## Feedback Form

# Regional Electricity Planning in the Toronto Region – July 10, 2025

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Following the Toronto regional planning webinar held on July 10, 2025, the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) is seeking feedback on the results of the options screening. A copy of the presentation as well as recording of the session can be accessed from the <u>engagement web page</u>.



#### Please submit feedback to engagement@ieso.ca by July 25, 2025.

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What feedback do you have regarding the results of the wire and non-wire options screening?	I think it is important to consider non-wire options like solar and wind energy so you can compare data on using these renewables compared to current proposed options, Renewable options which have been screened out could address Toronto's energy needs. Please share more transparent data for independent analysis to support your assertions that wind energy would require too much land.
What feedback do you have on the preliminary transmission wire options?	It seems to be moving in the opposite direction from City of Toronto's goal of reaching NET 0 by 2040. Nuclear power is very expensive and slow to build and wind and solar seems much more cost effective and more efficient. Your plan does not address this.
What feedback do you have regarding how screened-in options could inform the options analysis and draft recommendations?	I think the IESO should not rule out renewable options like solar or wind energy. It is not clear how the current plan will help the City of Toronto achieve NET 0 by 2040 or sooner.
Additional information that should be provided in future engagements to help understand perspectives and insights.	I would like more detailed cost projections with the current plan and more data to support assertions that rule out renewable energy options.

### General Comments/Feedback

Please share more detailed cost projections for a third line so the city can make an informed decision and we as residents are aware of options that could improve energy options. The plan does not seem flexible enough in addressing energy use. I wonder how renewable energy could be better integrated in your plan especially as climate events seem to be increasing. I also wonder what will be done with the waste product from nuclear energy. I feel that the plan could be better and more in step with the City of Toronto's goal of reaching NET 0 sooner.