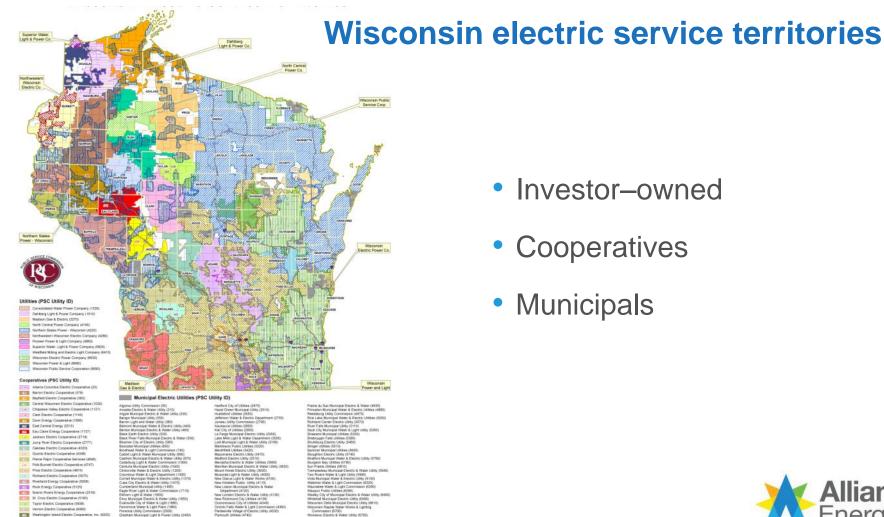
# **Local Government Summit**

Building Sustainable Communities through Energy & Resilience

Alliant Energy
Taking steps forward to a cleaner energy future

April 5, 2017





- Investor—owned
- Cooperatives
- Municipals



## **Alliant Energy Wisconsin utility profile**



#### **Wisconsin Service Area**

- 17,000 square miles
- 35 counties
- 600 communities
- ~1,000,000 people

2016 data	Wisconsin
Electric customers	468,451
Electric distribution line (miles)	21,700
Gas customers	187,338
Gas main (miles)	4,430
Generating capacity (MW)	2,270



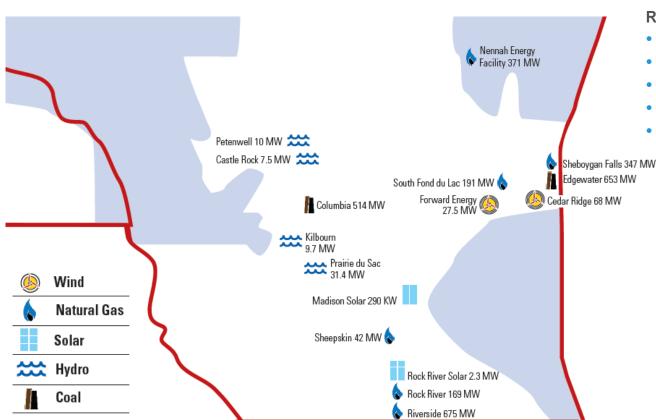
## **Balanced energy approach**

- Customers want cost-effective, reliable, and clean energy
- We're advancing cleaner energy through investments in natural gas, wind and solar
- To accommodate a changing energy mix, we're also making investments to modernize the power grid



### Wisconsin generating facilities

**Owned or supported by Alliant Energy** 



#### **Recent / planned retirements**

- Nelson Dewey 1 & 2 (2015)
- Edgewater 3 (2015)
- Edgewater 4 (2018)
- Rock River (2019)
- Sheepskin (2019)



### West Riverside Energy Center

- New natural gas facility
- Being built near Beloit
- 730 megawatt capacity
- Serve 560,000 customers
- In service by early 2020
- Replacing four coal units and several smaller gas units



The new generating station will feature a 2-megawatt integrated solar field to partially offset its power use



#### **Envision Award**

- Seeking Envision Platinum Award for West Riverside **Energy Center**
- Sustainable rating system similar to LEED but for infrastructure projects rather than buildings
- Used in earliest planning phases to evaluate sustainability options that can result in significantly better outcomes







**Location:** Madison

System capacity:

290 kW DC

**Objective:** 

Education / research





Location: Town of Beloit

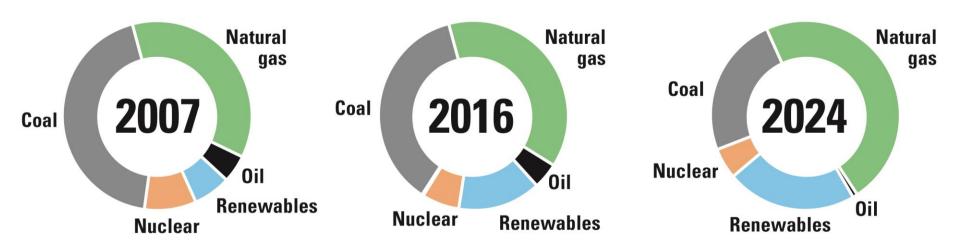
System capacity:

