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# NH EESE Board: Community Power Aggregations & CPNH

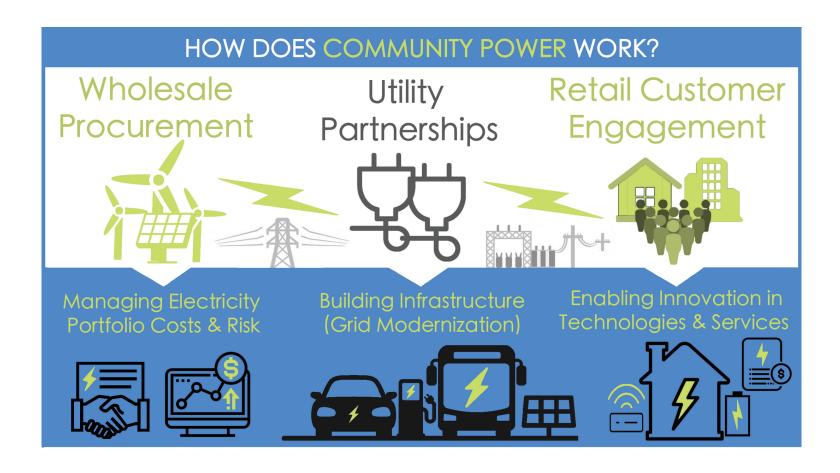
Friday, July 17, 2020 | 9am Henry Herndon, Clean Energy NH

#### Agenda: Community Power Aggregations & CPNH

- 1 | Overview of Community Power Aggregation
- Joint Action & CPNH
- <sup>3</sup> Regulatory Considerations: PUC Rule Making
- 4 | State Energy Market & Policy Context
- 5 | Q/A & Discussion

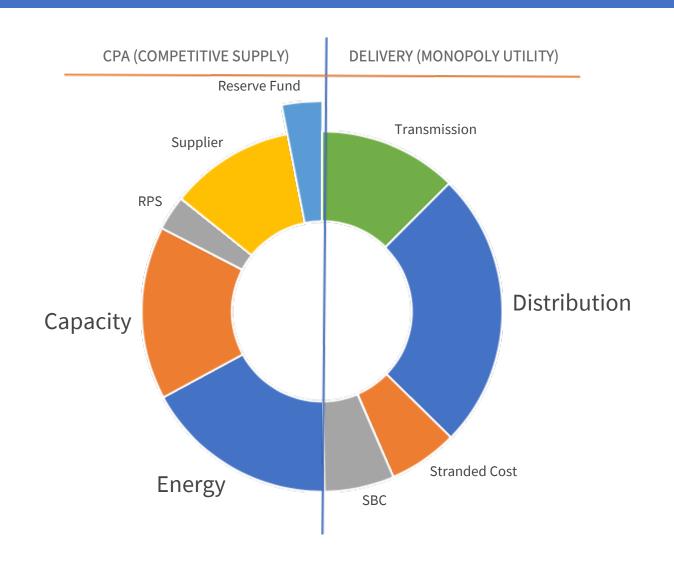
# Overview of Community Power Aggregation

#### Overview of Community Power



Local governments
- cities, towns,
counties - can
procure and
provide electricity
and services for
their residents
and businesses

#### Community Power Aggregations: Supply & Retail



# CPAs Are Uniquely Positioned to Engage Customers With New Services

Metering

Rate Design

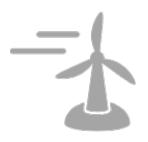
Transportation Electrification

DER and Other Local Programs

#### Benefits of Community Power Aggregations









**Local Control** 

Democratizing energy procurement to the community level

**Lower Costs** 

MA, NY, CA and other markets have demonstrated lower rates than regulated utilities Renewables
Build & Buy Clean Energy

