

PeaksaverPLUS Program Review

Meeting Minutes

Date held: January 27, 2016	Time held: 1:00 -2:00 PM	Location held: Webinar
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Van Panhuis, Joanne	Brantford Power Inc.	Registered
Holzschuh, Jenna	Burlington Hydro	Registered
Tibollo, Mary	Canadian Niagara Power	Registered
Weir, Ben	Canadian Solar Industries Association (CanSIA)	Registered
Kelly, Pat	Centre Wellington Hydro	Registered
Game, Jonathan	Constant Power	Registered
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Musyj, Lawrence	EnWin Utilities	Registered
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Qureshi, Musab	Ministry of Energy	Registered
Spridzans, Tracy	Niagara Peninsula Energy	Registered
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Webber, Kristy	Util-Assist Inc.	Registered
Wishnowski, Eryn	Veridian Connections	Registered
Wong, Andrea	Whitby Hydro	Registered
Pattani, Naren		Registered
Acchione, Paul		Registered
Aloussis, Carrie	IESO	A
King, Ryan	IESO	A
Lundhild, Evelyn	IESO	A
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All meeting material is available on the IESO web site at:

<http://www.ieso.ca/Pages/Participate/Stakeholder-Engagement/peaksaver.aspx>

1. Introduction

Ryan King of the IESO welcomed stakeholders and provided a brief overview of the objectives for the webinar.

2. Presentation

Evelyn Lundhild of the IESO discussed the current status of the program, the IESO's medium term objectives for residential DR and proposals for the treatment of the program in the interim.

3. Summary of Discussion (IESO responses in italics)

A stakeholder asked whether the IESO had done any analysis on the cost effectiveness of the program?

IESO has completed reviews of this program, most recently based on an evaluation of the 2014 program which is covered in the next slides.

A stakeholder commented that IESO and consumers should make more use of the peaksaver devices for load shifting from on to off-peak on an ongoing basis.

IESO encouraged the stakeholder to submit written feedback that outlined the proposal for IESO's consideration and response.

A stakeholder asked how stranded assets would be considered and treated.

Information on the number of 'stranded asset' devices held by LDCs is one area where the IESO is seeking feedback to help inform a final recommendation.

A stakeholder asked how the IESO planned to integrate this program into the DR Auction since the peaksaver commitment is for 3 months during the summer whereas the auction is for one or two six month commitment periods each annually. Another stakeholder asked how the real time metering requirements established for the auction would be implemented for a residential resource.

IESO acknowledged that this, along with several other integration and design issues would need to be considered by the IESO and stakeholders to support residential participation in a future DR Auction.

A stakeholder questioned whether the IESO was complying with the Minister's direction by putting new enrollments on hold before a new solution is in place.

IESO indicated that the program was still available for existing enrolled customers and that the resource would be accessible for use if required; the only thing that has been suspended is the enrollment of new customers.

4. Next Steps

Evelyn Lundhild of the IESO presented several discussion questions for which feedback from stakeholders is being sought. Stakeholders were asked to provide written feedback on the proposals along and the discussions questions included in the presentation webinar by **February 19th** to engagement@ieso.ca .