

### INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN 2024 - 2043

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# How does electricity flow from IMPA to its member utilities?



### Public Power

### There are over 2,000 public power utilities in the United States, owned by the customers they serve.

47 Million

customers served throughout the U.S.

### Local & Reliable

service provided by friends & neighbors

### Not for Profit

entities that exist to serve customers

## IMPA by the Numbers



## What is Resource Planning?

IMPA creates scenarios as a structured way to think about the future, as scenario planning is a proven tool to better anticipate and respond to future risks and opportunities. IMPA develops stories about how the future might unfold by building alternate views of the future given different political, economic, regulatory, or technological assumptions. For the 2023 IRP, IMPA developed three scenarios for testing prospective portfolio decisions.



repealed.

emmissions by 2040.

### Resource Planning Process



### **Resource** Options

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#### **Baseload - Nuclear**

- Long lead time to develop
- Capital cost: \$9,000-\$10,000/kW
- Operating Costs (production and fuel) are relatively low and stable

#### Intermediate - Natural Gas Combined Cycle

- Mid-range development time
- Capital cost: \$1,200-\$1,300/kW
- Cost dependent on natural gas, currently low-cost

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#### **Peaking - Natural Gas Combustion Turbine**

- Development times are short
- Capital cost: \$800-\$1,000/kW
- Operating costs are high
- Used during peak energy use times

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#### Intermittent - Wind

- Development times are short
- Capital cost: \$1,200-\$1,300/kW without subsidy
- Operating costs are low
- Dependent on wind conditions for energy output
- Unpredictable generation output

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#### Intermittent - Solar

- Development time is short
- Capital cost: \$1,200-\$1,500/kW DC without subsidy
- Operating costs are low and stable
- On-peak energy
- Dependent on local solar conditions for energy output
- Low winter capacity ratings

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#### Storage - Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)

- Newer technology
- Long discharge, industrial-sized batteries not yet available
- Capital cost \$1,300-\$1,400/kW
- Pairs well with high levels of intermittent generation

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#### Energy Efficiency - Reduced Consumption

- Investment is initial rebate/incentive to participants
- Achieves energy savings and reduces peak load
- Effectiveness depends on customer participation
- Demand Response

### IMPA's Integrated Resource Plan

#### **Key Findings**

Due to the upcoming retirement of Gibson 5, IMPA faces a capacity shortfall towards the end of the decade. Current modeling suggests that a new, dual fuel combustion turbine would be a suitable replacement for the lost capacity due to Gibson 5's retirement. IMPA plans to execute a 200 MW bilateral capacity contract to fulfill capacity needs in the meantime.

### **IMPA's Action Plan**

Work with the Gibson 5 partners regarding the final plan, timing, and cost for retirement of the unit.

Execute short-term bilateral capacity contract and begin internal planning for the best path forward for adding CT capacity to its portfolio as a replacement for Gibson 5.

Monitor with the renewable energy market to evaluate potential utility scale projects that may benefit the power supply portfolio.

Continue the IMPA Energy Efficiency Program and implement revised demand response program.

Monitor the RTO/ISO market rules regarding renewable capacity accreditation and resource adequacy.

Monitor elections and the legislative process to remain informed on future environmental policy as it pertains to CO2.

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