

LTEP Landing Page Content

The Long-Term Energy Plan (LTEP) broadly maps out the direction of Ontario's energy sector over the next 20 years. The LTEP is developed by the Ministry of Energy, with input provided from across the province. The next LTEP will be published in 2017.

The LTEP Process

The process for the developing the LTEP is outlined in the [Energy Act, 1998](#). The planning process starts with a technical report by the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) on the outlook for the electricity system. This forms the basis for an extensive engagement process with Ontarians. The Ministry of Energy takes this input and incorporates it into the LTEP.

Upon publishing the LTEP, the Minister of Energy may direct the IESO and the Ontario Energy Board (OEB), the agency that regulates the electricity sector, to develop implementation plans.

Once the Minister of Energy has approved any implementation plans, the Ministry of Energy, the IESO and the OEB begin to implement LTEP-related programs and policies.

Additional Resources:

- LTEP news release, backgrounder and brochure
- Long-Term Energy Plans: 2010 and 2013
- The IESO's Ontario Planning Outlook, a technical report that provides a 10-year review of Ontario's electricity sector and energy planning outlook over the 2016 – 2035 period, plus potential demand scenarios.
- The Fuels Technical Report, a technical report that provides a 10-year review of Ontario's fuels sectors, examines the province's present-day fuels sectors, and includes projected outlooks over the 2016 – 2035 period, plus potential fuels demand scenarios.
- LTEP engagements sessions, read about last fall's LTEP stakeholder sessions, public open houses and Indigenous engagements held in 17 communities across Ontario.
Read [the Discussion Guide](#)
- Ontario's Fair Hydro Plan

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LTEP Timeline:

- Future: The IESO and the OEB begin developing LTEP-related programs and policies and arranging procurements.
- Future: The Minister of Energy approves the IESO and the OEB's implementation plans.
- Fall 2017: The 2017 LTEP is released, and the Minister directs the IESO and the OEB to develop implementation plans
- October – December 2017: LTEP stakeholder sessions and public open houses are held in 17 communities across Ontario and Indigenous engagement sessions are held in an additional 17 communities across Ontario.
- October 13, 2016: The Ministry of Energy releases the [LTEP Discussion Guide](#), and Ontarians are invited to provide input on the next LTEP through an online survey and the [Environmental Registry](#).

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- September 30, 2016: The Ministry of Energy releases the [Fuels Technical Report](#)
- September 1, 2016: The IESO releases the [Ontario Planning Outlook](#) ;
- July 1, 2016: [The Energy Statute Law Amendment Act](#) takes effect, establishing the legal framework for future long-term energy planning
- 2013: Release of [Achieving Balance](#), the 2013 LTEP
- 2010: Release of the first LTEP.