



Outline of Whitepaper on
Reliability and Market Considerations for a Grid in Transition
For discussion at Sector Meetings
March 2019

Background

NYISO staff is involved in identifying if there are gaps in the analyses that needs to be filled when determining if the market rules are sufficient/what market rules need to change in the context of State's more aggressive trajectory for transitioning to a greener and more sustainable energy future.

Various stakeholders have also asked the NYISO about markets and reliability concerns related to the State's public policy actions. In view of these inputs, the NYISO plans to develop a whitepaper synthesizing the NYISO position to address potential reliability concerns and identify needed Market Enhancements to support a Grid in Transition. An outline of this whitepaper is enclosed for discussion at Sector meetings and input from stakeholders at the Sector meeting discussions.

Next steps

NYISO staff plans to develop a draft of this whitepaper this May and share the draft with stakeholders so it may be discussed at the joint Board/MC meeting. The whitepaper will be finalized after receiving input from stakeholders and the NYISO Board in Q4 2019.

The whitepaper will drive updates to the long-term Market Design Master Plan and project prioritization discussions in 2019 and beyond. The whitepaper will also inform the Board Strategic Planning session in September.