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APPrO update for members

The industry's monthly bulletin featuring updates, briefings, links and resources from the Association of Power Producers of Ontario.

Noteworthy News:

Minister instructs IESO to proceed with Resource Adequacy initiatives

On November 10, the Ontario Minister of Energy Todd Smith sent a letter instructing the IESO to take steps to finalize the design of its Medium Term RFP and to initiate stakeholder engagement on the design and timelines for its Long Term RFP. The letter paid particular attention to clarifying the approach for re-contracting with existing Biomass and Small Hydro generation facilities.

Minister's letter

Draft Medium-Term RFP posted for review

On November 2, the IESO posted its draft Medium-Term Request for Proposals (RFP) for stakeholder input. The RFP is intended to competitively procure up to 750 MW of unforced capacity (UCAP) from existing electricity generation or storage resources for a three-year commitment period starting May 1, 2026 with an optional two-year extension. A draft capacity contract will also be posted soon, with all input due back to the IESO by December 10, 2021.



The Ontario Chamber of Commerce believes Ontario can lead in climate solutions

Ontario has certain competitive advantages it can use to confront the climate change crisis while securing significant economic and environmental benefits for the world, according to the Ontario Chamber of Commerce. Its recent report, "The Climate Catalyst: Ontario's Leadership in the Green Global Economy" echoes many of the themes voiced in <u>Ontario's Clean Energy Advantage</u> initiative.

Ontario Chamber of Commerce

Northern Ontario Business

\$1.4 billion committed to district energy projects in Toronto and Mississauga

Canada Infrastructure Bank (CIB) and Enwave Energy Corporation (Enwave) have completed a long-term agreement valued at \$1.4 billion to accelerate and advance district energy projects in the Cities of Toronto and Mississauga.

CIB

UK, US unveil new clean grids alliance

UK Prime Minister Boris Johnson, Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi and US President Joe Biden are among the world leaders who launched the green grids initiative on November 2 at COP 26 in Glasgow, Scotland. The aim is to combine a massive increase in solar and wind power with international grids on every continent, connecting energy-rich locations such as sunny deserts and windy coastlines.

RENews

CSA proposes climate-related disclosure requirements

The Canadian Securities Administrators (CSA) recently published its proposed

National Instrument 51-107 Disclosure of Climate-related Matters and a companion policy addressing the need for climate-related disclosure requirements on reporting issuers. **Resilient LLP**

General Electric announces plan to split into 3 companies

In a historic move for a company that has been a major presence in the history of the electricity sector, General Electric (GE) has announced plans to restructure and break into three distinct companies.

Globe and Mail

OEB publishes interactive map showing LDC service areas and costs per customer

The Ontario Energy Board recently release an interactive map that makes it easy to compare and contact LDCs in Ontario. Covering both electricity and natural gas LDCs, users can click on area and the associated LDC comes up, provides a link to their website, municipal contact info, and a Scorecard with business data including cost per customer.

OEB



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APPrO updates:

APPrO encourages its members to visit the new website, <u>Ontario's Clean Energy Advantage</u>, review the resources available, and become active in the related public discussion.

Events:

Mark your calendar for "The Electric Future": <u>APPrO 2021 – The Canadian Power</u> Conference and Networking Event

November 29 - 30, 2021

More information at appro2021.com



Resources:

APPrO News and publications

Archive of APPrO weekly news briefs

APPrO's LinkedIn Feed

Archive of articles posted on LinkedIn

Twitter: #APPrO2020

Facebook - APPrO's Power Memory Project

YouTube

APPrO's summary of Social links to join the conversation

<u>APPrO PowerConnect</u> conference web app (including video archive)

APPrO PowerTopic program suggestion tool

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