

## **MISO Update**

Missouri Public Service Commission

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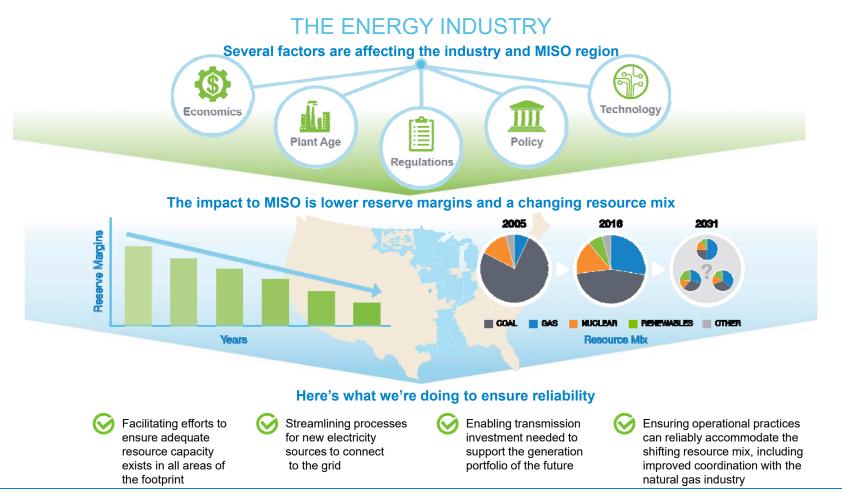
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### **MISO Update**



#### **MISO's Response to the Changing Energy Landscape**





### MISO/OMS Survey



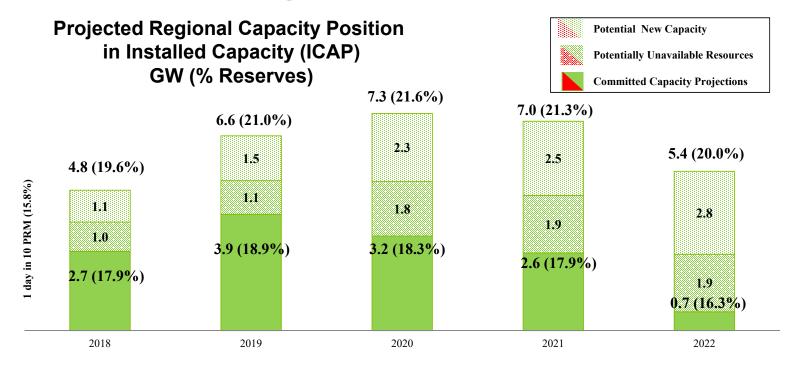
### **Overview of MISO-OMS Survey**



- Cooperative effort to quantify how much electricity-generating the region will have for the next 5 years.
- Voluntary survey illustrates how existing and anticipated future resources compare to the region's Planning Reserve Margin Requirements (PRMR) a measure of future demand and reserve expectations
- The survey is especially important now, given that the region's history historical reliance on coal-fired energy is evolving due to factors such as environmental regulations, low gas prices and state renewable standards.



# Existing resources, potential retirements, and new resources create a range of resource balances

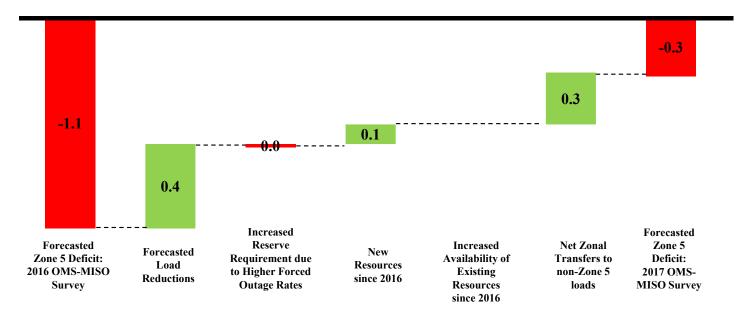


- Regional outlook includes projected constraints on capacity, including Capacity Export Limits and the Sub-regional Power Balance Constraint
- These figures will change as future capacity plans are solidified by load serving entities and state commissions.
- <u>Potential New Capacity</u> represents 35% of the capacity in the final stage of the MISO Generator Interconnection queue, as of May 11, 2017.
- <u>Potentially Unavailable Resources</u> includes potential retirements and capacity which may be constrained by future firm sales across the Subregional Power Balance Constraint



#### Changes in Missouri (Zone 5) include both forecasted load reductions and an increase in Net Zonal Transfers





<u>New resources</u> include resources with newly signed Interconnection Agreements and new Load Modifying Resources <u>Increased availability</u> results from deferred retirements and internal resources with reduced commitments to non-MISO load Positions include reported inter-zonal transfers, but do not reflect other possible transfers between zones





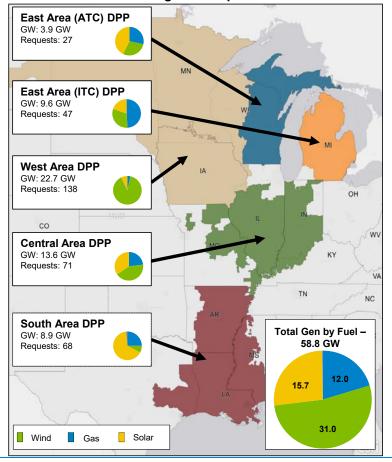
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### **Generation Interconnection**



