

NRG Energy Inc.

First Quarter 2017 Earnings Presentation



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Agenda

Business Review

Mauricio Gutierrez, President and CEO

Financial Update

Kirk Andrews, EVP and CFO

Closing Remarks

Mauricio Gutierrez, President and CEO

Q&A



Q1 Results and Full Year Outlook

Q1 Business Highlights

Reaffirming Full Year Guidance; Q1 Results Impacted by Lower Hedge Margin

- · Top decile safety performance
- · Q1 Adjusted EBITDA of \$412 MM
- · Full year results weighted toward summer months

Continued Focus on Three Strategic Priorities

- · Streamlining cost structure
- Portfolio optimization: 1.6 GW deactivations / mothballs expected in 1H17
- Continue to manage to target corporate credit metrics

Executing on Growth Opportunities

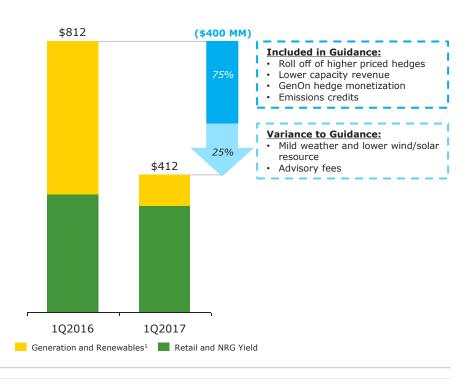
- Completed drop down of Utah Solar and Agua Caliente² assets
- Offered remaining 25% interest in NRG Wind TE Holdco to NRG Yield
- Carlsbad PPA finalized; construction began February 2017

Business Review Committee Process Underway

Year over Year Results and Drivers

(\$ millions)

Adjusted EBITDA: \$400 MM Decrease Y/Y

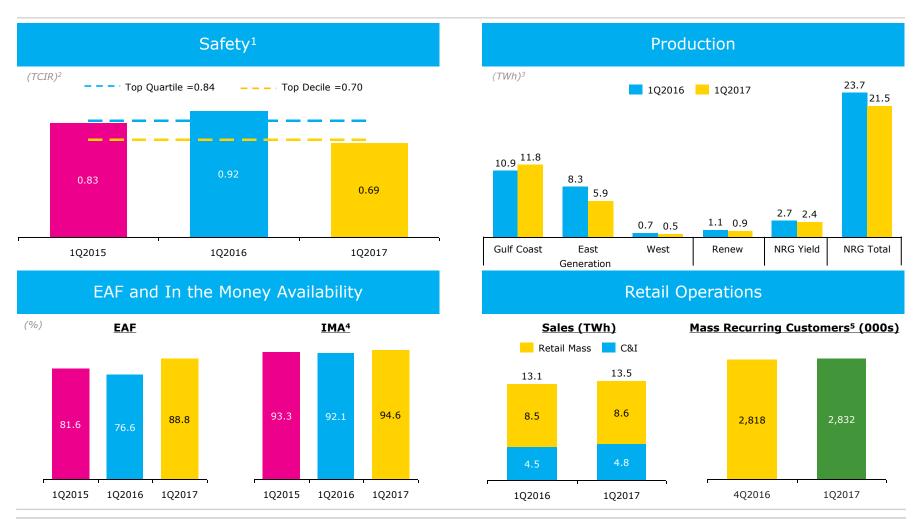


Q1 Results Impacted by Lower Energy Margins and Mild Weather; Reaffirming Full Year Guidance Range

¹ Generation Segment includes Corp/Eliminations of (\$41 MM) in 1Q16 and (\$41 MM) in 1Q17; ² Agua Caliente is 51% owned by NRG Consolidated, of which 16% was dropped down to NRG Yield



Operational Metrics



Top Decile Safety and Strong Operational Performance Continues

¹ Excludes Goal Zero, NRG Home Services and residential solar; top decile and top quartile based on Edison Electric Institute 2015 Total Company Survey results; ² TCIR = Total Case Incident Rate; ³ All NRG-owned domestic generation; excludes line losses, station service, and other items; Generation data presented above consistent with US GAAP accounting. Previous reports were pro-forma for acquisitions in prior periods; ⁴ Refer to Appendix slide 26; ⁵ Excludes C&I and residential solar customers; mass recurring customer count includes customers that subscribe to one or more recurring services, such as electricity and natural gas



NRG Regional Strategies and Key Market Drivers

NRG 1Q17 Earnings **Business Review**















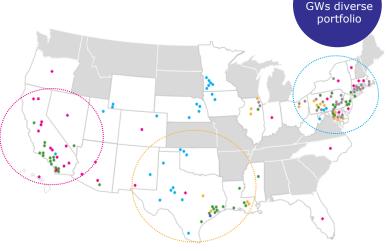
NRG Portfolio

492 GWs diverse portfolio

West

- ↑ Aggressive Renewable Portfolio Standards
- Need for ramping capacity
- Preferred resource contracts
- Weakening merchant dynamics

Renewables | **Fast Start Gas Distributed Resources**



East

- ♠ Capacity market framework rewards reliability
- ♠ Uneconomic units continue to retire
- Stagnant load growth
- Efforts for out-of-market contracts continue

Reliability (Capacity Markets) Maintain Energy Option

Gulf

- ↑ Load growth continues (2+% LTM¹)
- Potential for retirements
- Newbuild delays
- Increased reliance on intermittent resources
- Continued wind build-out
- Lack of scarcity prices

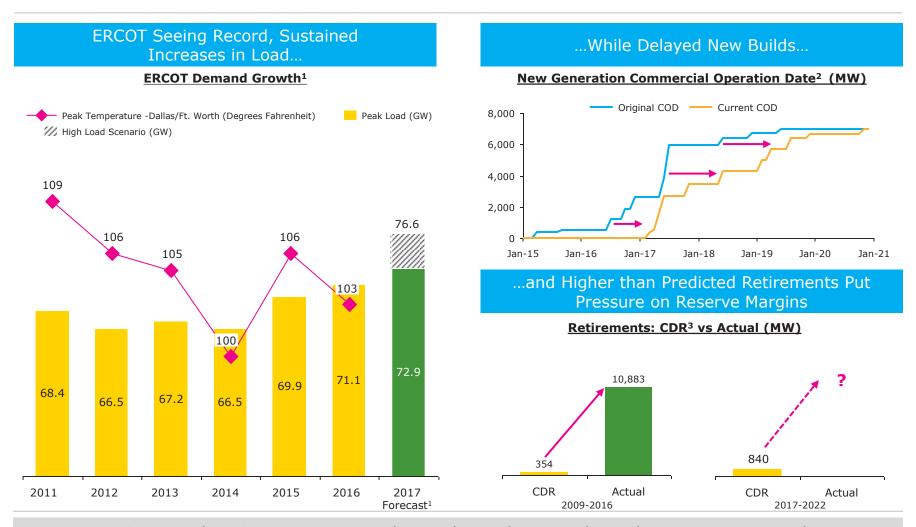
Integrated Wholesale - Retail Platform

NRG Regional Strategies Tailored to Key Market Dynamics

¹ ERCOT year over year weather-normalized load growth; ² Before non-controlling interest



Market Outlook - ERCOT



ERCOT Market Continues To Tighten Through Record Loads, Retirement Risk, and Delayed New Builds

¹ ERCOT, NOAA. High load scenario based on ERCOT Summer 2017 Preliminary SARA Seasonal Load Adjustment of 3.7 GW; ² ERCOT Generator Interconnection Status (GIS) report; graph includes only those assets that are listed as new thermal generation in the Dec 2016 CDR; ³ Report on the Capacity, Demand, and Reserves (CDR) in the ERCOT Region; Energy Velocity; Retirements represent retirements identified in prior and current CDRs



Market Outlook - Northeast

PJM: Shift to 100% Capacity Performance Market

Market Driver	Outlook
100% CP Requirement	100% CP in 20/21 adds risk for \sim 17 GW of generation that cleared as base capacity in 19/20
Decreased Demand-side Participation	Enhanced seasonal requirements add risk to $\sim \! 10$ GW of demand response and energy efficiency that cleared as base in $19/20$
Zonal Transfer Ratios	CETO ¹ : CETL ² ratios bolster potential for zonal price separation in COMED
Nuclear	Unclear how subsidized IL nuclear stations will participate in capacity auction
Seasonal Aggregation	Potential to pair summer and winter limited availability resources
Stagnant Load	RTO Reliability Requirements down 2% year-on-year

Regulatory Landscape

- Capacity Performance Implementation:
 - Transition to 100% Capacity Performance rewards resources for reliability
- Zero Emissions Credits (ZECs) Litigation in New York and Illinois:
 - NRG and others filed federal court challenges against the unlawful interference in FERC -jurisdictional markets
 - Preliminary injunction sought in Illinois; awaiting ruling on motion to dismiss in New York
- **FERC Examining State Programs & Wholesale**Markets:
 - FERC increasingly assessing the impact of ZECs and other programs on the wholesale market

