



# Western Resource Adequacy Program

## PRC Task Force – ELCC+QCC Meeting

May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2026; 12-1pm PPT

### Meeting Agenda

1. **Resource Registration for new Long Duration Storage that does not fit into existing class**
    - a. Draft proposal review
      - Draft proposal reviewed for resource registration of new long-duration storage not fitting existing classes.
      - Next Steps:
        - Task force feedback due May 27.
        - Submit to PRC by June 10 to initiate public comment period (2–3 weeks likely).
  
  2. **APS ELCC proposal – Akhil**
    - Focus: improve accreditation signals (ELCC) to better reflect incremental reliability value.
    - Issue: Current approach uses average ELCC, which may misrepresent value of new resources at high penetration.
  
    - Proposed concept:
      - Hybrid approach:
        - Existing resources → average ELCC
        - New resources → incremental ELCC
        - Informational forward look → marginal ELCC
      - Use cohorts (by year or MW blocks) to balance:
        - accurate investment signals
        - administrative simplicity
  
    - Key considerations:
      - Number of cohorts (initial thinking: ~3)
      - Study frequency (remains annual)
      - Managing complexity and participant impacts
      - Avoiding unintended incentives or discrimination
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3. **Action Items / Next Steps**
  - Task Force
    - Review and provide comments on storage proposal by May 27.
    - Consider feedback on ELCC hybrid approach.
  - Upcoming Meetings
    - Technical session: May 27 (deep dive on ELCC proposal)
    - Next Task Force meeting: June 1

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