

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND ENERGY EFFICIENCY & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Review of the First Draft of the 2021-2023 Energy Efficiency & Conservation Procurement Plan

Presented By: EERMC Consultant Team Date: June 18, 2020



The Three-Year Plan

- Due Triennially on September 1st.
- Grid is responsible for drafting and filing.
 - Grid Works closely with EERMC, C-Team, OER, and the Technical Working Group to draft the Plan.
- Primary Sections of the Plan:

Strategies & Approaches to Planning

Cost-Effectiveness

Prudence & Reliability

Funding Plan and Savings Targets

Performance Incentive Plan



Factors that **Inform the Three-Year Plan**

- Market Potential Study (MPS) & Resulting Targets
- Previous performance
- Program evaluations and pilots
- Evolving markets
- New and/or improved technologies
- State policy objectives



Three Year Plan and Targets Key Efficiency Takeaways

First Draft Three-Year Plan came in below targets

This was generally expected Closer to Low range of MPS / historical results

Largest deltas in both electric and gas are in HVAC, Envelope, and Hot Water measures

Gaps analysis covered in upcoming slides

Next steps to work with Grid & stakeholders to identify:

Opportunities to increase savings in 3YP by closing identified gaps Documenting underlying causes of current gaps (barriers & constraints)



Notes on Gaps Analysis

Some categories could not be perfectly mapped

Grid's planned lighting measures in Three-Year Plan differ from agreed-upon MPS measure list

- Not inherently an issue
- Need more granular data to assess impact

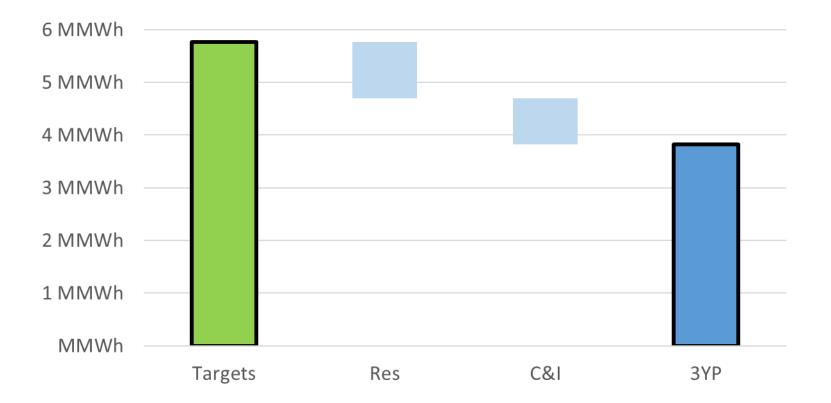
Income-eligible sector comparisons still being assessed



ELECTRIC HIGH-LEVEL RESULTS

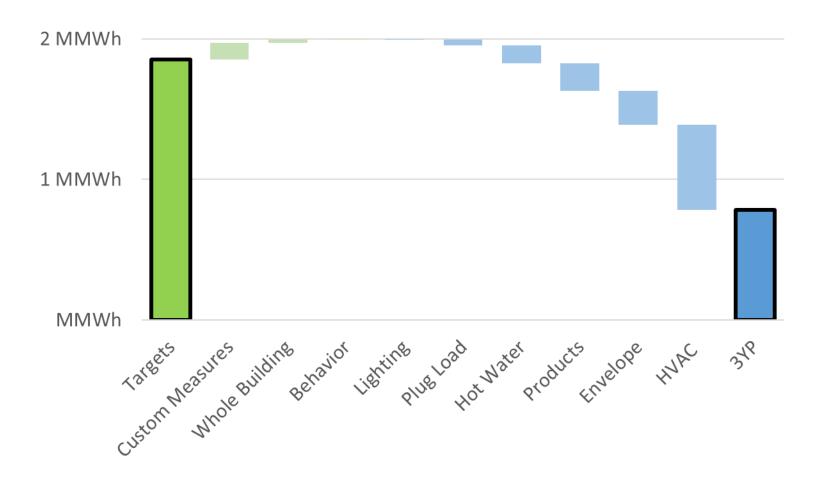


Electric Portfolio (Lifetime MWh, 2021-2023)



