

TVA Provides Updates to Working Group at March Virtual Meeting

***Editor's Note:** TVA and stakeholders are working on TVA's next Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) to determine how TVA could meet customer demand for electricity between now and 2050 across a variety of possible futures that TVA could find itself operating in. A programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) will accompany the IRP to address its environmental effects.*

TVA held a virtual meeting with the Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) Working Group on March 14, 2024, to review the status of the IRP and EIS; discuss ways TVA incorporated group members' feedback from the February in-person meeting; and provide schedule updates.

TVA discussed changes it made based on Working Group input on key themes and a graphic with draft IRP results, which are planned to be included in the Draft IRP document. The Working Group meets regularly and provides in-depth discussion and feedback that challenges TVA assumptions and helps shape the IRP.

The Working Group represents a diverse group of stakeholders, including local power companies, industrial customers, customer associations, state government, environmental non-governmental organizations, academia and research associations, special interest groups and community stakeholders.

At the virtual meeting, TVA also reviewed the IRP schedule based on a TVA leadership decision to move the presentation of the final IRP and EIS to the TVA Board from the Board's August meeting to its November meeting. The change allows TVA to extend the public comment period and to have more time to review and incorporate public input. See [Working Group Meeting 9 Summary](#) (March 25, 2024) for information on subsequent changes to the IRP timeline.