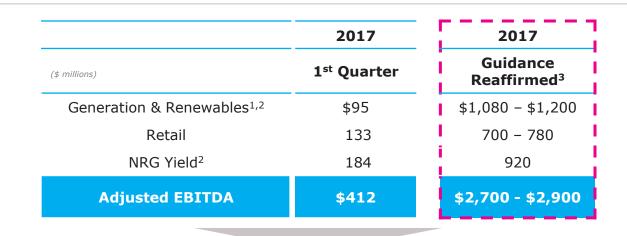
PJM Strengthened by 100% Capacity Performance but Out of Market Contracts Undermine the Integrity of Competitive Markets

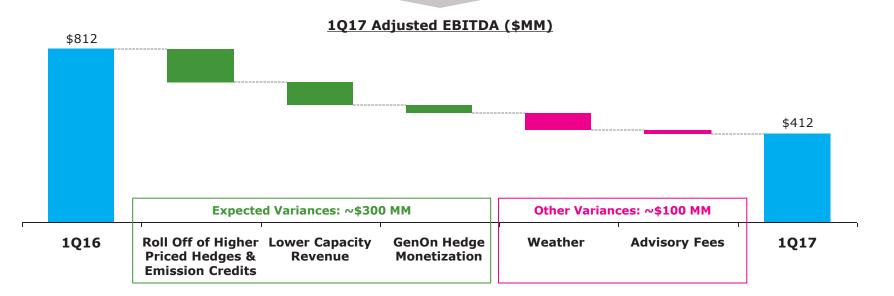
 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Capacity Emergency Transfer Objective; $^{\rm 2}$ Capacity Emergency Transfer Limit

Financial Update



Financial Summary

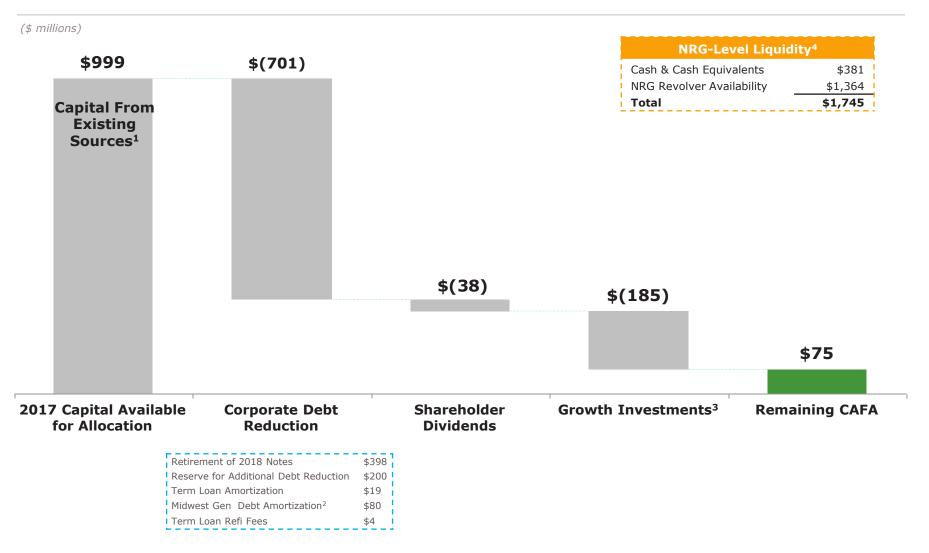




¹ Includes Corporate Segment; ² In accordance with GAAP, restated to reflect impact of Utah Solar and 31% of NRG's interest in Agua Caliente drop down to NRG Yield; ³ Reaffirming 2017 Adjusted EBITDA of \$2,700 MM - \$2,900 MM and Consolidated Free Cash Flow before Growth of \$800 MM - \$1,000 MM



2017 NRG-Level Capital Allocation



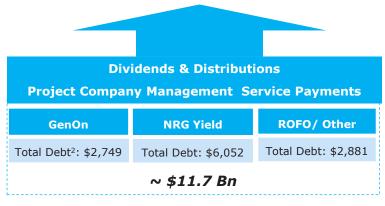
¹ Refer to slide 12 of 4Q16 earnings presentation. Capital from Existing Sources includes: 2016 YE cash & cash equivalents at NRG level of \$570 MM less minimum cash reserves of \$700 MM (net of \$71 MM in NRG Level cash collateral postings) plus mid-point of NRG-level FCFbG guidance of \$800 MM plus \$128 MM of Agua Caliente project-level net financing proceeds closed on February 17, 2017 and \$130 MM of gross proceeds from drop down of Utah solar assets and 16% interest in Agua Caliente to NRG Yield closed on March 27, 2017, prior to working capital adjustments; ² Represents 2017 capacity revenue sold of \$80 MM against \$253 MM monetized in 2016; ³ Net of financing; ⁴ Includes \$125 MM cash held at MWG which can be distributed to NRG Corporate with no restrictions; revolver availability represents \$2.5 Bn revolving credit facility, less \$1.0 Bn of letters of credit issued and \$125 MM cash borrowed as of March 31, 2017



NRG's Capital Structure & Corporate Credit Metrics

(\$ millions)





LEGEND	_
Recourse Debt	
Non-Recourse Debt (Excluded Project Sub)	

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	Post-Capital Allocation
Recourse Debt (03/31/2017)1	\$7,923
2018 Maturity Reserve	(398)
2017 Term Loan Amortization	(15)
Additional Debt Reduction	(200)
Pro Forma Corporate Debt	~\$7,300
Mid-Point Adj. EBITDA	\$2,800
Less Adjusted EBITDA:	
GenOn ³	(130)
NRG Yield	(920)
ROFO / Other ⁴	(345)
Add:	
NRG Yield Distributions to NRG ⁵	90
ROFO / Other Dividends to NRG ⁶	110
Other Adjustments ⁷	150
Total Recourse EBITDA	\$1,755
Corporate Debt/Corporate EBITDA	4.17x
Cash & Cash Equivalents @ NRG-Level ⁸	\$645
Corporate Net Debt/Corporate EBITDA	3.80x

Maintaining Balance Sheet Metrics In-Line With Targets

¹ Includes NRG Energy Inc. term loan facility, senior notes, revolver, capital leases and tax exempt bonds; ² Includes \$125 MM outstanding cash balance on intercompany revolver; ³ Net of shared service payment by GenOn to NRG; ⁴ Includes Agua Caliente, Ivanpah, Midwest Generation, Yield eligible assets, Capistrano and other renewable assets; ⁵ Estimate based on NYLD dividends equivalent to \$1.15/share annualized by Q4 and excludes impact of drop-down proceeds; ⁶ Distributions from NRG ROFO, MWG and other non-recourse project subsidiaries; ⁷ Reflects non-cash expenses (i.e. nuclear amortization, equity compensation amortization, and bad debt expense) that are included in Adjusted EBITDA; ⁸ NRG-Level cash of \$70 MM as of 12/31/2016 plus remaining CAFA of \$75 MM (see prior slide)

Closing Remarks



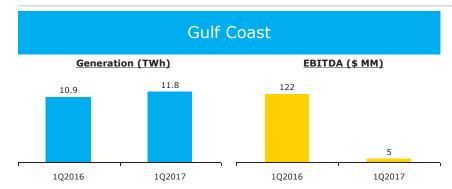
Reaffirming Full Year Guidance Ranges ☑ Q1 top decile safety performance
Finalize Comprehensive Resolution for GenOn (ongoing)
Achieve Cost Efficiencies and Continue to Reposition Portfolio Business Review Committee process ongoing
Focus on Debt Reduction and Financial Flexibility ☐ On track managing to target credit metrics
Identify and Execute on Growth Opportunities with High Returns and Quick Capital Replenishment ☐ Closed drop down of 31% of NRG's interest Agua Caliente and Utah Solar Assets to NRG Yield ☐ Offered to NRG Yield remaining 25% interest in NRG Wind TE Holdco

Q&A

Appendix: Operations

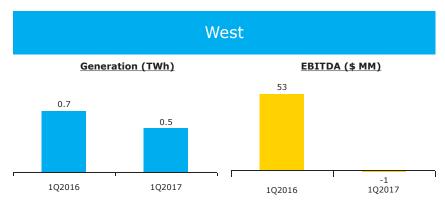


Year over Year Performance Drivers: Q1 Results



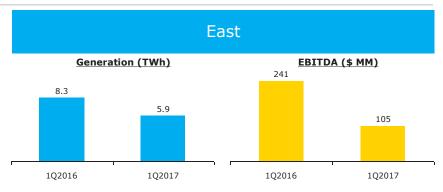


- Significantly lower hedged prices in 1Q17 vs 1Q16
- Lower capacity revenues from South Central assets cleared in PJM capacity auction
- ↑ Higher volumes sold due to higher open energy prices



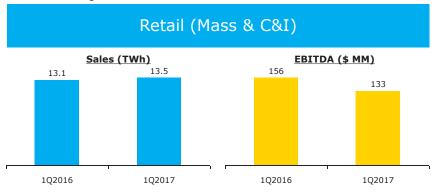
\$54 MM lower Adjusted EBITDA due to:

- ◆ One time 1Q16 \$46 MM gain on sale of emissions credits
- Capacity contract expiration and subsequent retirements of Pittsburg and Encina assets
- ↑ Partially offset by favorable O&M due to timing of outages



\$136 MM lower Adjusted EBITDA due to:

- Lower realized energy margins on lower hedged prices, lower capacity revenues from lower PJM pricing and 2016 asset sales
- Partially offset by favorable O&M following completion of conversion/environmental projects in 2016, deactivation of Huntley, and favorable maintenance due to reduced planned outages