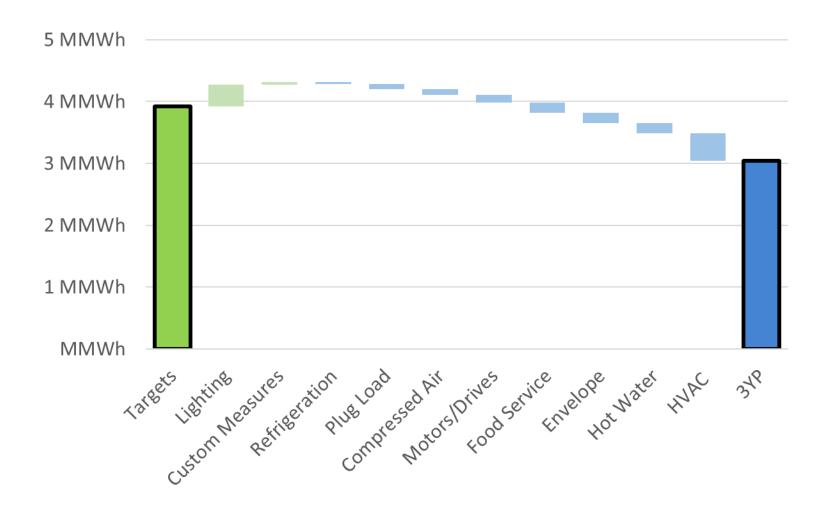


Electric Residential (Lifetime MWh , 2021-2023)





Electric C&I (Lifetime MWh , 2021-2023)

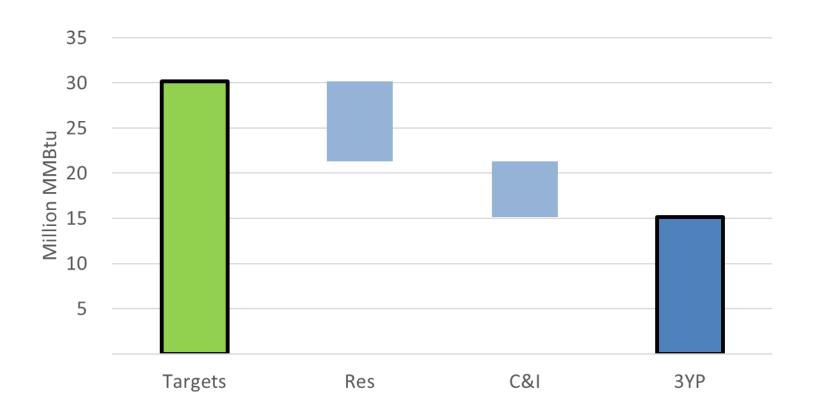




GAS HIGH-LEVEL RESULTS

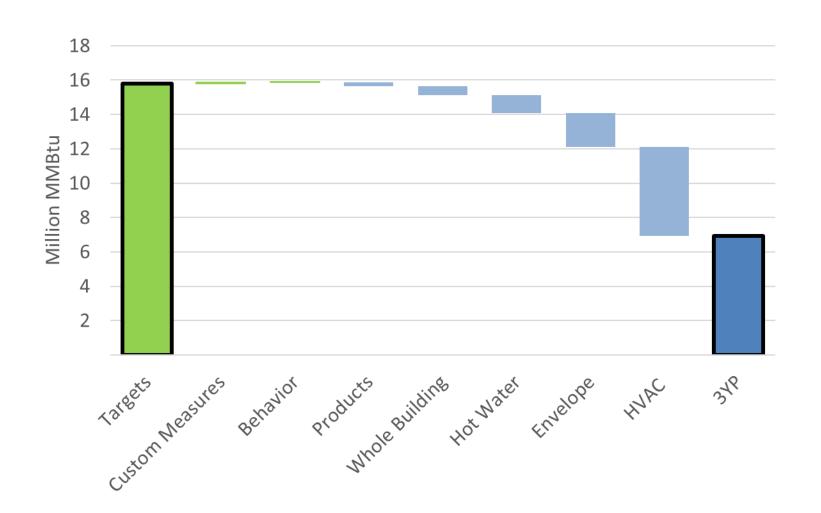


Gas Portfolio (Lifetime Million MMBtu , 2021-2023)