Energy Independence & Market Innovation

New Technologies

Market Competition

Price Signals

Customer Empowerment

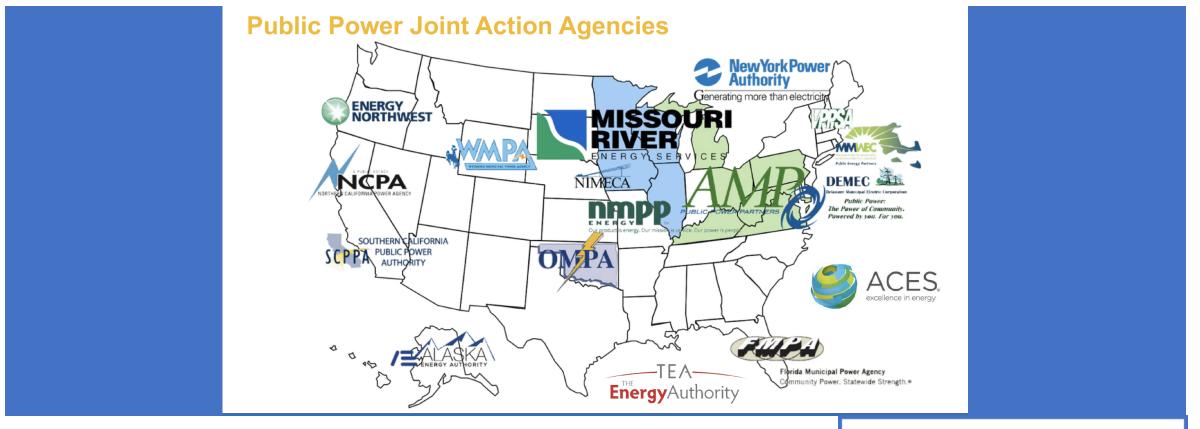
## Joint Action: CPNH

#### Community Power New Hampshire (CPNH)

- Lebanon, Nashua, Hanover, & Cheshire County are leading formation of Community Power New Hampshire (CPNH)
- Public Power membership organization with Board of Directors comprised of representatives from member communities
- Shared expert services, economies of scale, no duplicative overhead
- Ensures local control, democratic oversight, ongoing community engagement

#### Governance - Joint Action Agencies

Lebanon, Hanover, Nashua & Cheshire County are leading establishment of CPNH, a public power joint action agency to provide service to member CPAs