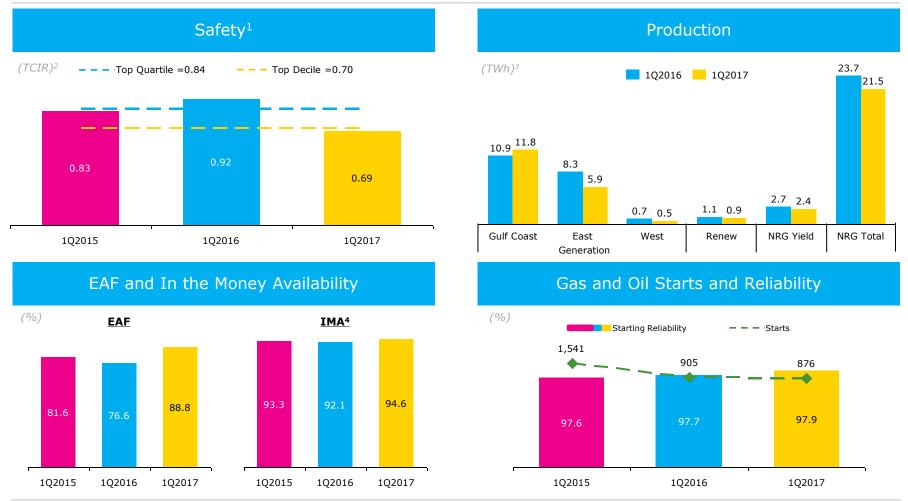


\$23 MM lower Adjusted EBITDA due to:

- ◆ Lower gross margins due to mild weather and customer mix
- Partially offset by increase in customer count and steady weather-normalized usage / customer



Generation: Operational Metrics



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Retail: **Operational Metrics**

1st Quarter Summary

- Delivered solid earnings with \$133 MM Adjusted **EBITDA**
- * \$19 MM in lower Q1 margins associated with weather
- Continued momentum in mass customer growth with a 14,000 increase during the guarter

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Mass Recurring Customers¹ (000s)



Expanded Mass Customer Count

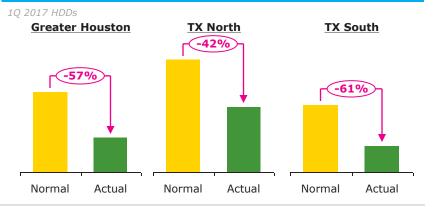
Customer count excluding Dominion East

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EBITDA Results Lower Year over Year



Texas Heating Degree Days (HDD)² Substantially Below Normal

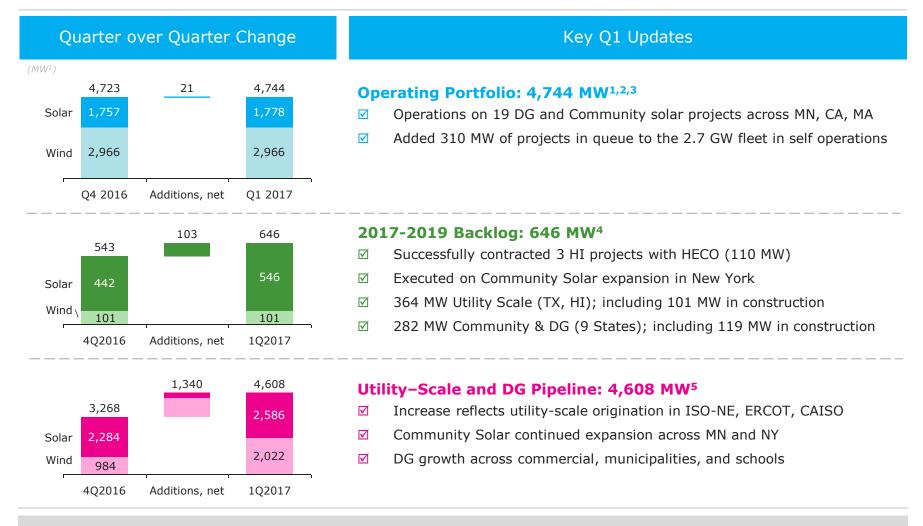


Mild Weather Created Challenges in Q1, But Retail Remains On Track Toward 2017 Guidance

¹ Excludes C&I and NRG residential solar customers; mass recurring customer count includes customers that subscribe to one or more recurring services, such as electricity and natural gas; ² Heating Degree Day (HDD) represents the number of degrees that the mean temperature for a particular day is below 65 degrees Fahrenheit



Renewables: Portfolio Update



Significant Scale and with a Substantial Pipeline for Future Growth

¹ 4.7 GW at NRG Consolidated, of which 2.9 GW is at NYLD; ² MW amounts in AC; ³ NRG self-performs plant operations on 2.7 GW of the consolidated fleet of assets owned by NRG and NYLD and 224 MW on assets owned by third parties; ⁴ Backlog is defined as projects that are under construction, contracted, or awarded, and represents a higher level of execution certainty; ⁵ Pipeline is defined as projects that range from identified lead to shortlisted with an offtake and represents a lower level of execution certainty



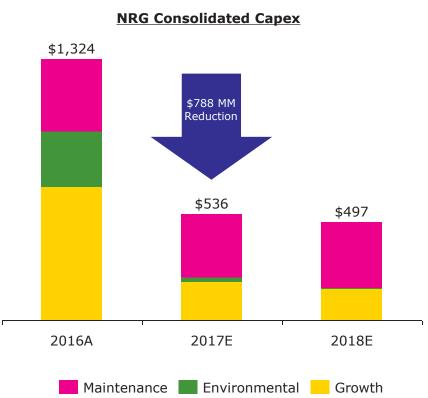
Modernizing the Portfolio

Delivering Major Projects

		MW	Project Description	Estimated COD
	Bacliff Peakers	360	New Generation	2Q 2017
	University of Pittsburgh Medical Center ¹		Heat & Power Combined	1Q 2018
Growth Projects	Buckthorn Solar	154	New Renewables	1Q 2018
srowth	Carlsbad Peakers	527	New Generation	4Q 2018
J	Hawaii Solar	110	New Renewables	2Q 2019
	Canal Peakers ²	333	New Generation	2Q 2019
	Puente Peakers ²	262	New Generation	2Q 2020

Significant Reduction in Capex in 2017



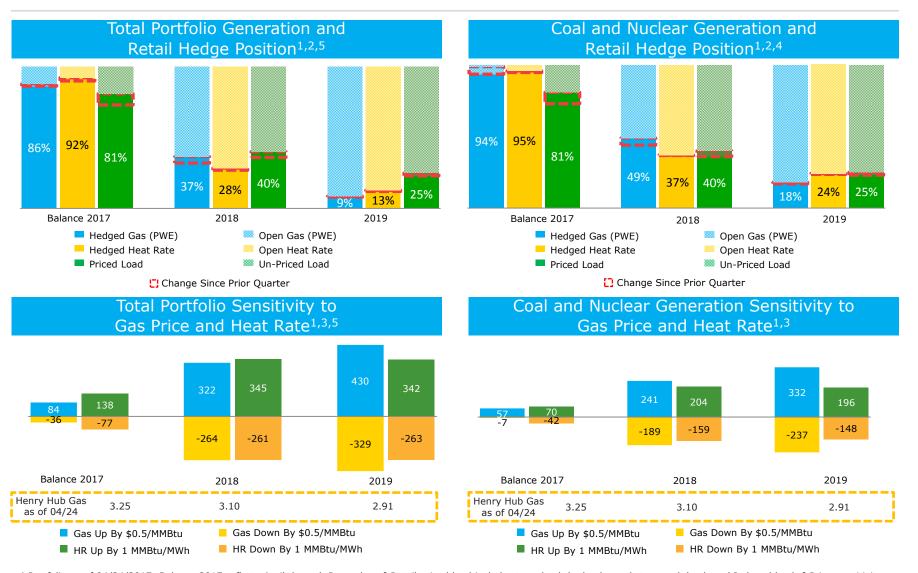


Portfolio Includes Both Conventional And Renewable Projects

¹ NRG Yield acquisition; ² Subject to applicable regulatory approvals and permits



Managing Commodity Price Risk



¹ Portfolio as of 04/24/2017, Balance 2017 reflects April through December; ² Retail priced load includes term load, hedged month-to-month load, and Indexed load; ³ Price sensitivity reflects gross margin change from \$0.5/MMBtu gas price, 1 MMBtu/MWh heat rate move; ⁴ Coal hedge ratios are 101% and 45% for 2017 and 2018 respectively; ⁵ Total Portfolio includes wholesale merchant assets and related hedges