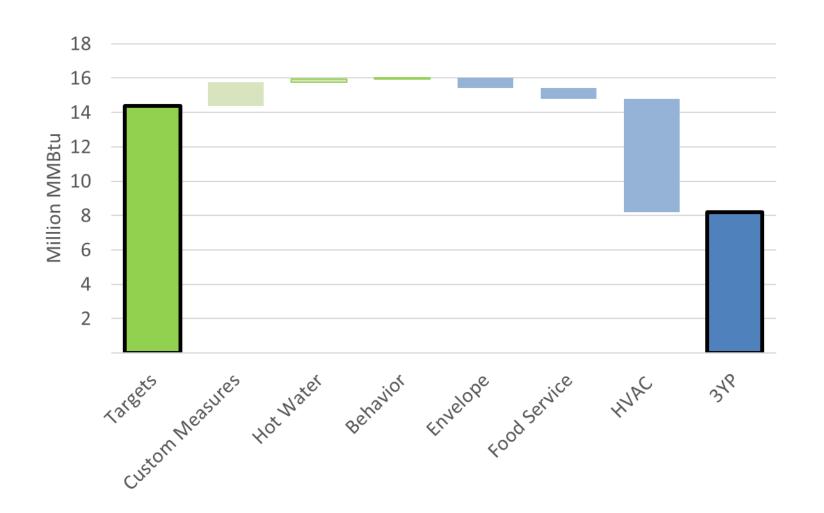


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Gas C&I (Lifetime Million MMBtu , 2021-2023)



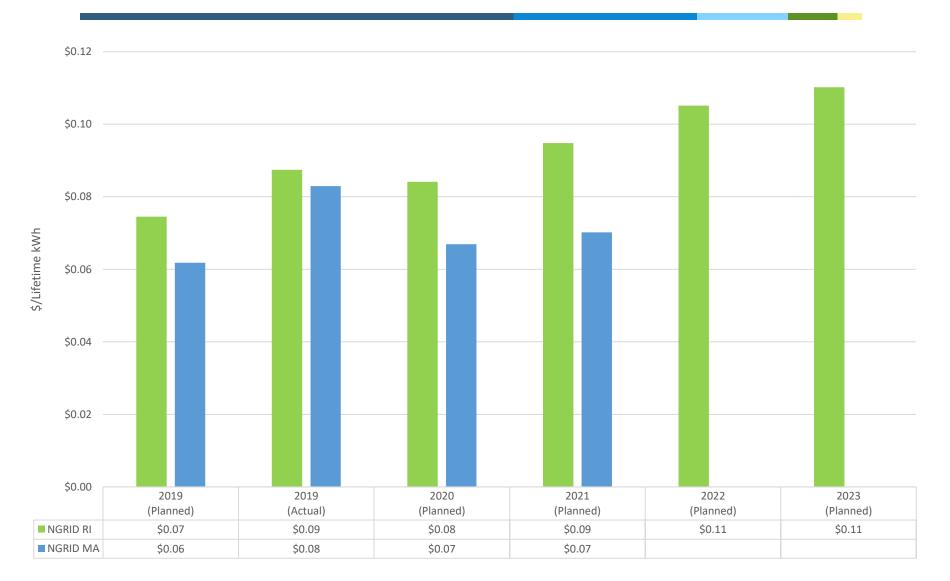


Barriers

Near-Term Economic Impacts
Impacts from COVID-19
Workforce
Technology & Supply
Access to Capital
Consumer Awareness
Others?

