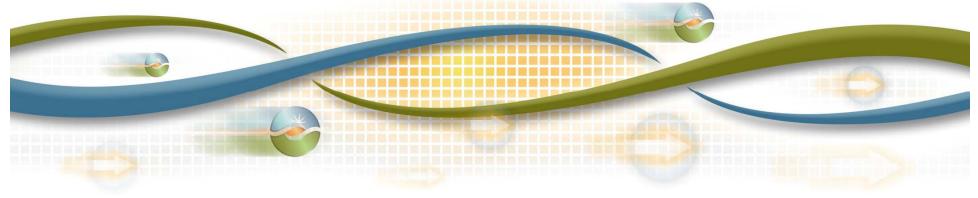


### Decision on the 2010/2011 ISO Transmission Plan

Neil Millar Executive Director, Infrastructure Development

Board of Governors Meeting General Session May 18-19, 2011



## Approving the plan means approving determinations and recommendations contained in the plan.

- Key findings for the 2010/2011 ISO Transmission Plan:
  - 4 new transmission reliability projects over \$50 million each;
  - 1 new policy-driven transmission upgrade element;
  - No additional need for major new policy or economic-driven transmission at this time.

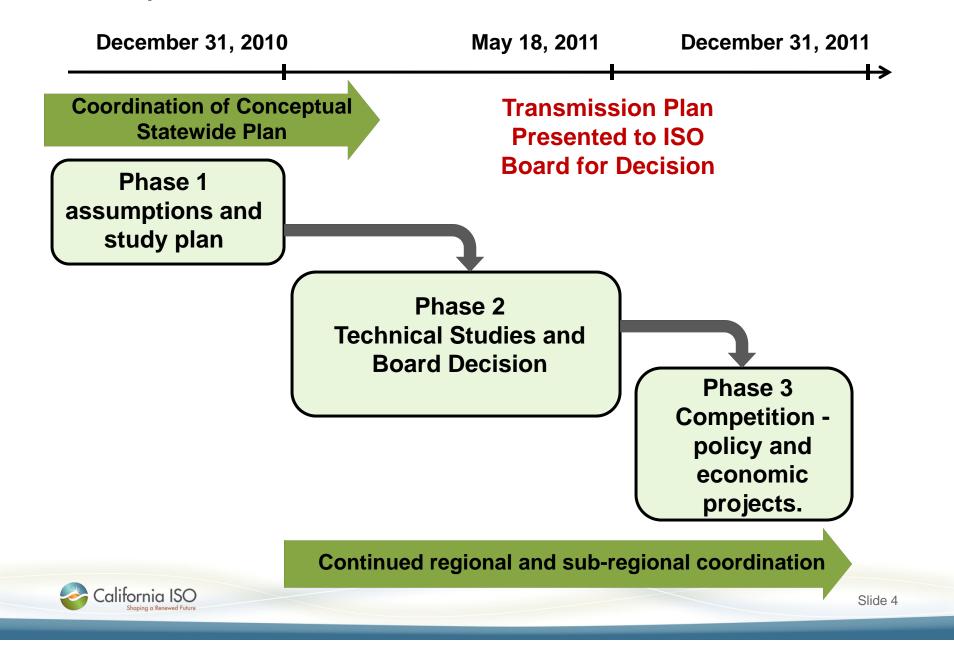


This is the first transmission plan developed under the revised transmission planning process.

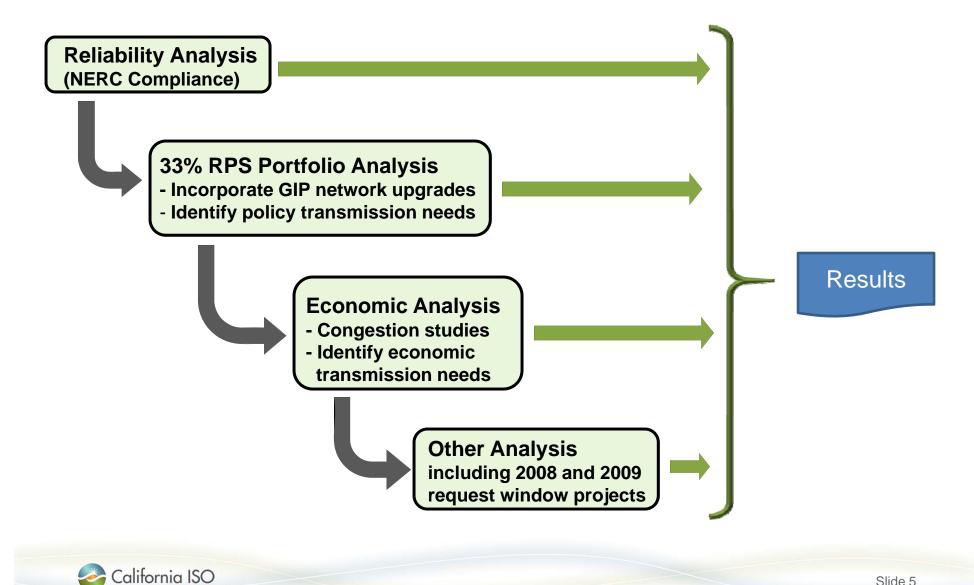
- Enhanced collaboration statewide conceptual transmission plan;
- New "policy-driven" category of transmission state and federal public policy;
- Greater opportunity for independent transmission developers – compete to build certain elements;
- More opportunities stakeholder participation and input.