Hedge Disclosure: Coal and Nuclear Operations

	Coal & Nuclear Portfolio 1	Texas and South Central		EAST		GENON ⁷				
		Balance 2017	2018	2019	Balance 2017	2018	2019	Balance 2017	2018	2019
	Net Coal and Nuclear Capacity (MW) ²	6,250	6,250	6,250	7,465	7,465	7,465	4,198	4,198	4,198
	Forecasted Coal and Nuclear Capacity $(MW)^3$	4,804	4,334	3,977	3,644	3,017	2,227	2,029	1,759	1,294
	Total Coal and Nuclear Sales (GWh) ⁴	29,754	25,016	8,463	22,454	6,578	1,139	10,644	1,925	20
	Percentage Coal and Nuclear Capacity Sold Forward ⁵	94%	66%	24%	93%	25%	6%	80%	12%	0%
	Total Forward Hedged Revenues ⁶	\$1,095	\$897	\$429	\$765	\$201	\$28	\$381	\$62	\$0
	Weighted Average Hedged Price (\$ per MWh) ⁶	\$36.80	\$35.87	\$50.71	\$34.06	\$30.58	NA	\$35.83	\$31.96	NA
	Average Equivalent Natural Gas Price (\$ per MMBtu) ⁶	\$3.60	\$3.81	\$4.92	\$3.30	\$2.97	NA	\$3.35	\$3.08	NA
- w	Gas Price Sensitivity Up \$0.50/MMBtu on Coal and Nuclear Units	\$ —	\$42	\$124	\$64	\$199	\$207	\$42	\$121	\$113
sitivities	Gas Price Sensitivity Down \$0.50/MMBtu on Coal and Nuclear Units	\$32	(\$45)	(\$102)	(\$39)	(\$144)	(\$135)	(\$24)	(\$88)	(\$77)
Gross Sensit	Heat Rate Sensitivity Up 1 MMBtu/MWh on Coal and Nuclear Units	\$22	\$93	\$88	\$47	\$111	\$108	\$28	\$59	\$55
	Heat Rate Sensitivity Down 1 MMBtu/MWh on Coal and Nuclear Units	(\$8)	(\$75)	(\$67)	(\$34)	(\$84)	(\$80)	(\$21)	(\$46)	(\$43)

- ¹ Portfolio as of 04/24/2017, Balance 2017 reflects April through December
- ² Net Coal and Nuclear capacity represents nominal summer net MW capacity of power generated as adjusted for the Company's ownership position excluding capacity from inactive/mothballed units
- ³ Forecasted generation dispatch output (MWh) based on forward price curves as of 04/24/2017 which is then divided by number of hours in a given year to arrive at MW capacity; The dispatch takes into account planned and unplanned outage assumptions
- ⁴ Includes amounts under power sales contracts and natural gas hedges; the forward natural gas quantities are reflected in equivalent GWh based on forward market implied heat rate as of 04/24/2017 and then combined with power sales to arrive at equivalent GWh hedged; the Coal and Nuclear Sales include swaps and delta of options sold which is subject to change; actual value of options will include the impact of non-linear factors; For detailed information on the Company's hedging methodology through use of derivative instruments, see discussion in 2015 10K Item 15 Note 5, Accounting for Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities, to the Consolidated Financial Statements; Includes inter-segment sales from the Company's wholesale power generation business to the Retail Business
- ⁵ Percentage hedged is based on Total Coal and Nuclear sales as described above (4) divided by the forecasted Coal and Nuclear Capacity (3)
- ⁶ Represents all coal and nuclear sales, including energy revenue and demand charges
- ⁷ GenOn disclosure not additive to other regions

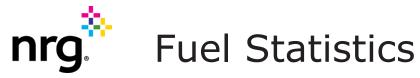


Commodity Prices

Forward Prices ¹	Bal-2017 ²	2018	2019	Annual Average for 2017-2019
NG Henry Hub (\$/Mmbtu)	\$3.25	\$3.10	\$2.91	\$3.09
PRB 8800 (\$/ton)	\$11.84	\$12.15	\$12.35	\$12.12
NAPP MG2938 (\$/ton)	\$45.78	\$45.75	\$47.50	\$46.34
ERCOT Houston Onpeak (\$/MWh)	\$38.53	\$35.68	\$34.38	\$36.19
ERCOT Houston Offpeak (\$/MWh)	\$24.81	\$22.21	\$20.88	\$22.63
PJM West Onpeak (\$/MWh)	\$37.55	\$37.88	\$35.55	\$36.99
PJM West Offpeak (\$/MWh)	\$26.25	\$26.92	\$25.69	\$26.29

¹ Prices as of 04/24/2017

² Represents April through December months



	1 st Qua	arter
Domestic ¹	2017	2016
Coal Consumed (mm Tons)	5.6	5.5
PRB Blend	88%	62%
East	76%	55%
Gulf Coast	93%	71%
Bituminous	7 %	20%
East	24%	36%
Lignite & Other	5%	18%
East	0%	9%
Gulf Coast	7%	29%
Cost of Coal (\$/Ton)	\$ 35.52	\$ 42.44
Cost of Coal (\$/mmBtu)	\$ 2.02	\$ 2.35
Cost of Gas (\$/mmBtu)	\$ 3.30	\$ 2.18

¹ NRG's interests in Keystone and Conemaugh (jointly owned plants) are excluded from the fuel statistics schedule



1Q 2017 Generation & Operational Performance Metrics

	2017	2016		_	2	017	20	16
(MWh 000's)	Generation ¹	Generation ¹	MWh Change	% Change	EAF ²	NCF ³	EAF ²	NCF ³
Gulf Coast – Texas	7,720	6,566	1,155	18%	85%	34%	87%	28%
Gulf Coast - South Central	4,062	4,295	(233)	(5%)	87%	45%	91%	47%
East	5,921	8,293	(2,377)	(29%)	91%	13%	83%	16%
West	517	724	(207)	(29%)	87%	5%	76%	6%
Renewables	930	1,089	(159)	(15%)	97%	39%	97%	45%
NRG Yield ⁴	2,390	2,683	(294)	(11%)	92%	18%	93%	21%
Total	21,540	23,651	(2,115)	(9%)	89%	21%	85%	21%
Gulf Coast – Texas Nuclear	2,319	2,502	(183)	(7%)	92%	91%	98%	97%
Gulf Coast - Texas Coal	5,015	3,098	1,917	62%	93%	55%	81%	34%
Gulf Coast - South Central Coal	965	420	545	130%	81%	49%	88%	21%
East Coal	4,235	6,622	(2,387)	(36%)	87%	26%	71%	31%
Baseload	12,533	12,641	(108)	(1%)	89%	42%	77%	36%
Renewables Solar	326	380	(54)	(14%)	99%	40%	100%	50%
Renewables Wind	604	710	(105)	(15%)	96%	39%	97%	44%
NRG Yield Solar	213	246	(33)	(14%)	99%	22%	100%	25%
NRG Yield Wind	1,449	1,532	(83)	(5%)	97%	33%	97%	34%
Intermittent	2,592	2,868	(275)	(10%)	97%	33%	97%	36%
East Oil	36	245	(209)	(85%)	93%	0%	96%	2%
Gulf Coast – Texas Gas	387	966	(579)	(60%)	78%	3%	89%	8%
Gulf Coast - South Central Gas	3,097	3,875	(779)	(20%)	89%	44%	91%	54%
East Gas	1,650	1,428	217	15%	93%	10%	86%	10%
West Gas	517	724	(207)	(29%)	87%	5%	76%	6%
NRG Yield Conventional	142	261	(119)	(46%)	84%	3%	87%	6%
NRG Yield Thermal ⁴	585	644	(59)	(9%)	100%	3%	100%	33%
Intermediate / Peaking	6,414	8,143	(1,733)	(21%)	88%	10%	87%	12%

¹ Excludes line losses, station service and other items; ² EAF – Equivalent Availability Factor; ³ NCF – Net Capacity Factor; ⁴ Includes MWh (thermal heating & chilled water generation); NCF not inclusive of MWht



In the Money Availability Calculation

"In the Money Availability" (IMA) is an NRG performance measurement leveraging Generating Availability Data System (GADS) data and market prices to calculate the percentage of generation available during periods when market prices allow these units to be dispatched profitably.

- Transitioning from Equivalent Availability Factor (EAF) to IMA allows us to measure our availability during the greatest opportunities to capture value. IMA performance measurement bridges operational performance to shareholder value.
- ★ IMA uses similar approach as GADS EAF calculation:

- Factors that impact IMA include forced outages, derates, maintenance, and/or extensions to planned and unplanned outages, when a unit is in the money; reserve shutdown (SH) hours are not included
- IMA "Available Hours" equals period hours less planned outage hours and uneconomic hours when an unplanned curtailing event occurs
- → IMA "Equivalent Lost Margin Hours" (ELMH) are calculated similarly Equivalent Unplanned Outage Hours (EUOH) used for EAF
 - If there is lost margin during the hour of the curtailing event, the hour is be included as both an IMA Available Hour and an IMA ELMH
 - If there is zero lost margin during the hour of the curtailing event, the hour is not included in the available hour count AND the ELMH would be zero for that hour