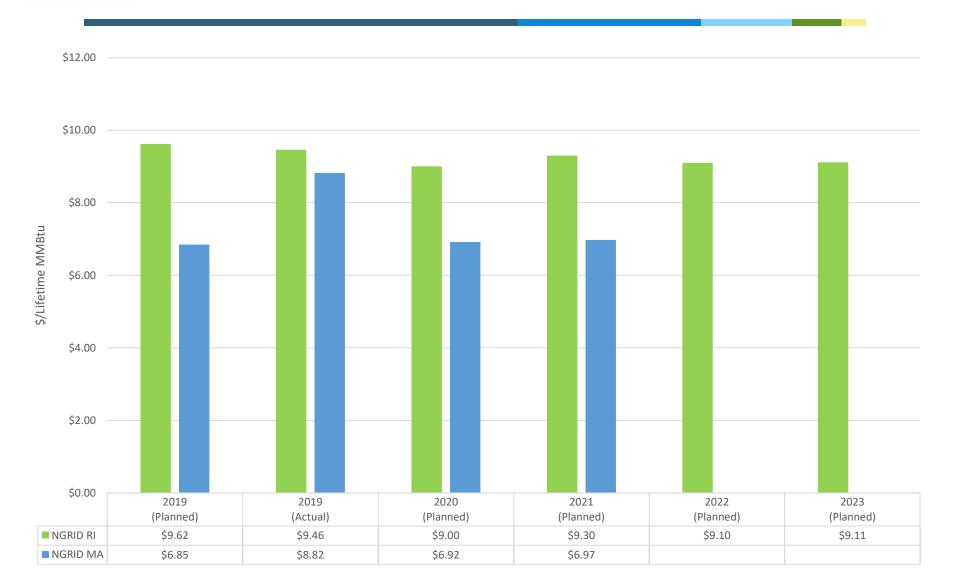


Electric Portfolio Cost to Achieve (Total Expenditures/Lifetime kWh)



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Gas Portfolio Cost to Achieve (Total Expenditures/Lifetime MMBtu)





Next Steps

- Comments on First Draft by Friday 7/3
- Second/Final Draft Distributed by Thursday 8/13
- Council to Vote on Final Draft on Thursday 8/20
- National Grid to file Plan with PUC by Tuesday 9/1
- C-Team, OER, Division will have continuous ongoing engagement with National Grid staff throughout the process

*Timeline based on National Grid's current schedule. This timeline could change if the Company elects to use the PUC's option of a joint Three-Year and 2021 Annual Plan filing.

QUESTIONS?





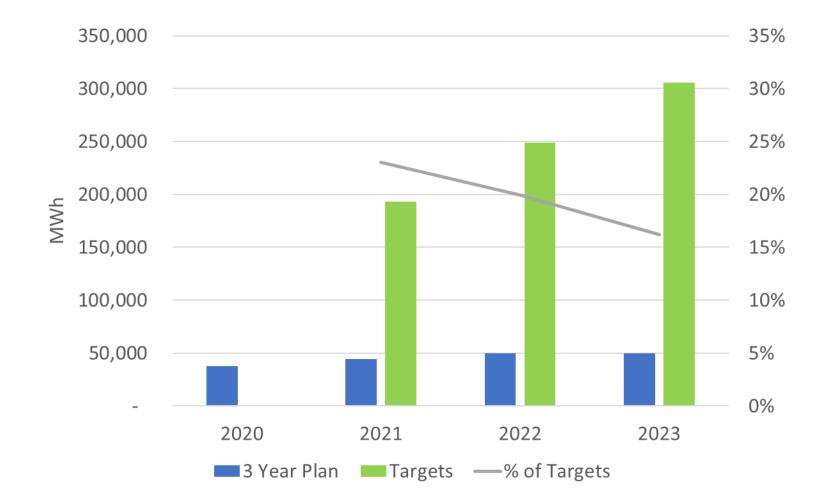


The deepest savings opportunity identified in the RI MPS

APPENDIX 1: FOCUSING IN ON HVAC



Electric Residential HVAC (Lifetime MWh)

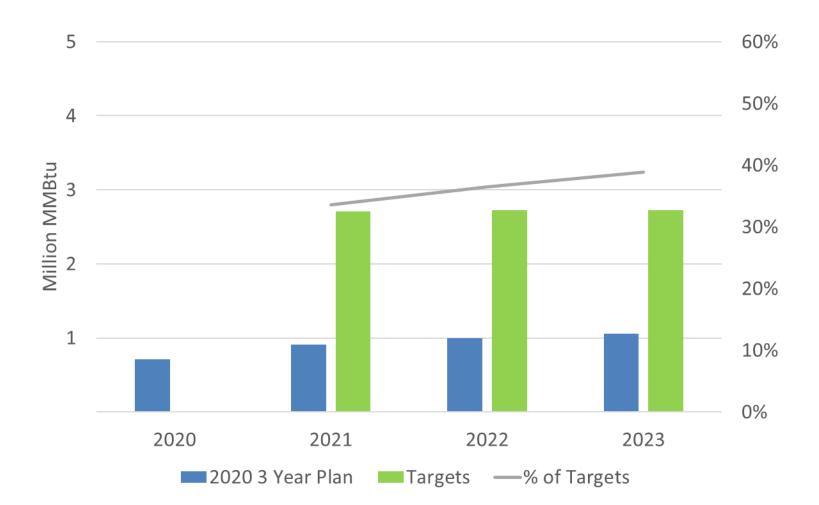


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