

Our Journey to 100% Clean Energy

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Holy Cross Energy (HCE) provides safe, reliable, affordable and sustainable energy and services that improve the quality of life for our members and their communities.

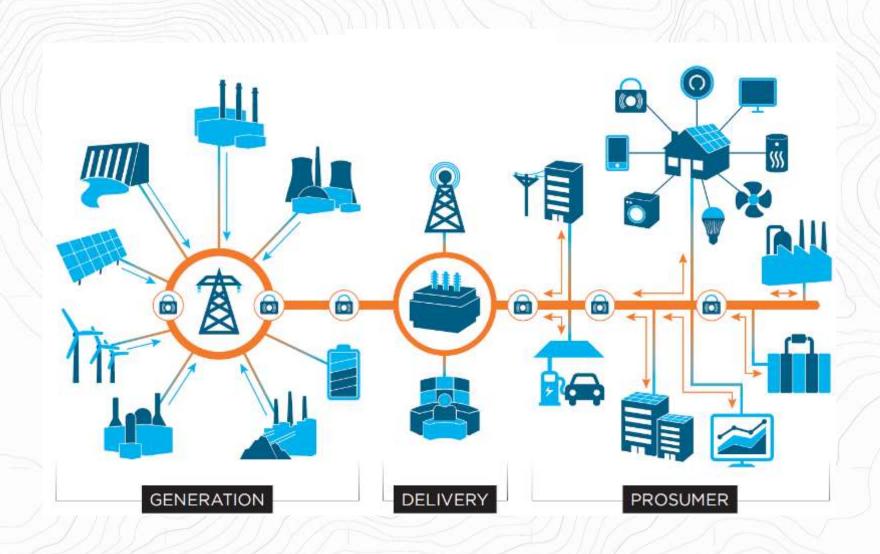
Founded in 1939, we serve more than 46,000 members in scenic Western Colorado with:

260 MW peak demand 3,075 miles distribution 120 miles transmission 167 employees

In 2021, 48% of our power supply came from wind, solar, biomass and hydroelectric power, as well as coal mine methane recovery.

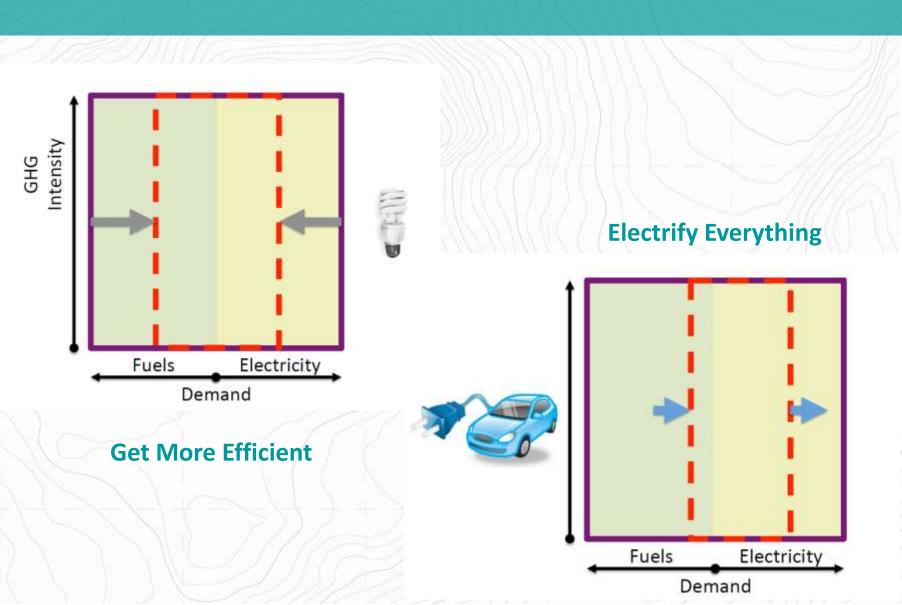
The Electric Grid of the Future

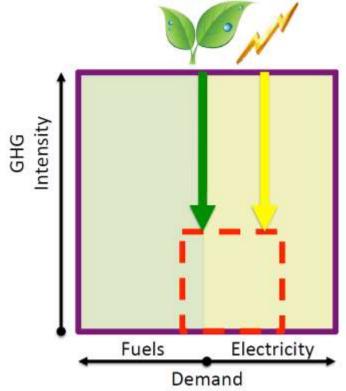




How To Reduce GHG Emissions







Decarbonize Electricity and Fuels

Source: California's Energy Future, 2012

Our "Journey to 100%"