PJM Capacity Clears: Merchant Wholesale Generation

PJM Region	Planning Year	Average Price (\$/MW-day) ¹	MWs Cleared	Average Price (\$/MW-day) ¹	MWs Cleared	De	livery Yea	r Total Revei	ıue
							NRG	GenOn	Total
		Base Pro	oduct	Capacity Perforr	mance Product	17/18	\$286	\$452	\$738
	2017-2018	\$145.51	539	\$151.50	3,227	18/19	\$354	\$489	\$843
ComEd	2018-2019	\$25.36	225	\$215.00	3,509	19/20	\$309	\$260	\$569
	2019-2020	\$182.77	65	\$202.77	3,738	19/20	\$30 <i>9</i>	\$200	\$309
	2017-2018	\$147.38	574	\$151.50	1,753				
MAAC	2018-2019	\$149.98	10	\$164.77	2,229				
	2019-2020	\$80.00	10	\$100.00	2,093	РЈМ Сар	acity Reve	nue by Caler	ndar Year
	2017-2018	\$97.69	391	\$151.50	204				
EMAAC	2018-2019	\$210.63	91	\$225.42	424				
	2019-2020	\$99.77	103	\$119.77	414				
	2017-2018	\$150.03	133	\$151.50	358		NRG	GenOn	Total
DPL South	2018-2019	\$210.63	98	\$225.42	459	2017	\$247	\$410	\$658
	2019-2020	NA	NA	\$119.77	481	2018	\$326	\$473	\$799
	2017-2018	\$118.97	1,908	\$151.50	2,501				· ·
PEPCO	2018-2019	\$149.98	58	\$164.77	3,870	2019	\$327	\$354	\$682
	2019-2020	NA	NA	\$100.00	3,879	2020	\$128	\$108	\$236
	2017-2018	\$141.79	271	\$151.50	647	Assumption	s.		
ATSI	2018-2019	\$149.98	57	\$164.77	681	•	s of 3/31/201	7	
	2019-2020	\$80.00	2	\$100.00	550			/	
	2017-2018	\$126.41	1,188	\$151.50	449		s imports		
RTO	2018-2019	\$182.04	199	\$279.35	495	 Exclude Efficier 		nd Response an	d Energy
	2019-2020	\$80.00	191	NA	NA	❖ Exclude	s Aurora and	Rockford	
	2017-2018	\$127.26	5,005	\$151.50	9,140		es NRG Yield		
Net Total	2018-2019	\$136.09	738	\$189.32	11,666				7
	2019-2020	\$103.42	370	\$136.03	11,154				
				,		 2020 Includes Jan'20 through May'20 			.0

¹ Average Price (\$/MW-day) can vary from stated BRA cleared auction price due to MWs purchased or sold in incremental auctions



PJM Capacity Clears: Merchant Wholesale Generation - GenOn

PJM Region	Planning Year	Average Price (\$/MW-day) ¹	MWs Cleared	Average Price (\$/MW-day) ¹	MWs Cleared	
				Capacity Performance Product		
	2017-2018	NA	NA	NA	NA	
ComEd	2018-2019	NA	NA	NA	NA	
	2019-2020	NA	NA	NA	NA	
	2017-2018	\$148.27	558	\$151.50	1,647	
MAAC	2018-2019	\$149.98	9	\$164.77	2,122	
	2019-2020	\$80.00	9	\$100.00	1,988	
	2017-2018	\$97.69	391	\$151.50	204	
EMAAC	2018-2019	\$210.63	91	\$225.42	424	
	2019-2020	\$99.77	103	\$119.77	414	
	2017-2018	NA	NA	NA	NA	
DPL South	2018-2019	NA	NA	NA	NA	
	2019-2020	NA	NA	NA	NA	
	2017-2018	\$119.31	1,828	\$151.50	2,501	
PEPCO	2018-2019	\$149.98	58	\$164.77	3,801	
	2019-2020	NA	NA	\$100.00	3,814	
	2017-2018	\$141.79	271	\$151.50	647	
ATSI	2018-2019	\$149.98	57	\$164.77	681	
	2019-2020	\$80.00	2	\$100.00	550	
	2017-2018	\$127.30	281	\$151.50	440	
RTO	2018-2019	\$182.04	199	\$164.77	495	
	2019-2020	\$80.00	191	NA	NA	
	2017-2018	\$124.13	3,329	\$151.50	5,439	
Net Total	2018-2019	\$178.69	414	\$168.19	7,522	
	2019-2020	\$86.67	305	\$101.21	6,766	

	GenOn	Total
17/18	\$452	\$452
18/19	\$489	\$489
19/20	\$260	\$260

Delivery Year Total Revenue

	GenOn	Total
2017	\$410	\$410
2018	\$473	\$473
2019	\$354	\$354
2020	\$108	\$108

PJM Capacity Revenue by Calendar Year

Assumptions:

- Data as of 3/31/2017
- Includes imports
- Excludes Aurora and Rockford
- * Excludes NRG Yield Assets
- ❖ 2017 Includes Jan'17 through Dec'17
- 2020 Includes Jan'20 through May'20



PJM Asset List: Merchant Wholesale Generation

Net Generating Capacity by LDA

RTO (824 MW)					
Name	Location	Capacity	Entity	Ownership %	
Cheswick	Springdale, PA	565	GenOn	100.0%	
Brunot Island	Pittsburgh, PA	259	GenOn	100.0%	

ATSI (1,012 MW)					
Name	Location	Capacity	Entity	Ownership %	
Avon Lake	Avon Lake, OH	659	GenOn	100.0%	
Niles	Niles, OH	25	GenOn	100.0%	
New Castle	West Pittsburg, PA	328	GenOn	100.0%	

COMED (4,336 MW)					
Name	Location	Capacity	Entity	Ownership %	
Fisk	Chicago, IL	172	NRG	100.0%	
Joliet	Joliet, IL	1,326	NRG	100.0%	
Powerton	Pekin, IL	1,538	NRG	100.0%	
Waukegan	Waukegan, IL	790	NRG	100.0%	
Will County	Romeoville, IL	510	NRG	100.0%	

DPL (593 MW)						
Name Location Capacity Entity Ownership						
Indian River	Millsboro, DE	426	NRG	100.0%		
Vienna	Vienna, MD	167	NRG	100.0%		

EMAAC (655 MW)							
Name Location Capacity Entity Ownersh							
Gilbert	Milford, NJ	438	GenOn	100.0%			
Sayreville	Sayreville, NJ	217	GenOn	100.0%			

MAAC (2,581 MW)					
Name	Location	Capacity	Entity	Ownership %	
Blossburg	Blossburg, PA	19	GenOn	100.0%	
Conemaugh	New Florence, PA	282	GenOn	16.45%	
Conemaugh	New Florence, PA	63	NRG	3.75%	
Hamilton	East Berlin, PA	20	GenOn	100.0%	
Hunterstown CCGT	Gettysburg, PA	810	GenOn	100.0%	
Keystone	Shelocta, PA	63	NRG	3.70%	
Keystone	Shelocta, PA	285	GenOn	16.67%	
Mountain	Mount Holly Springs, PA	40	GenOn	100.0%	
Orrtanna	Orrtanna, PA	20	GenOn	100.0%	
Portland	Portland, PA	169	GenOn	100.0%	
Shawnee	East Stoudsburg, PA	20	GenOn	100.0%	
Shawville	Shawville, PA	603	GenOn	100.0%	
Titus	Birdsboro, PA	31	GenOn	100.0%	
Tolna	Stewartstown, PA	39	GenOn	100.0%	
Warren	Warren, PA	57	GenOn	100.0%	
Hunterstown CTs	Gettysburg, PA	60	GenOn	100.0%	

PEPCO (4,683 MW)				
Name	Location	Capacity	Entity	Ownership %
Chalk Point	Prince Georges County, MD	2,279	GenOn	100.0%
Dickerson	Montgomery County, MD	849	GenOn	100.0%
Morgantown	Charles County, MD	1,477	GenOn	100.0%
SMECO	Prince Georges County, MD	78	NRG	100.0%

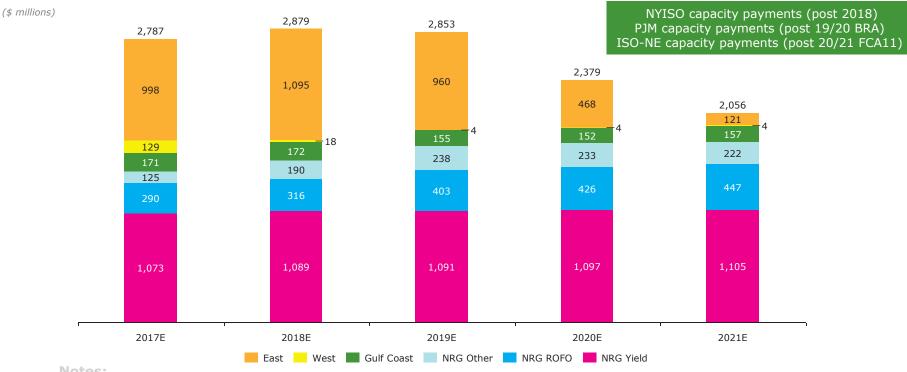
Assumptions:

- Data reflects physical location of generating unit; reflects nameplate capacity, including conversions
- $\ensuremath{\bigstar}$ Excludes NYLD assets Dover 104 MW in DPL and Paxton Creek 12 MW in MAAC
- ❖ Data as of 3/31/2017

Appendix: Finance



Fixed Contracted and Capacity Revenue (Q1-2017)



Notes:

- ◆ East includes cleared capacity auction for PJM through May 2020, New England ISO Forward Capacity Auction 11(FCA11) through May 2021; NY on rolling forward basis
- West includes committed Resource Adequacy contracts & tolling agreements
- Gulf Coast region includes South Central capacity sold into PJM/MISO auctions and Co-Op contracted revenues. Co-Op contracted revenues are also incorporated in the hedge table
- NRG ROFO includes all wind, solar and conventional assets which are part of ROFO agreement, including projects under construction (Carlsbad and Puente)
- NRG Other includes renewable assets which are not part of ROFO and preferred resources projects
- NRG Yield includes contracted capacity, contracted energy and contracted steam revenues



