Creating a Clean, Affordable and Resilient Energy Future for the Commonwealth



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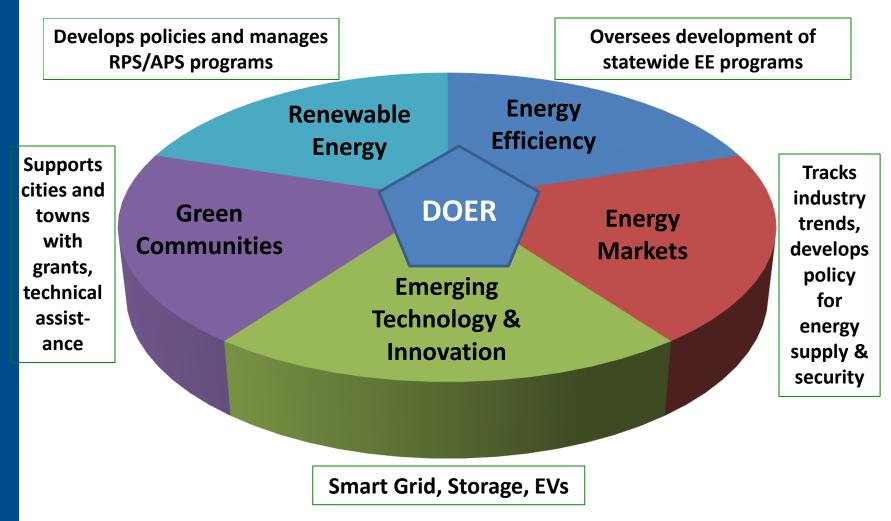
## ACEEE Intelligent Efficiency Conference

**DOER Commissioner Judith Judson** 

**December 8, 2015** 

### **DOER Purpose and Organization**

#### Creating a Clean, Affordable and Resilient Energy Future





## Massachusetts Energy Approach

- 1.Reducing and **stabilizing the rising cost** of energy for consumers
- 2.Continuing the Commonwealth's commitment to a **clean energy future** 
  - Meeting the Global Warming Solutions Act's (GWSA) GHG reductions: 25% by 2020 and 80% by 2050 (1990 baseline)
- 3.Ensuring that we have a **safe, reliable, and resilient** energy infrastructure.



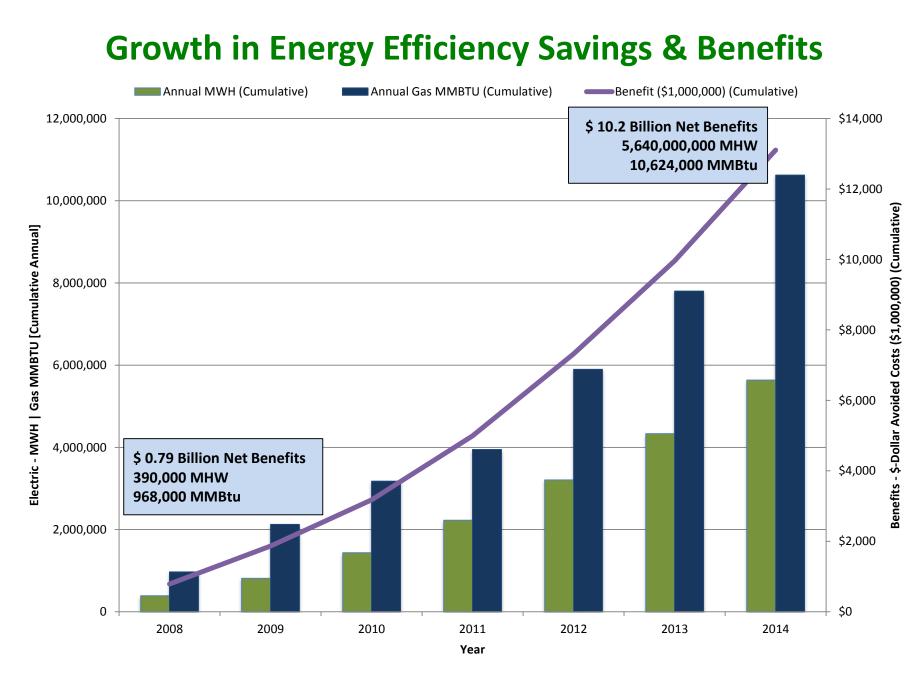
### **Policy Framework for EE in Massachusetts**





- State law requires pursuing "all cost-effective energy efficiency"
- Utilities coordinate on statewide EE plans deliver under single brand: Mass Save<sup>®</sup>
- Utilities develop 3-year plans that are approved by Department of Public Utilities
- Input into planning and execution of 3-year plans overseen by Energy Efficiency Advisory Council, a broad stakeholder body chaired by DOER





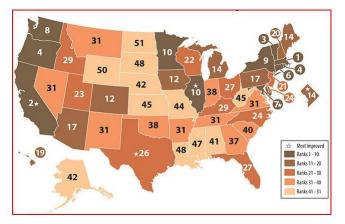
\* 2014 data is preliminary

# **Energy Efficiency Leadership Continues**

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Three Year Savings Plan (2016- 2018)

- Most aggressive energy efficiency goals in U.S.
- \$8 billion in economic, environmental and energy benefits
- Electric savings: 2.93% reduction in retail sales each year

ACEEE ranks Mass. **#1** state for energy efficiency, 5<sup>th</sup> year in a row