These actions will allow HCE to achieve its vision of

100% carbon-free power supply by 2030

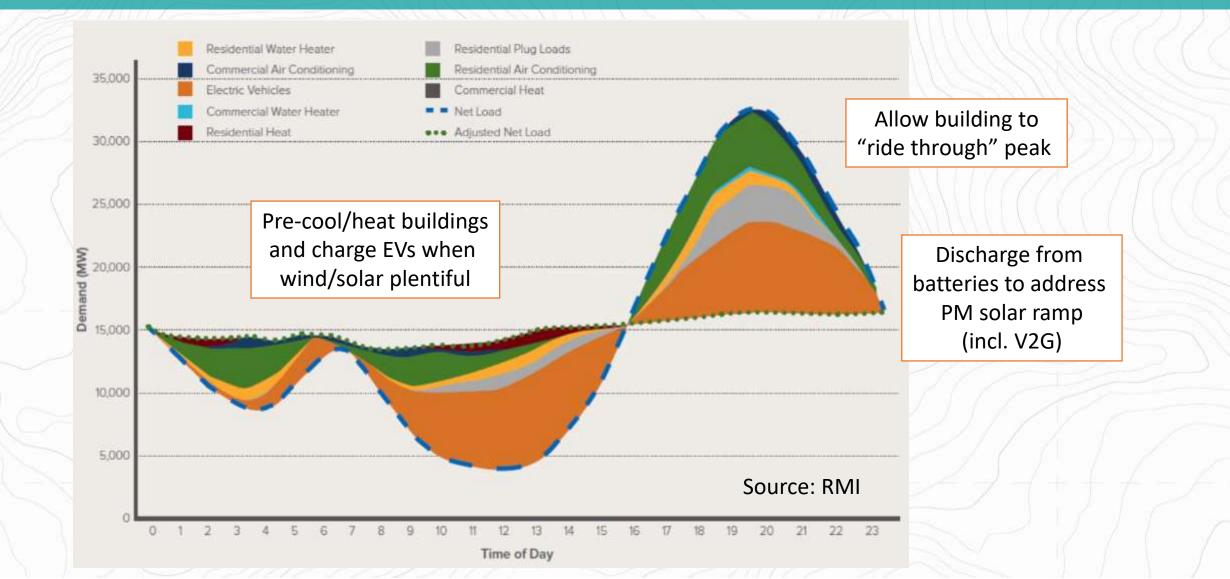
Carbon-neutral or better across the enterprise by 2035

in a way that does not sacrifice affordability, safety, or reliability for the sake of sustainability

- **Energy Efficiency:** obtain an additional 0.25% per year in reduction of electric sales from existing uses
- Cleaner Wholesale Power Supply: incorporate new, clean, dispatchable resources into HCE's power supply mix
- Local Clean Energy Resources: continue our existing agreements for energy from local biomass, hydro, solar, and coal mine methane projects
- Distributed Energy Resources: support installation of at least 4 MW per year of new rooftop solar systems and 2 MW per year of HCE controlled storage.
- Smart Electrification: encourage the expanded use of electricity for transportation, building heating and cooling, and industrial processes

Smart Electrification Can Help





"Electrifying Your Ride" EV Programs



Program Elements

FREE L2 EV chargers to every residential (limit 2) or commercial (limit 4) member

DER Service Agreement avoids up-front installation costs

Community DC fast charging supported by \$150k upgrades and engineering support

Transit and school buses supported with TOU rates, no demand charge, on-site solar



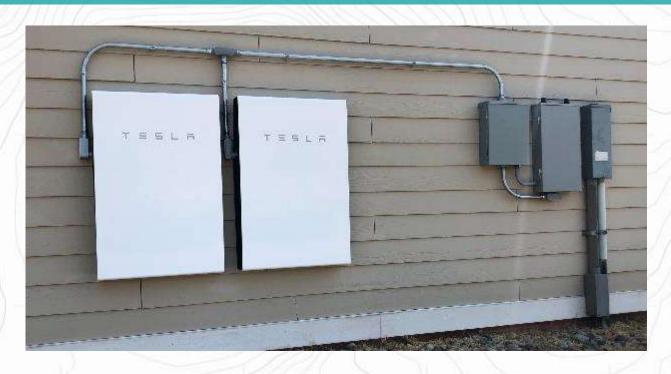






174 Home Charging Ports, 59 Commercial Charging Ports,5 DC Fast Chargers, 8 Transit Buses in 2020

"Power+" Energy Storage Program

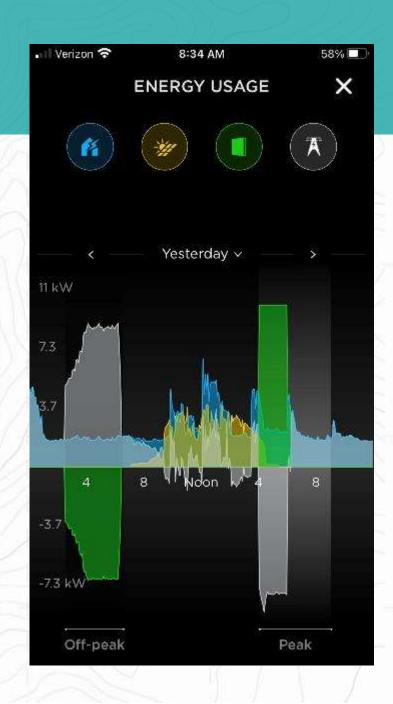


Pilot program in 2021

Combines DER Service Agreement & Distribution Flexibility tariff Target consumer cost: \$40-60/month for 10 years

Initial install at HCE HQ avoided

12 interruptions/290 outage minutes



Rate and Programs Options





Distributed Energy Resource Service Agreement

 Low interest on-bill payments for DERs and related costs

Peak Time Payback

 Credit for voluntary reduction in consumption during forecasted peak event

Time of Use

- Optional rate structure to encourage load shifting
- 24c/kWh on-peak (4-9 pm);6c/kWh off-peak

Distribution Flexibility

 Credit for allowing utility option to manage behind-the-meter DER assets

GreenUp

- Dynamic Renewable Pricing
- Credit for voluntary increase in consumption during forecasted "oversupply" events

PuRE

Purchase 100% Renewable Energy

 Green pricing program to enable members to choose 100% renewable energy



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