2.28 MW DC

**Objective:** 

Provide power to customers

## **Transitioning our Energy Resources**

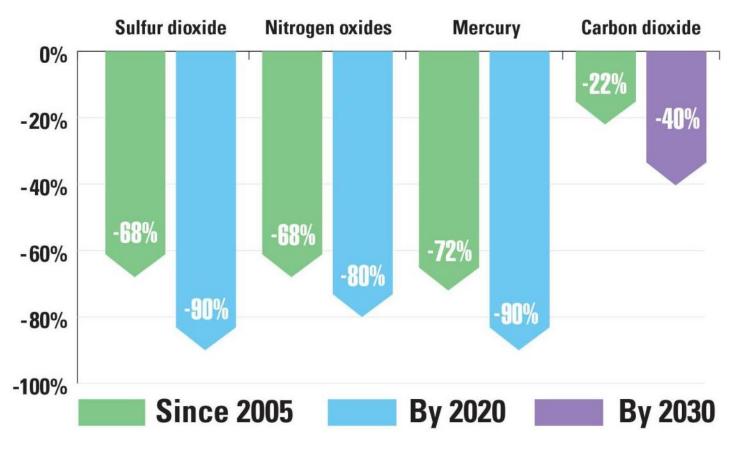


\*Based on rated capacity in megawatts

Data as of August 2016 Sustainability Report



## Reducing our Environmental Impact



Data as of August 2016 Sustainability Report



## **Second Nature Program**

- Offsets conventional electricity usage with green power
- Offset 25%, 50% or 100% of your electric usage
- Cost of program cut nearly in half in January 2017
  - 100% of typical residential bill (700 kwh) would be \$10/month more



#### **Local Collaboration**

- Ongoing energy audits at local government facilities
- LED street lighting phased in installation
- EV charging station partnerships being explored
- Economic sustainability
  - Job training
  - Customer retention
- Customer-focused operations



#### **Thank You!**











## **Appendix**



#### **Available resources**

- Key account managers
- Renewable Hotline: 800-972-5325
- Business Resource Center: 866-255-4268

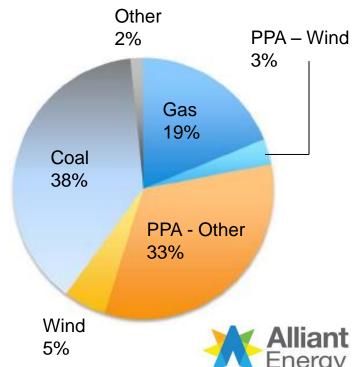


#### Wisconsin renewable facilities

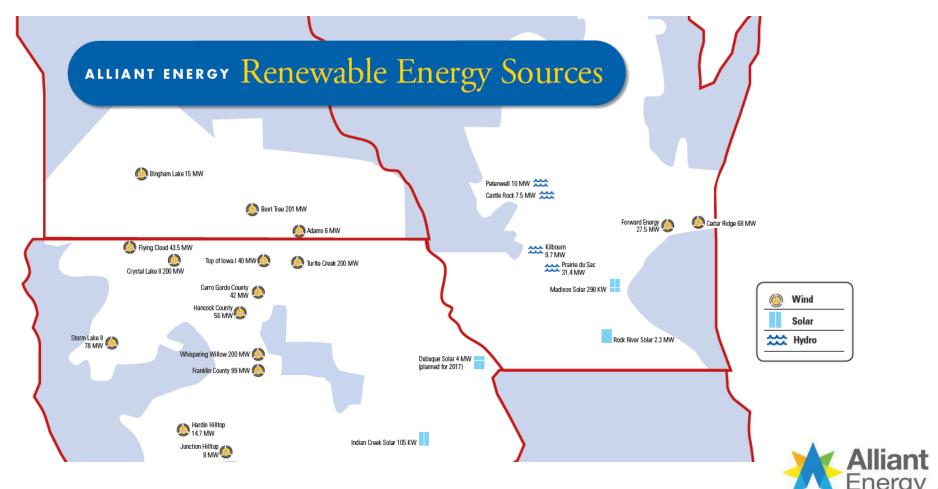
#### Wind and Hydro

- Cedar Ridge Wind Farm (Fond du Lac)
- Kilbourn Dam (Wis. Dells)
- Prairie du Sac Hydro
- Solar
  - Madison Solar Demonstration Project
  - Rock River Solar\* (Beloit)

#### 2016 Wis. electric energy sources



<sup>\*</sup> Alliant Energy purchases all the power from this project for our customers but does not own it.







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