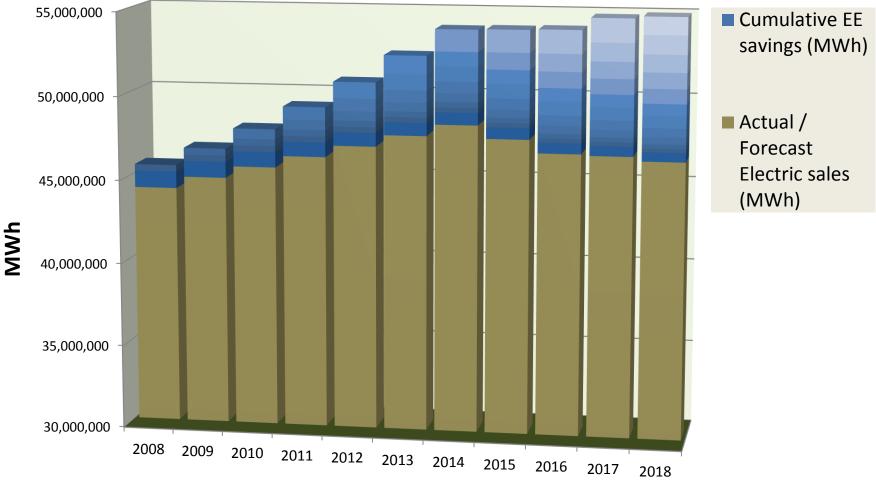


• Gas savings: 1.24% reduction in retail sales each year

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#### **Growing Importance of Electric Efficiency** 2008-2018

#### **Cumulative impact of EE on MA electric load**



Year

### **IEE Focus Area: Peak Demand Reduction**

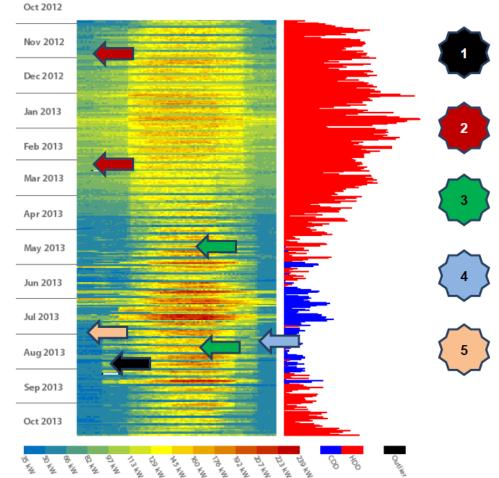


- Problem summer and winter peak demand
- DOER seasonal peak reduction pilot with WiFi thermostats
- 2016-2018 EE plans include a demand reduction working group, to develop new initiatives



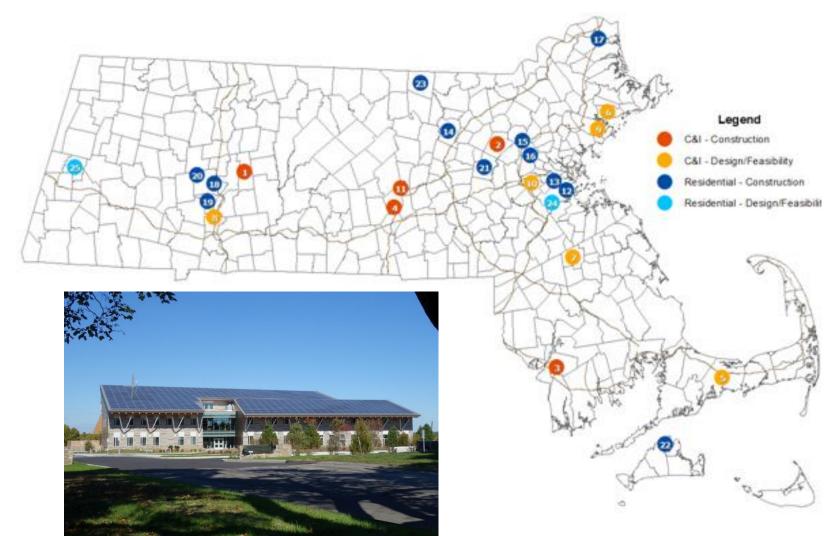
# IEE Focus Area: Innovation in Technology and Program Delivery

- Problem continuing to find cost-effective savings
- 2016-2018 plans include commitment to continuous integration of innovation
- DOER leading the way with demonstrations of low/no-touch, low-cost opportunity identification methods





## **Enabling IEE: Zero Net Energy Buildings**



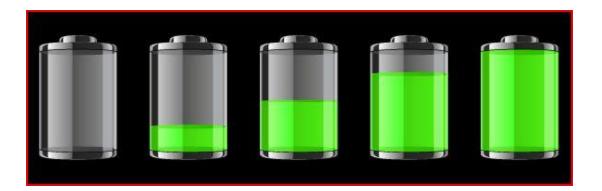


## **Enabling IEE: Energy Storage**

- Storage is a game changer that can play a part in solving our energy challenges
- \$10 million Energy Storage Initiative includes two-part study as well as demonstration projects

"The Commonwealth's plans for energy storage will allow the state to move toward establishing a mature local market for these technologies that will, in turn, benefit ratepayers and the local economy. "

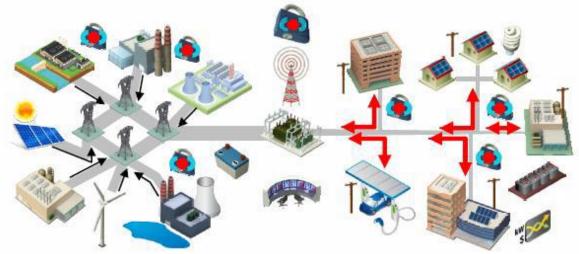
Gov. Baker, May 2015





## What's next for IEE in MA?

- Grid Modernization
- Resiliency
  - \$40 million in municipal resiliency via clean energy
- Electric Vehicles
  - Install charging stations and spur the market for EV ownership





# Thank you!