#### **Development of Annual Transmission Plan**



Development of 2010/2011 Annual Transmission Plan

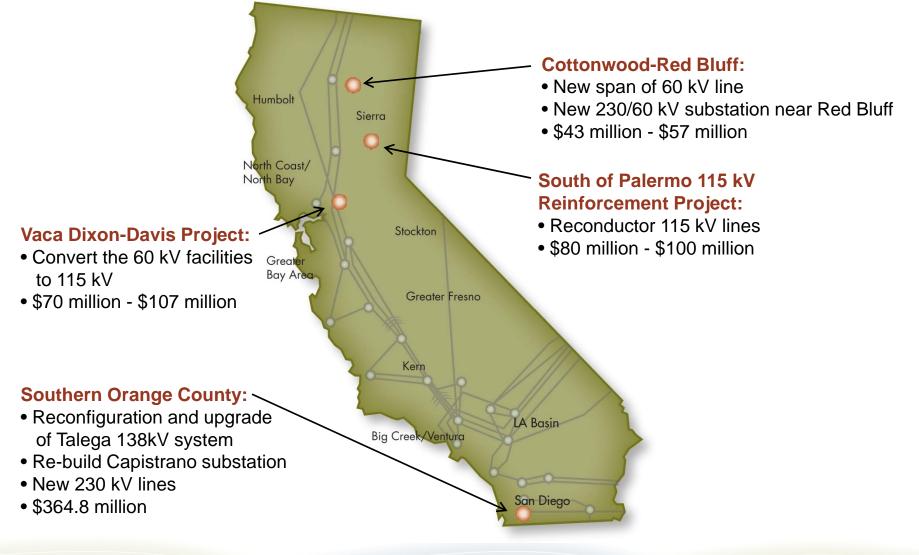


Identified reliability projects by service territory:

Total	32	\$1,198M
San Diego Gas & Electric Co.	9	\$515M
Southern California Edison Co.	0	\$0M
Pacific Gas & Electric	23	\$683M

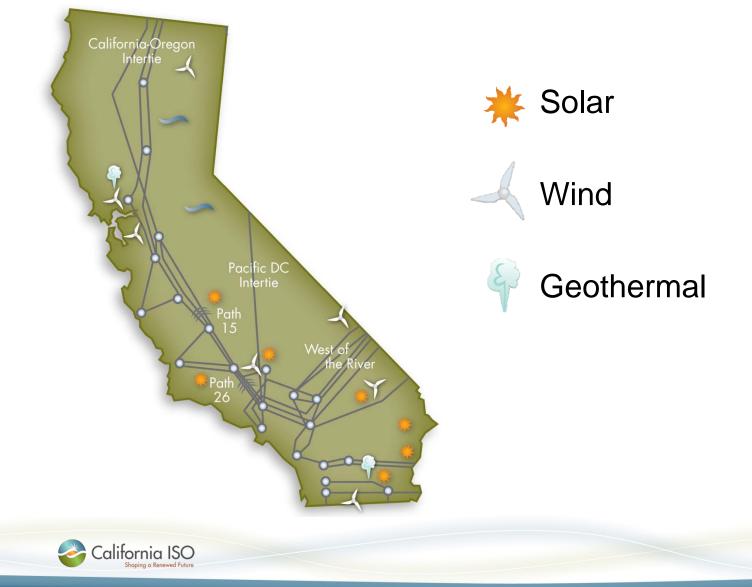


#### Reliability projects over \$50 million each





### Policy driven analysis was based on renewable energy zones and resources.



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#### Transmission underway will meet 33% RPS in 2020.



Transmission upgrade		Approval status		Renewable Potential		Orting	
		ISO	CPUC	MW	TWh/Yr	Online	
1	Carrizo-Midway	Pending LGIA	Not yet filed	900	2.1	2012	
2	Sunrise Powerlink	Approved	Approved	1,700	4.1	2012	
3	Eldorado-Ivanpah	LGIA	Approved	1,400	3.6	2013	
4	Pisgah-Lugo	LGIA	Not yet filed**	1,750	4.1	2017	
5	Valley-Colorado River	Approved	Approved*	4,700	8.6	2013	
6	West of Devers	LGIA	Not yet filed			2017	
7	Tehachapi	Approved	Approved	4,500	15.2	2015	
8	Tehachapi Wind/Solar Diversity	N/A	N/A	1,000	3.0	2015	
9	Cool Water-Lugo	Pending LGIA	Not yet filed	600	1.4	2018	
10	South Contra Costa	LGIA	Not yet filed	300	0.8	2015	
11	Borden-Gregg	LGIA	Not yet filed	800	2.0	2015	
12	Path 42	Pending approval	Not yet filed	1,400	3.5	2015	
Other-Outside of ISO Grid N/A N/A		N/A	3,300	8.4			
Total 22,350 56.8 TWh/year needed in ISO area to meet 33% goal: 44							

\* Petition to modify CPCN pending. \*\* Large Generator Interconnection Agreement





- Support for individual reliability and policy projects;
- Generation modeling assumptions;
- Treatment of LGIP network upgrades;
- Treatment of 2008 and 2009 request window submissions
- Role of independent transmission companies
- Consistent treatment of load shedding for extreme contingency events.



# Management recommends the Board approve the 2010/2011 ISO transmission plan.

- Meets the reliability needs of the ISO controlled grid;
- Meets the state's 33% RPS goal;
- Demonstrates no additional need for major new policy or economic-driven transmission at this time;
- As conditions change, transmission needs will be evaluated in subsequent planning cycles.

