > Discuss draft strategies with stakeholders, collect input and perform ranking

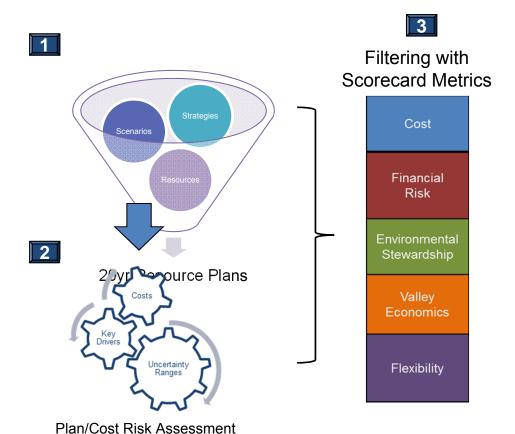


Determine list of proposed planning strategies

- TVA selects a short list of strategies to be modeled
  - Define each of the proposed planning strategies including objectives and key characteristics



### Portfolio Metrics & Tradeoffs Inform Recommendation



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Results from multiple case runs are scored using metrics that capture multiple aspects of TVA's mission.

Preferred resource plans can then be identified based on trade-off analysis across metrics categories and stakeholder input.





# **Environmental Review**

Ashley Pilakowski
Environmental Compliance and Operations

# IRP Environmental Impact Statement - Purpose and Approach

- National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)
- Analyze alternatives (resource strategies)
- Inform decision makers of potential impacts
- Public involvement
- Determine environmental impacts system-wide
- Subsequent site-specific studies



# Analyze Key Environmental Factors

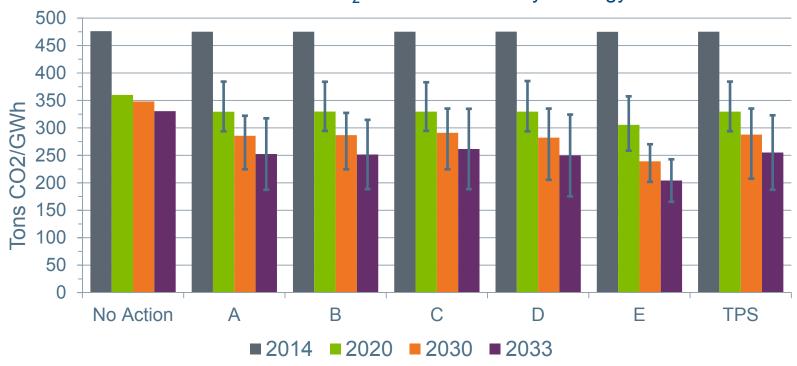
The EIS will assess broad region-wide impacts of a new IRP on environmental factors such as:

- Air quality
- Water resources
- Fuel requirements
- Waste production
- Land requirements
- Socioeconomics and environmental justice



# **Example IRP EIS Analysis**

Annual CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions Rate by Strategy



# Environmental Impact Statement Schedule





# Overview of the 2015 IRP

Brian Child

# 2015 IRP Summary Recommendation

#### More . . .

- Energy efficiency & demand response
- Natural gas
- Renewables
- Nuclear uprates



- Less coal
- No new base load in the planning horizon after Watt Bar Unit 2 and nuclear uprates

#### Integrated Resource Plan



SEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

TVA will provide reliable, affordable and sustainable power & strive for economic growth in the Valley



## 2015 IRP Major Assumptions

- Scenario planning approach (also used in the 2011 study) included range of plausible futures and uncertainties
- A diverse set of resource options were available for selection
- Strategies were developed to answer some key questions about:
  - Minimizing emissions
  - Market reliance vs. building assets
  - Promoting a greater commitment to EE
  - Increasing the contribution of renewables in the mix



### 2015 IRP Enhancements

- Energy efficiency as a resource represented by unique modeling solution
- Worked collaboratively with stakeholders to develop unit characteristics for multiple wind and solar options
- Solar, wind, energy efficiency and demand response treated as selectable resource options in the models



# 2015 IRP Scenarios and Strategies

#### **Scenarios** (Outside TVA's Control)

- 1 Current Outlook
- 2 Stagnant Economy
- 3 Growth Economy
- 4 De-Carbonized Future
- 5 Distributed Marketplace

#### **Strategies** (Within TVA's Control)

- A The Reference Plan
- B Meet an Emissions Target
- C Focus on Long-Term, Market-Supplied Resources
- D Maximize Energy Efficiency
- E Maximize Renewables



### Metrics Used to Evaluate Portfolio Performance

Cost

Financial Risk

Environmental Stewardship

> Valley Economics

Flexibility

<u>Cost</u> includes both the long-range cost of the resource plan (present value of customer costs) as well as a look at short term average system cost (an indicator of possible rate pressure)