1Q2017 Net Capital Expenditures

(\$ millions)	Maintenance	Environmental	Growth	Total
Generation				
Gulf Coast ¹	\$40	1	1	\$42
East	19	24	15	58
West	-	-	81	81
Other	1	-	-	1
Retail	6	-	4	10
Renewables	1	-	67	68
NRG Yield	4	-	-	4
Corporate	1	-	3	4
Total Cash Capital Expenditures	\$72	\$25	\$171	\$268
Other Investments ²	_	_	33	33
Project Funding, net of fees ³	-	-	(51)	(51)
Total Capital Expenditures and Growth Investments, net	\$72	\$25	\$153	\$250

¹ Excludes \$18 MM of insurance proceeds on maintenance capex; ² Includes investments and acquisitions; ³ Includes net debt proceeds, cash grants and third-party contributions



Growth Investments and Capex, Net of Financing

(\$ millions)		2016A	2017E	2018E
	Growth	564 ²	185	155
NRG Level	Environmental	240	35	1
	Maintenance	220	188	215
	Growth Investments and Conversions	105	6	4
GenOn	Environmental	45	15	2
	Maintenance	118	70	93
	Growth	3	2	-
Other ¹	Environmental	-	-	-
	Maintenance	29	35	27
	Total:	\$1,324	\$536	\$497

¹ Other includes NYLD, Ivanpah, and Agua Caliente; ² Excludes contributions to nuclear decommissioning trust (\$41 MM)



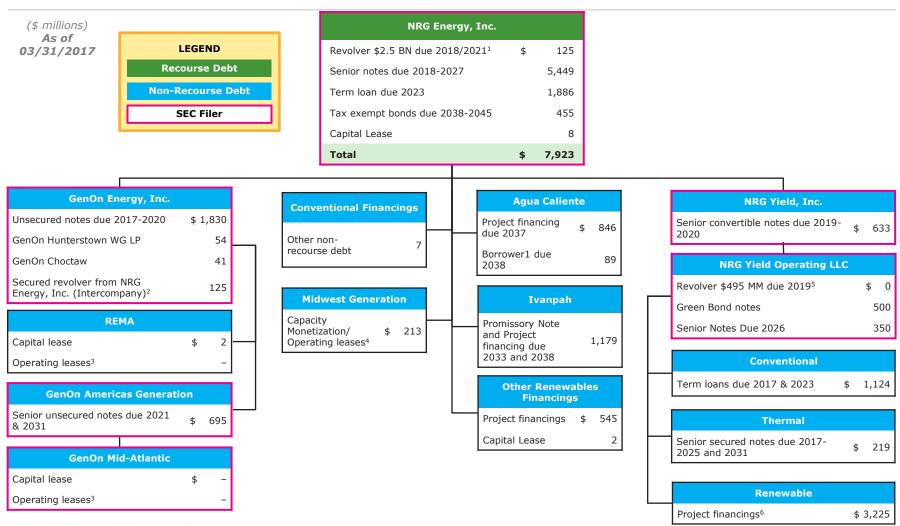
Generation Organizational Structure

NRG Energy, Inc. (45,9091 MW) Renewables **NRG Yield Gulf Coast** West East (21,386 MW) (1,120 MW) (2,756 MW) (14,863 MW) (4.899 MW) Alta Wind Agua Caliente⁵ Bayou Cove Ellwood Arthur Kill Joliet Alpine Community Solar Big Cajun I4 Encina Astoria Kevstone² Avenal Distributed Solar Big Cajun II Etiwanda Avon Lake Middletown Avra Valley Guam Cedar Bayou Long Beach Brunot Island Montville Blythe Ivanpah Cedar Bayou³ Mandalay Cheswick New Castle Borrego Spanish Town Choctaw 4 Midway Sunset Conemaugh² Niles **Buffalo Bear** Bingham Lake Cottonwood Ormond Beach Connecticut Jets Oswego Crosswinds Broken Bow Greens Bayou Saguaro Devon Powerton **CVSR** Cedro Hill Gregory San Diego Jet Fisk Vienna Desert Sunlight Community Wind Limestone Sunrise Waukegan Hunterstown CC Distributed Solar Crofton Bluffs San Jacinto Watson Huntley Will County Dover Eastridge South Texas Project Indian River El Segundo Jeffers Sterlington4 Elbow Creek Langford TH Wharton Elkhorn Ridae Mountain Wind I&II WA Parish Forward Sherbino **GenOn Americas Generation Residential Solar** GenConn Devon (6,878 MW) Westridge GenConn Middletown (114 MW) Other Goat Wind Bowline Conventional Hardin Canal High Desert (22 MW) Martha's Vinevard Kansas South Other GenOn Mid-Atlantic Laredo Ridge Petra Nova Cogen (749 MW) (4,605 MW) Lookout Marsh Landing Doga Chalk Point Odin Gladstone **LEGEND** Dickerson Paxton Creek Morgantown Separate Credit Facility Pinnacle Princeton Agua Caliente⁵ **REMA** Roadrunner Four Brothers⁶ (2,300 MW) drop down to NRG Yield on San Juan Mesa Granite Mountain⁶ March 27, 2017 South Trent Iron Springs⁶ Sayreville Part of GenOn Energy, Blossburg **Equity Investments** Spanish Fork Shawnee Inc. Intercompany Gilbert Spring Canvon II & III Shawville Revolver first lien Hamilton Sleeping Bear Titus package and subject to Hunterstown CT Taloga Tolna covenants of GenOn Mountain Tucson Warren Unsecured Notes Orrtana Univ. of Bridgeport Portland Walnut Creek Wildorado

¹ Capacity controlled by NRG as of 03/31/2017; ² NRG and GenOn jointly own/lease portions of these plants; GenOn portion is subject to REMA liens; ³ Included as part of Peaker Finance Co; ⁴ Includes 275 MW related to Choctaw Unit 1 which is in forced outage and is expected to return to service in December 2017; ⁵ Agua Caliente is 51% owned by NRG Consolidated, of which 16% is owned by NRG Yield; ⁶ Four Brothers, Granite Mountain, and Iron Springs are 50% owned by NRG Yield



Consolidated Debt Structure



Note: Debt balances exclude discounts and premiums

5 \$64 MM of LC's were issued and \$431 MM of the Revolver was available at NYLD

¹ \$1,172 MM LC's issued and \$1,364 MM Revolver available at NRG

² \$125 MM cash draw to support LCs on the Morgantown (GENMA) operating leases. \$161 MM of LC's were issued (\$68 MM on behalf of GAG) with \$214 MM of the Intercompany Revolver remaining as available – see 1st quarter 2017 10Q for further details

³ The present value of lease payments (10% discount rate) for GenOn Mid-Atlantic operating lease is \$583 MM, and the present value of lease payments (9.4% discount rate) for REMA operating lease is \$346 MM ⁴ The present value of lease payments (9.1% discount rate) for Midwest Generation operating lease is \$88 MM; this lease is guaranteed by NRG Energy, Inc.

⁶ Includes Four Brothers Holdings, Iron Springs Renewables, and Granite Mountain Renewables following the drop down on 03/27/2017



Recourse / Non-Recourse Debt

(\$ millions)	03/	31/2017	12/	/31/2016	09,	/30/2016	06/	/30/2016
Recourse Debt								
Term Loan Facility	\$	1,886	\$	1,891	\$	1,895	\$	1,900
Senior Notes		5,449		5,449		5,827		5,889
Tax Exempt Bonds		455		455		455		455
Revolver		125		-		-		-
Capital Lease		8		-		-		-
Recourse Debt Subtotal	\$	7,923	\$	7,795	\$	8,177	\$	8,244
Non-Recourse Debt								
Total NRG Yield ^{1,2}	\$	6,051	\$	6,085	\$	5,733	\$	5,583
GenOn Senior Notes		1,830		1,830		1,830		1,830
GenOn Americas Generation Notes		695		695		695		695
GenOn Other (including capital leases) $^{\rm 3}$		97		98		54		55
Renewables (including capital leases) ²		2,661		2,592		2,586		2,487
Conventional		220		238		257		277
Non-Recourse Debt and Capital Lease Subtotal	\$	11,554	\$	11,538	\$	11,155	\$	10,927
Total Debt	\$	19,477	\$	19,333	\$	19,332	\$	19,171

Note: Debt balances exclude discounts and premiums

¹ Includes convertible notes and project financings, including \$179 MM related to Viento - NRG owns 25% of the project; ² NRG Yield has been recast following the CVSR drop down on 09/01/2016 and the Four Brothers, Iron Springs, and Granite Mountain drop down on 03/27/2017; ³ Excludes GenOn's intercompany revolver balance of \$125 MM