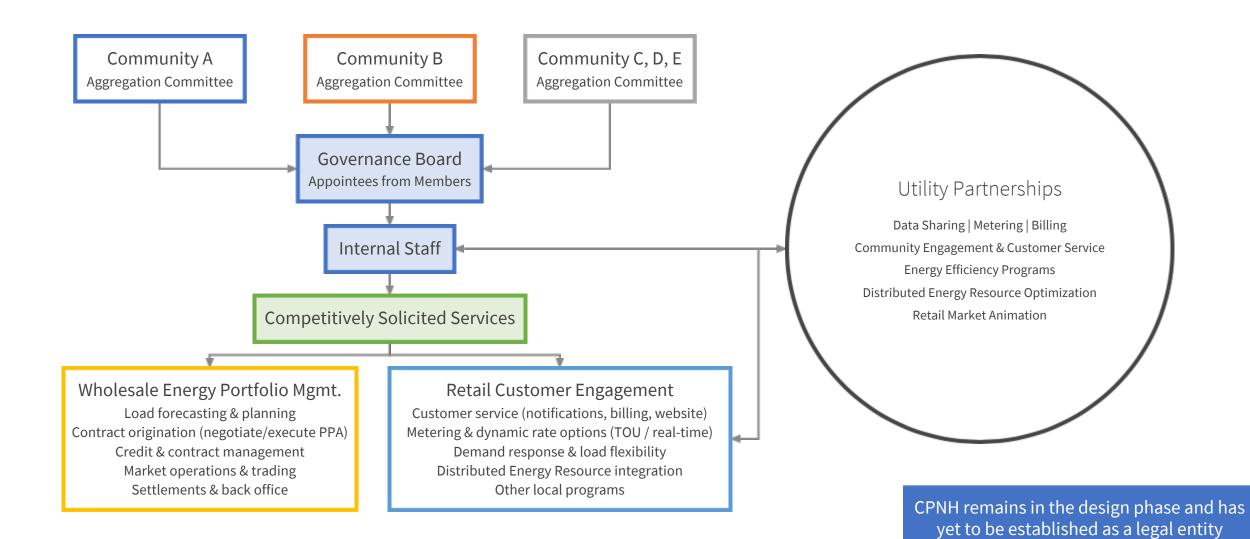


#### Vermont Public Power Supply Authority

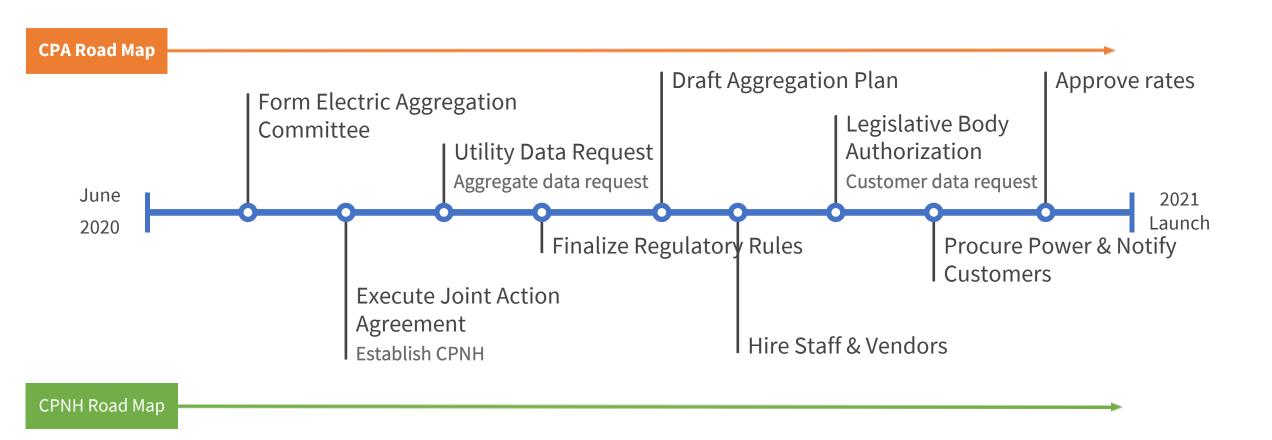
- Example of a 'Shared Services
   Office' housing wholesale power
   supply services for multiple
   smaller entities.
- Board of Directors filled by 12 member municipal utilities



#### Operations: CPNH Organization Chart



#### Road Map to Community Power and CPNH Launch



# PUC Rule-Making

Will detail customer data sharing process between utilities & CPAs

# Market & Policy Context

#### State Policy & Market Context

How do CPAs interact with NHSaves energy efficiency programs?



#### Electric Restructuring (Market Formation)

Calls for Competitive Markets
across Retail & Wholesale
to Enable Customer Choice +
drive Efficiencies & Innovation
with Appropriate Price Signals



#### Grid Mod & Data Platform (Market Infrastructure)

Integrate Distributed Energy Resources

Reduce generation + T&D costs

Empower customers to use electricity efficiently & lower bills

Enhance resiliency, reliability & operational efficiency

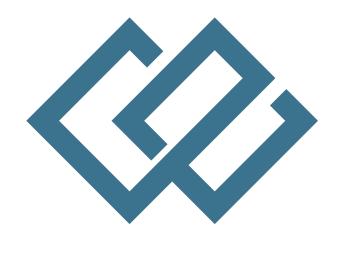


#### Community Power (Market Animation)

Local & Joint Action
Governance

Retail Customer Engagement
Utility Partnerships

How do CPAs engage with net metering and distributed energy resource integration?



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