<u>Financial Risk</u> measures the variation (uncertainty) around the cost of the resource plan by assessing a risk/benefit ratio and computing the likely amount of cost at risk; both of these indicators use data from probability modeling

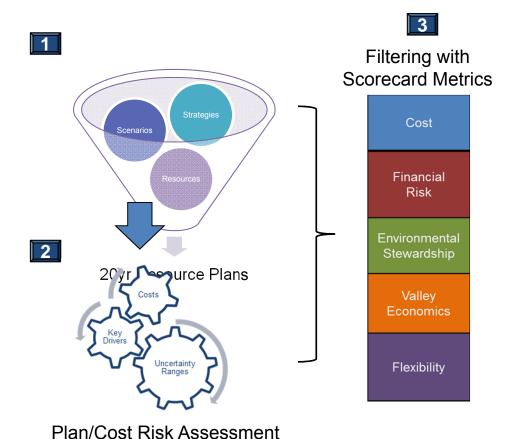
<u>Stewardship</u> captures multiple measures related to the environmental "footprint" of the resource plans, like air emissions and thermal loading impacts

<u>Valley Economics</u> computes the macro-economic effects of the resource plans by measuring the change in per capita income compared to a reference case

<u>Flexibility</u> is a measure of how responsive the generation portfolio of each resource plan is by evaluating the type/quantity of resources and the extent to which this mix can easily follow load swings



## 2015 IRP Framework: Analyze, Review, Recommend

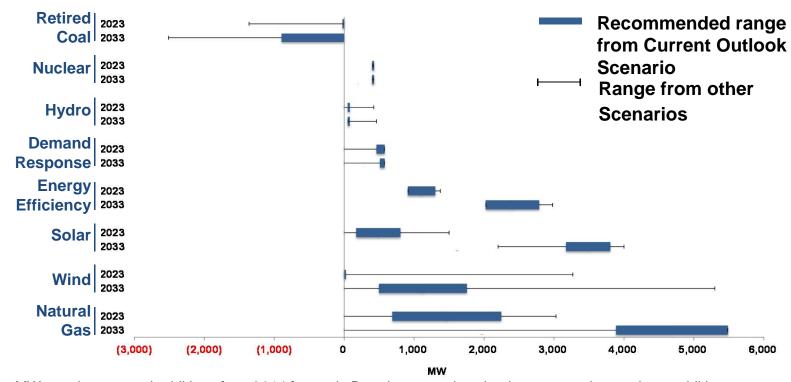


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Results from multiple case runs are scored using metrics that capture multiple aspects of TVA's mission.

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### 2015 IRP Recommendation



MWs are incremental additions from 2014 forward. Board-approved coal retirements and natural gas additions as of August 2015 are excluded.







# 2019 IRP Process and Schedule

Brian Child

### 2019 IRP Focus Areas

- Distributed Energy Resources
- System flexibility
- Portfolio diversity









### Defining the IRP

#### The IRP Will:

- Use least-cost planning criteria
- Incorporate resource capital and operating costs, fuel costs
- Include Valley economics as key criteria to evaluate strategies
- Evaluate socioeconomic impacts of alternative strategies
- Attempt to understand the speed of DER penetration in the Valley

#### The IRP Will Not:

- Establish wholesale or retail electricity rates
- Identify specific sites for new resources
- Be a Distributed Integrated Resource Plan (DIRP)



# IRP is a Public Process – Stakeholder Engagement is Important

- IRP Working Group
- Regional Energy Resource Council
- Public meetings, webinars, listening sessions



## What is Public Scoping?

- TVA periodically updates its power generation strategy. The first step is to understand the environment we're planning in. We call this scoping.
- We ask the general public, our customers, and our partners and regulators about their concerns regarding the sources we use to generate power, how we manage demand and how we deliver power.
- With this information, we develop candidate resource plans that are evaluated for viability, socio-economic and environmental impact.



### 2019 IRP Schedule: Schedule & Milestones

The 2019 IRP Study Approach is intended to ensure transparency & enable stakeholder involvement



(\*\* indicates timing of Valley-wide public meetings)

#### **Key Tasks/Milestones in this study timeline include:**

- Establish stakeholder group and hold first meeting (Feb 2018)
- Initial modeling (June 2018)
- Publish draft EIS and IRP (Feb 2019)
- Complete public meetings (April 2019)
- Board approval and final publication of EIS and IRP (expected Summer 2019)



# Objectives for Upcoming Meetings

- Review planning assumptions
- Review resource options
- Review and rank candidate scenarios
- Review and rank candidate strategies





# Questions, Discussion & Review of Action Items