GenOn: Organizational Structure

(\$ millions) MWs and Balances as of 03.31.17 GenOn Energy, Inc. (15,394 MW) Subject to restricted payments 7.875% Unsecured Notes, due 2017 \$691 9.500% Unsecured Notes, due 2018 \$649 9.875% Unsecured Notes, due 2020 \$490 Secured Revolver from NRG Energy, Inc. (Intercompany)1 \$125 Total Debt² \$1,955 **Consolidated Cash Balance** \$885 GenOn Energy Holdings **REMA (2,300 MW)** GenOn Americas Generation (6,878 MW) (formerly "MAGI") Rest of GenOn Inc (6,216 MW) Capital Leases \$2 8.500% Senior Unsecured Notes, due 2021 \$366 Vendor Financing (Hunterstown) \$54 Operating Leases4 \$342 9.125% Senior Unsecured Notes, due 2031 \$329 Vendor Financing (Choctaw)6 \$41 Consolidated Cash Balance \$82 Total Debt⁵ \$695 Asset MW ISO Asset MW ISO Asset MW ISO Asset MW **ISO** Consolidated Cash Balance (includes "MIRMA") \$305 Hunterstown Avon Lake 659 PJM 810 Blossburg Portland PJM PJM 169 CCGT Brunot Island PJM Mandalay CAISO 259 560 PIM Conemaugh³ 282 PIM Savreville 217 Cheswick 565 New Castle 328 P1M Gilbert Shawnee 20 SERC PJM Choctaw 6 800 25 Shawville 603 Р1М Hamilton Ellwood CAISO Ormond Beach 1,516 CAISO GenOn Mid-Atlantic (4,605 MW) ("MIRMA") Rest of GenOn Americas (2,273 MW) Hunterstown CT 60 PIM Titus 31 Р1М Etiwanda 640 CAISO Keystone³ 285 Tolna 39 PJM No Debt Operating Leases⁴ \$597 57 P1M Mountain Warren **Consolidated Cash Balance** \$305 20 P1M Orrtanna Asset <u>MW</u> <u>ISO</u> Asset MW <u>ISO</u> · Chalk Point 2,279 PJM Bowline NYISO 849 PJM Dickerson Canal Units 1-2 1,112 **ISONE** 1,477 Martha's Vineyard ISONE ртм Morgantown

¹\$125 MM cash draw to support LCs on the Morgantown (GENMA) operating leases – see 1st quarter 2017 10Q for further details; ² Excludes premium of \$69 MM on GenOn debt; ³ REMA jointly leases portions of these plants; GenOn portion is subject to REMA liens; ⁴ The present value of the lease payments (10% discount rate at GenMA; 9.4% at REMA);

⁵ Excludes premiums of \$48 MM; ⁶ Includes 275 MW related to Choctaw Unit 1 which is in forced outage and is expected to return to service in December 2017



Schedule of Debt Maturities

		NRG	Nonrecours	rse to NRG Yield	
Issuance	Maturity Year	Recourse	GenOn		
7.875% GenOn Senior Notes	2017	\$ -	\$ 691	\$ -	
7.625% NRG Senior Notes	2018	398	-	٠.	
9.50% GenOn Senior Notes	2018	-	649		
	2018 Total	398	649		
3.5% NRG Yield, Inc. Convertible Notes	2019	-	-	345	
9.875% GenOn Senior Notes	2020	-	490		
3.25% NRG Yield, Inc. Convertible Notes	2020	_	-	288	
	2020 Total	-	490	288	
7.875% NRG Senior Notes	2021	207	-		
8.50% GenOn Americas Generation Senior Notes	2021	-	366		
	2021 Total	207	366		
4.750% Tax Exempt Bonds due 2022	2022	54	-		
5.25% NRG Senior Notes	2022	992	-		
	2022 Total	1,046	-		
NRG Term Loan	2023	1,886			
Revolver	2023	125			
6.625% NRG Senior Notes	2023	869	-	-	
	2023 Total	2,880	-		
5.25% NRG Senior Notes	2024	733	-	-	
5.375% Yield Operating LLC Senior Notes	2024	-		500	
	2024 Total	733	-	500	
7.25% NRG Senior Notes	2026	1,000	-		
5% NRG Yield Operating LLC Senior Notes	2026	-	-	350	
	2026 Total	1,000	-	350	
5.625% NRG Senior Notes	2027	1,250	-		
9.125% GenOn Americas Generation Senior Notes	2031	-	329	-	
5.0% Tax Exempt Bonds	2040	57	-		
1.750% Tax Exempt Bonds	2042	22	-		
4.750% Tax Exempt Bonds	2042	73	-		
5.875% Tax Exempt Bonds	2042	59	-	-	
	2042 Total	154	-		
5.375% Tax Exempt Bonds	2045	190	-		
1	Subtotal	7,915	2,525	1,483	
Non-Recourse Project Debt and Capital Leases	Various	8	97	4,568	
	Total Debt		\$ 2,622	\$ 6,051	

Note: Debt balances exclude discounts and premiums

¹ Includes project-level debt and capital leases that are non-recourse to NRG, GenOn and NRG Yield



Appendix: Reg. G Schedules



Reg. G: 1Q17 Free Cash Flow before Growth

(\$ millions)	03	3/31/2017
Adjusted EBITDAR	\$	445
Less: GenOn & EME operating lease expense		(33)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	412
Interest payments		(228)
Income tax		1
Collateral / working capital / other		(253)
Cash Flow from Operations	\$	(68)
Reclassifying of net receipts (payments) for settlement of acquired derivatives that include financing elements		1
Land Sale		8
Return of capital from equity investments ¹		14
Collateral		74
Adjusted Cash Flow from Operations	\$	29
Maintenance capital expenditures, net ²		(54)
Environmental capital expenditures, net		(25)
Distributions to non-controlling interests		(46)
Consolidated Free Cash Flow before Growth	\$	(96)
Less: FCFbG at Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries ³		(47)
NRG-Level Free Cash Flow before Growth	\$	(49)

¹ Represents cash distributions to NRG from equity investments; ² Includes insurance proceeds of \$18 MM; ³ Reflects impact from GenOn, NRG Yield, and other excluded project subsidiaries



Reg. G: 2017 Guidance

Appendix Table A-1: 2017 Guidance

The following table summarizes the calculation of Free Cash Flow before Growth and provides a reconciliation to Adjusted EBITDA

(\$ millions)	2017
	Guidance
Generation and Renewables	\$1,080 - \$1,200
Retail Mass	700 – 780
NRG Yield	920
Adjusted EBITDA	\$2,700 - \$2,900
Interest payments	(1,065)
Income tax	(40)
Working capital / other	(240)
Adjusted Cash Flow from Operations	\$1,355 - \$1,555
Maintenance capital expenditures, net	(280) - (310)
Environmental capital expenditures, net	(40) - (60)
Distributions to non-controlling interests ¹	(185) - (205)
Consolidated Free Cash Flow before Growth	\$800 - \$1,000
Less: FCFbG at Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries ²	(100)
NRG-Level Free Cash Flow before Growth	\$700 - \$900

¹ Includes NRG Yield distributions to public shareholders, and Capistrano and Solar distributions to non-controlling interests; ² Reflects impact from GenOn, NRG Yield, and other excluded project subsidiaries



Appendix Table A-2: First Quarter 2017 Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation by Operating Segment

(\$ millions)	Generation	Retail	Renewables	NRG Yield	Corp/Elim	Total
Net (loss)/income	67	(33)	(31)	(1)	(205)	(203)
Plus:						
Interest expense, net	20	1	21	76	147	265
Income tax	-	3	(6)	(1)	-	(4)
Loss on debt extinguishment	-	-	2	-	-	2
Depreciation and amortization	138	28	49	75	10	300
ARO Expense	13	-	-	1	-	14
Amortization of contracts	(5)	1	-	17	-	13
Amortization of leases	(12)	-	-	-	-	(12)
EBITDA	221	-	35	167	(48)	375
Adjustment to reflect NRG share of adjusted EBITDA in unconsolidated affiliates Acquisition-related transaction & integration	13	(3)	(4)	13	-	19
costs	-	-	-	1	-	1
Reorganization costs	-	-	-	-	8	8
Deactivation costs	3	-	-	-	1	4
Other non recurring charges Mark to market (MtM) (gains)/losses on	(1)	(1)	-	3	(2)	(1)
economic hedges	(125)	137	(6)	-	<u>-</u>	6
Adjusted EBITDA	111	133	25	184	(41)	412



Appendix Table A-3: First Quarter 2016 Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation by Operating Segment

(\$ millions)	Generation	Retail	Renewables	NRG Yield	Corp/Elim	Total
Net (Loss)/Income	191	150	(40)	2	(256)	47
Plus:						
Interest expense, net	10	-	27	74	170	281
Income tax	-	-	(6)	-	27	21
Gain on debt extinguishment	-	-	-	-	(11)	(11)
Depreciation and amortization	144	30	48	74	17	313
ARO Expense	9	-	-	1	-	10
Amortization of contracts	(2)	3	-	23	(3)	21
Amortization of leases	(12)	-	-	-	-	(12)
EBITDA	340	183	29	174	(56)	670
Adjustment to reflect NRG share of adjusted EBITDA in unconsolidated affiliates	9	-	-	24	1	34
Reorganization costs	1	5	2	-	2	10
Deactivation costs	7	-	-	-	-	7
Gain on sale of business	(29)	-	-	-	-	(29)
Other non recurring charges	2	1	3	-	3	9
Impairments	137	-	-	-	9	146
MtM (gains)/losses on economic hedges	(1)	(33)	(1)	-	-	(35)
Adjusted EBITDA	466	156	33	198	(41)	812



