

# V S P C

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## Vermont System Planning Committee

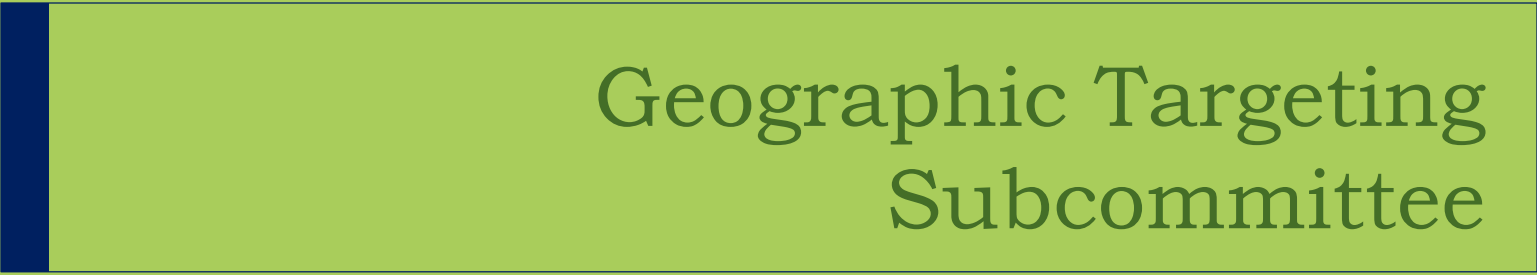
*All grid solutions considered*

Quarterly Meeting  
Middlebury Inn  
Middlebury, VT  
April 26, 2017  
9:30am–4:00pm

# Agenda

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- ▶ Morning  
9:30am – 12:15pm
  - ▶ Sheffield-Highgate Export Interface presentations and discussion
- ▶ Lunch 12:15 – 1:00pm
- ▶ Afternoon session
  - ▶ Subcommittee reports
    - ▶ Geographic Targeting
    - ▶ Forecasting
  - ▶ Long-range plan update
  - ▶ Presentation: Vermont Loss of Load Exposure
  - ▶ Regional update
    - ▶ ISO-NE
    - ▶ VELCO
  - ▶ Project updates
- ▶ Adjournment 3pm



# Geographic Targeting Subcommittee

John Woodward, Subcommittee Chair

Steve Litkovitz, Vice Chair

# GT Subcommittee work this quarter

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- ▶ Met May 23 to complete review of non-wires alternatives screenings
  - ▶ All projects needing CPGs (per Docket 7081 and 7874)
  - ▶ Purposes: (1) ID those requiring reliability plan and (2) share grid information
  - ▶ Projects “screening in” analyzed during summer to enable VSPC to make annual geographic targeting recommendation to Public Utilities Commission by 11/1/2017
- ▶ Presentations by GMP and VEC (meeting materials posted at <https://www.vermontspc.com/vspc-at-work/subcommittees> )
- ▶ Verbal reports by VPPSA and WEC
- ▶ Follow up by staff with Stowe and BED
- ▶ Preliminary conclusion: no new identified project “screens in” such that it will require a reliability plan—to be confirmed at October VSPC meeting
- ▶ VELCO requested that utilities keep VELCO informed of upgrades and changes to the system so system model can be updated

# Forecasting Subcommittee

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- ▶ Subcommittee met June 27 to provide continuing input on load forecast for 2018 VT Long-Range Transmission Plan
- ▶ See Itron presentation at <https://www.vermontspc.com/DraftForecast2018>
- ▶ Next meeting: August 2 at VPPSA
  - ▶ Continue reviewing and providing input on assumptions and scenarios

# Coordinating Subcommittee

2016-2017 meeting dates

Membership

# 2016-2017 meeting dates

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## 2017 dates

- ▶ October 18, 2017—Holiday Inn, Rutland

## 2018 dates

- ▶ January 24, 2018—DoubleTree Hotel, S. Burlington
- ▶ April 25, 2018—Middlebury Inn, Middlebury
- ▶ July 18, 2018—Capitol Plaza, Montpelier
- ▶ October 17, 2018—Holiday Inn, Rutland



# Membership

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- ▶ No news on Docket 8875, proceeding to add a seat to VSPC representing planning community
- ▶ All public member terms expire April 28, 2018
  - ▶ Will convene Public Participation Subcommittee to discuss retention and recruitment

# 2018 VT Long-Range Transmission Plan Progress Update

See presentation at  
[https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5796/20170712\\_VELCO\\_2018LRTPScope.pdf](https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5796/20170712_VELCO_2018LRTPScope.pdf)

# VT Loss of Load Exposure

See presentation at

[https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5794/20170712\\_VELCO\\_Loss\\_of\\_load.pdf](https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5794/20170712_VELCO_Loss_of_load.pdf)

# Regional update

Molly Connors, ISO New England

See presentation at  
[https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5795/20170712\\_ISONE-Update\\_Final.pdf](https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5795/20170712_ISONE-Update_Final.pdf)

Frank Etori, VELCO

See memo at  
[https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5799/20170712\\_VELCO\\_ISONE\\_final.pdf](https://www.vermontspc.com/library/document/download/5799/20170712_VELCO_ISONE_final.pdf)