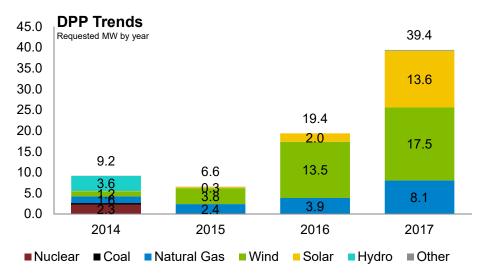
#### **Most Recent Generator Interconnection Queue**

With the addition of 2017-Aug projects, the Generation Interconnect Queue has grown to 355 projects totaling 59 GW



MISO Definitive Planning Area Map

Charts indicate publicly available queue data as of August 2017



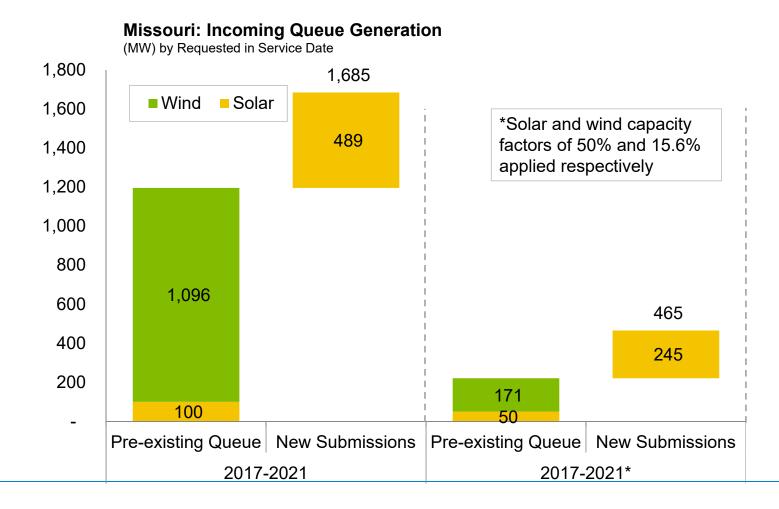
#### Notes:

- The Queue now has 140 MW of battery storage requests
- Requested projects have in service dates ranging from 2017-2022
- Detailed queue cycle information can be found <u>MISO's website</u>





#### **Missouri Generation Interconnection Queue**

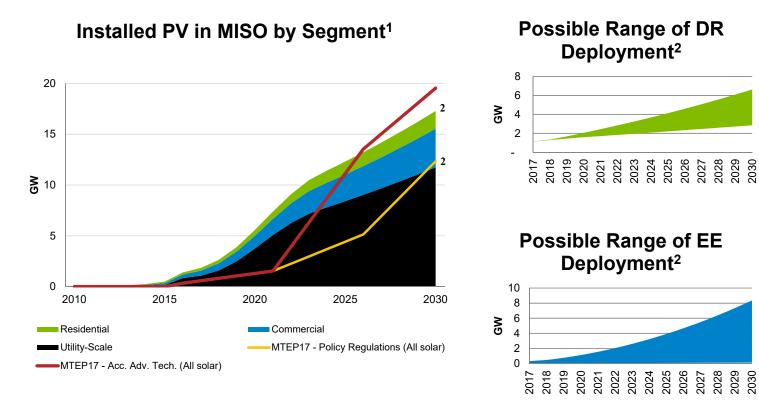




### Distributed Energy Resources



# Significant new DER is forecasted – external forces could accelerate pace of change

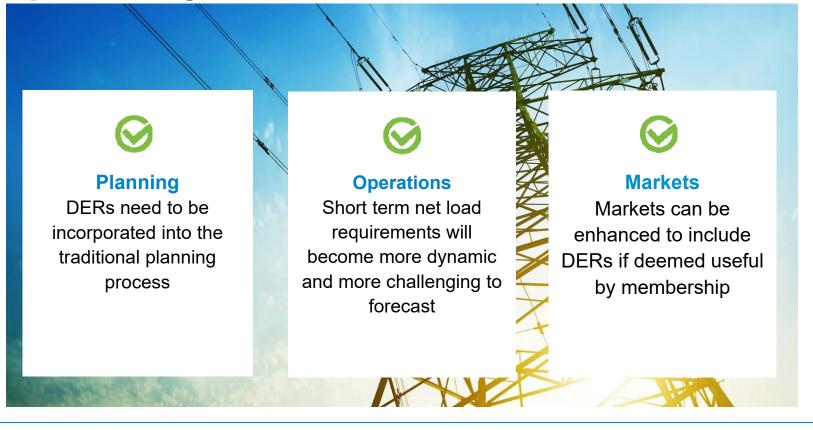


Utility scale PV represents majority of growth

Smart thermostats are resulting in measurable reductions in load – according to Nest, as of March 2017 their smart thermostats have saved roughly 193,000 MWh per month. "That's the same amount of energy created by 27 thousand wind turbines in a month. <sup>1</sup>IHS reference case forecast <sup>2</sup>MISO planning futures



#### Compared to today, DERs pose challenges and opportunities when it comes to planning, operations and potentially markets





### MISO/SPP Coordinated Study



#### 2016 MISO-SPP Coordinated Study

- During the 2016 MISO-SPP Coordinated Study, MISO and SPP both advanced a potential interregional project for regional review
- MISO's regional review identified a regional solution that cost less than the interregional project
- Order 1000, provides that interregional projects be selected if they are more cost effective than regional solutions.
- MISO finds great value in interregional coordination, including evaluation of projects that could benefit regions across seams, despite the fact that it doesn't always result in a finding that an interregional solution is most economical.

