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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:

Promoting Ontario's Clean Energy Advantage

APPrO is launching a new digital communications initiative in October 2021. "Ontario's Clean Energy Advantage" will focus on Ontario's climate success story, how Ontario's grid enables Net-Zero targets to be achieved and why a secure supply of made-in-Ontario electricity is critical. Ontario has one of the cleanest electricity systems in the world, and this campaign will remind audiences that our clean and diverse electricity system is a critical tool to decarbonize other segments of Ontario's economy where CO2 emissions are heaviest, and have been rising.

Stay tuned for more later this month.

Cleantech and renewable energy investments surge

A green investment wave is washing over Canada, according to a recent financial analysis of the green economy.

Environment Journal

Hydro-Québec seeks approval for renewable energy tenders

Hydro-Québec is seeking regulatory approval to sign contracts for 480 MW of renewable energy and 300 MW of wind energy.

BLG Insights

United Kingdom to invest \$1.2 billion in India's renewable energy projects

The Government of the United Kingdom will invest \$1.2 billion through public and private investments in green projects and renewable energy in India to support the latter's target of 450 GW of renewable energy by 2030.

Mercom

Opus One Solutions launches GridOS[®] transactive energy market software in Ontario

Opus One Solutions, a Global Cleantech 100 Company, explores the benefits of a dynamic local energy trading market platform with three local distribution companies (LDCs), and Ontario's grid operator, the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO).

Opus One

Renewable VPPAs and ESG: What you need to know before you buy

With the Canadian federal government targeting net-zero emissions by 2050 and growing evidence indicating the value of environmental, social and governance (ESG) programs, stakeholders have expectations for corporations to green their electricity consumption.

BLG Canada

DER Potential Study engagement

The IESO is inviting input on the plans for a research project on the potential for DER in Ontario. Further information is contained in the materials circulated for its September 22 engagement meeting.

IESO

Applications open for Woman of the Year award

WiRE (Women in Renewable Energy) recently announced that it is accepting nominations for the Woman of the Year Award. The award will be presented as part of the APPrO 2021 conference along with APPrO's Hedley Palmer Award.



How will the recent federal election impact Canadian climate policy?

A post-election report on which climate-related policies are likely to gain traction in the months ahead, and which elected leaders are likely to be in the forefront.

The Energy Mix

JP Morgan annual energy paper assesses pace of transition

The annual report on the state of the energy sector from JP Morgan contains sobering and insightful observations. Accessible and timely, the work will likely assist discussions around the world about the pace of the energy transition.

JP Morgan

Types of power purchase agreements and why each might be used

A current overview of the primary options for structuring power purchase agreements from the editors of Power Magazine.

Power Magazine

APPrO updates:

As of September 1, 2021, APPrO's office moved to the cloud! Please adjust your records to show our new post office box for any physical mail:

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PO Box 756, Toronto, ON, M5C 2K1

APPrO members will continue to receive the same high quality of service following this move to a virtual office. Members will continue to be able to reach us in the following ways (all remain the same):

General email: appro@appro.org

APPrO website: <u>http://www.appro.org</u>

Phone: 416-322-6549

Volunteer Opportunities:

APPrO is looking for energy professionals to serve on its Conference Committee, to provide input on key questions to be addressed at the next <u>Canadian Power Conference</u>. For more information, <u>contact the APPrO office</u>.



Events:

ENERGYCONFERENCE21

Sept. 27, 2021

Energy Storage Canada 2021: Unlocking Potential

Sept. 29 and 30, 2021

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

November 29 - 30, 2021

More information at appro2021.com



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APPrO's summary of Social links to join the conversation

APPrO PowerConnect conference web app (including video archive)

APPrO PowerTopic program suggestion tool

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