



Meeting #2

Xcel Energy/Southwestern Public Service Company's Integrated Resource Plan

June 1, 2023

SUMMARY

Approximately 68 people from 40 different organizations attended a meeting focused on building a knowledge base for stakeholders to participate in discussions pertaining to Xcel Energy/SPS's Integrated Resource Plan.

A recording of the meeting is available at: <https://youtu.be/wGb4vuYYvWE>

All meeting materials are available at: [Xcel Energy/Southwestern Public Service Company \(SPS\) – Gridworks](#)

Documents found at the above link include the meeting agenda, this meeting summary, a recording of the meeting, and the following materials:

- [Slide Deck – Gridworks/SPS IRP 6/1/23 Stakeholder Engagement Meeting](#)
- [Slide Deck – Xcel Energy/SPS Statement of Need & Electric System Requirements](#)

Also posted at the above site is a list of stakeholder interests.

New participants to this process introduced themselves and offered a topic that is most important to them related to the IRP. Opportunities for stakeholders to participate in working groups were briefly described. The group was asked to identify missing voices who should be invited to participate in this process.

The SPS team presented a summary of the needs and system requirements as well as an overview of available resources. Questions from stakeholders were written in the chat log then stated verbally. Verbal responses by SPS representatives were provided. Questions included topic such as: load predictions; the role of demand response, energy efficiency, and distributed energy resources; specific resource options (renewable natural gas, reciprocating internal combustion engines, hydrogen as a fuel, and long-term energy storage); the transition strategy for a carbon free electricity future; and the relationship between short term actions (and commercially available technology) with long term goals.

Participants were given time to complete an on-line meeting survey.



ACTION REQUEST: For those who completed the survey, thank you. The survey instrument is available anytime (see below). Please take a few minutes to provide your feedback during or after each meeting.

NEXT STEPS: The next meeting of the group, Meeting #3, is scheduled for June 13 from 12 noon – 5 PM, continuing June 14 from 9 AM – 3 PM at the Roswell, Convention and Civic Center. RSVPs are requested to INFO@gridworks.org by Thursday, June 8. Stakeholders are STRONGLY ENCOURAGED to attend this event in person, though a virtual meeting connection will also be available. Details will be forthcoming via email.

Questions, concerns, and suggestions are welcome through info@gridworks.org or by contacting Margie Tatro at mtatro@gridworks.org, 505-205-0838.

Please Access and Complete the Survey Now

...by either:



Scanning the QR Code to the right

OR



Visiting this link: bit.ly/SPS-IRP-Feedback



Feedback allows us to:

1. Measure effectiveness of this new process for the NM PRC
2. Improve Gridworks' facilitation effectiveness
3. Hear your concerns and suggestions