

# **Clean Energy Implementation Plan**



## **Forging a Path Towards Carbon Reduction Standards**

In 2019, Governor Inslee signed the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) into law, committing Washington to providing electricity free of greenhouse gas emissions by 2045. CETA includes provisions for affordability and reliability to help ensure all customers benefit from the clean energy transformation.

# **About the Clean Energy Implementation Plan (CEIP)**

The Clean Energy Implementation Plan (CEIP) is a four-year roadmap that will guide Clark Public Utilities' clean energy actions, programs and investments for the defined four-year period of 2026 – 2029. CEIPs are required every four years and will be an important part of our energy planning efforts to meet CETA goals. CEIP requirements include:

- Four-year planning report required for all Washington utilities under CETA
- Used to define and track results of public participation process
- Ties to the utility Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) and identifies specific data related to several key topics, including non-emitting resource targets, conservation targets and demand response targets

The goal of the CEIP is to develop an implementation plan of specific actions to be taken over the next four years to track progress being made toward meeting clean energy goals. The CEIP is also a tool that defines and demonstrates how our customers are benefitting from the transition to clean energy through:

- Equitable distribution of energy and non-energy benefits and reduction of burdens to vulnerable communities
- Long-term and short-term public health and environmental benefits
- Energy security and resiliency

# **Washington State Clean Energy Transformation Act Milestones**







2030
Carbon-neutral electric system



## **Important Dates**

#### August - October 2025

- Initiate public participation process
- Engage with local, community-based non-profit groups focused on low-and limited-income populations
- Develop customer benefit indicators
- Public comment period on CEIP categories open August 4 September 17, 2025
- Initial CEIP presentation to Board of Commissioners August 26, 2025
- CEIP review and applicable revisions based on customer feedback
- Final CEIP presented to Clark Public Utilities' Board of Commissioners for adoption

#### January 2026

- Submit completed and adopted CEIP to the Washington State Department of Commerce
- Post final versions of all CEIP documents on CEIP webpage

## **How to Participate**

As a public utility governed by an elected board, we are committed to transparency and invite our customer-owners to help shape the Clean Energy Implementation Plan (CEIP). Clark Public Utilities customers are encouraged to participate in process in the following ways.



Visit the website to learn more and submit a comment at www.clarkpublicutilities.com/ceip



Attend regularly scheduled commission meetings and make a public comment