Appendix Table A-4: First Quarter 2017 Regional Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation for Generation

(\$ millions)	Gulf Coast	East	West	Other	Total
Net (loss)/income	39	36	(7)	(1)	67
Plus:					
Interest expense, net	1	19	-	-	20
Depreciation and amortization	73	59	6	-	138
ARO expense	4	6	3	-	13
Amortization of contracts	2	(5)	(2)	-	(5)
Amortization of leases	-	(12)	-	-	(12)
EBITDA	119	103	-	(1)	220
Adjustment to reflect NRG share of adjusted EBITDA in unconsolidated affiliates	7		3	3	13
Deactivation costs	-	1	2	-	3
Other non recurring charges	-	(2)	1	-	(1)
Mark-to- Market (MtM) losses on economic hedges	(121)	3	(7)	-	(125)
Adjusted EBITDA	5	105	(1)	3	111



Appendix Table A-5: First Quarter 2016 Regional Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation for Generation

(\$ millions)	Gulf Coast	East	West	Other	Total
Net loss	(125)	242	30	44	191
Plus:					
Interest expense, net	-	10	-	-	10
Depreciation and amortization	76	53	15	-	144
ARO expense	3	4	2	-	9
Amortization of contracts	2	(5)	1	-	(2)
Amortization of leases	(1)	(11)	-	-	(12)
EBITDA	(45)	293	48	44	340
Adjustment to reflect NRG share of adjusted EBITDA in unconsolidated affiliates	3	-	2	4	9
Reorganization costs	1	-	-	-	1
Deactivation costs	-	7	-	-	7
Gain on sale of assets	-	(29)	-	2	(29) 2
Other non recurring charges Impairments	137		- -	-	137
MtM (gains)/losses on economic	26	(30)	3	_	(1)
hedges					
Adjusted EBITDA	122	241	53	50	466



Appendix Table A-6: Expected Full Year 2017 Free Cash Flow before Growth Reconciliation for GenOn Energy, Inc., and NRG Yield (NYLD) / Other¹: The following table summarizes the calculation of Free Cash Flow before Growth and provides a reconciliation to Adjusted EBITDA

(\$ millions)	2017 FY				
	Genon	NYLD /Other	Total		
Adjusted EBITDA	130	1,265	1,395		
Interest payments	(240)	(350)	(590)		
Collateral / working capital / other	(125)	(143)	(268)		
Cash Flow from Operations	(235)	772	537		
Maintenance capital expenditures, net	(70)	(35)	(105)		
Environmental capital expenditures, net	(15)	-	(15)		
Distributions to NRG	-	(142)	(142)		
Distributions to non-controlling interests	-	(175)	(175)		
Free Cash Flow before Growth	(320)	420	100		

¹ Includes NRG Yield and other assets (primarily Aqua Caliente, Ivanpah, and Capistrano)



Appendix Table A-7: 2017 Adjusted EBITDA Guidance Reconciliation: The following table summarizes the calculation of Adjusted EBITDA providing reconciliation to net income:

	2017 Adjusted EBITD Guidance		
(\$ millions)	Low	High	
GAAP Net Income ¹	60	260	
Income tax	80	80	
Interest Expense and Debt Extinguishment Costs	1,155	1,155	
Depreciation, Amortization, Contract Amortization and ARO Expense	1,235	1,235	
Adjustment to reflect NRG share of adjusted EBITDA in unconsolidated affiliates	110	110	
Other Costs ²	60	60	
Adjusted EBITDA	2,700	2,900	

¹ For purposes of guidance, fair value accounting related to derivatives are assumed to be zero.

² Includes deactivation costs, gain on sale of businesses, asset write-offs, impairments and EVgo Califonia settlement



Appendix Table A-8: Expected Full Year 2017 Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation for GenOn Energy, Inc., ROFO/ Other^{1,2}, and NRG Yield²

(\$ millions)	Genon	ROFO/Other	NRG Yield
Net (loss)/income	(161)	53	140
Plus:			
Income tax	-	(5)	25
Interest expense, net	186	88	290
Depreciation, Amortization, Contract Amortization, and ARO Expense	133	198	381
EBITDA	158	334	836
Adjustment to reflect NRG share of adjusted EBITDA in unconsolidated affiliates	-	(10)	80
Deactivation costs	22	-	-
Other non-recurring charges	-	-	4
Mark to market (MtM) losses on economic hedges	(50)	21	-
Plus: Operating lease expense	112	21	-
Adjusted EBITDAR	242	366	920
Less: Operating lease expense	(112)	(21)	-
Adjusted EBITDA	130	345	920

¹ Includes Aqua Caliente, Ivanpah, Midwest Generation, Capistrano, and other assets; ² In accordance with GAAP, restated to reflect impact of Utah Solar and NRG's 31% interest in Agua Caliente drop down to NRG Yield



EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are non-GAAP financial measures. These measurements are not recognized in accordance with GAAP and should not be viewed as an alternative to GAAP measures of performance. The presentation of Adjusted EBITDA should not be construed as an inference that NRG's future results will be unaffected by unusual or non-recurring items.

EBITDA represents net income before interest (including loss on debt extinguishment), taxes, depreciation and amortization. EBITDA is presented because NRG considers it an important supplemental measure of its performance and believes debt-holders frequently use EBITDA to analyze operating performance and debt service capacity. EBITDA has limitations as an analytical tool, and you should not consider it in isolation, or as a substitute for analysis of our operating results as reported under GAAP. Some of these limitations are:

EBITDA does not reflect cash expenditures, or future requirements for capital expenditures, or contractual commitments;

EBITDA does not reflect changes in, or cash requirements for, working capital needs;

EBITDA does not reflect the significant interest expense, or the cash requirements necessary to service interest or principal payments, on debt or cash income tax payments;

Although depreciation and amortization are non-cash charges, the assets being depreciated and amortized will often have to be replaced in the future, and EBITDA does not reflect any cash requirements for such replacements; and

Other companies in this industry may calculate EBITDA differently than NRG does, limiting its usefulness as a comparative measure.

Because of these limitations, EBITDA should not be considered as a measure of discretionary cash available to use to invest in the growth of NRG's business. NRG compensates for these limitations by relying primarily on our GAAP results and using EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA only supplementally. See the statements of cash flow included in the financial statements that are a part of this news release.

Adjusted EBITDA is presented as a further supplemental measure of operating performance. As NRG defines it, Adjusted EBITDA represents EBITDA excluding impairment losses, gains or losses on sales, dispositions or retirements of assets, any mark-to-market gains or losses from accounting for derivatives, adjustments to exclude the Adjusted EBITDA related to the non-controlling interest, gains or losses on the repurchase, modification or extinguishment of debt, the impact of restructuring and any extraordinary, unusual or non-recurring items plus adjustments to reflect the Adjusted EBITDA from our unconsolidated investments. The reader is encouraged to evaluate each adjustment and the reasons NRG considers it appropriate for supplemental analysis. As an analytical tool, Adjusted EBITDA is subject to all of the limitations applicable to EBITDA. In addition, in evaluating Adjusted EBITDA, the reader should be aware that in the future NRG may incur expenses similar to the adjustments in this news release.

Management believes Adjusted EBITDA is useful to investors and other users of NRG's financial statements in evaluating its operating performance because it provides an additional tool to compare business performance across companies and across periods and adjusts for items that we do not consider indicative of NRG's future operating performance. This measure is widely used by debt-holders to analyze operating performance and debt service capacity and by equity investors to measure our operating performance without regard to items such as interest expense, taxes, depreciation and amortization, which can vary substantially from company to company depending upon accounting methods and book value of assets, capital structure and the method by which assets were acquired. Management uses Adjusted EBITDA as a measure of operating performance to assist in comparing performance from period to period on a consistent basis and to readily view operating trends, as a measure for planning and forecasting overall expectations, and for evaluating actual results against such expectations, and in communications with NRG's Board of Directors, shareholders, creditors, analysts and investors concerning its financial performance.



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Adjusted cash flow from operating activities is a non-GAAP measure NRG provides to show cash from operations with the reclassification of net payments of derivative contracts acquired in business combinations from financing to operating cash flow, as well as the add back of merger, integration and related restructuring costs. The Company provides the reader with this alternative view of operating cash flow because the cash settlement of these derivative contracts materially impact operating revenues and cost of sales, while GAAP requires NRG to treat them as if there was a financing activity associated with the contracts as of the acquisition dates. The Company adds back merger, integration related restructuring costs as they are one time and unique in nature and do not reflect ongoing cash from operations and they are fully disclosed to investors.

Free cash flow (before Growth investments) is adjusted cash flow from operations less maintenance and environmental capital expenditures, net of funding, preferred stock dividends and distributions to non-controlling interests and is used by NRG predominantly as a forecasting tool to estimate cash available for debt reduction and other capital allocation alternatives. The reader is encouraged to evaluate each of these adjustments and the reasons NRG considers them appropriate for supplemental analysis. Because we have mandatory debt service requirements (and other non-discretionary expenditures) investors should not rely on free cash flow before Growth investments as a measure of cash available for discretionary expenditures.

Free Cash Flow before Growth Investment is utilized by Management in making decisions regarding the allocation of capital. Free Cash Flow before Growth Investment is presented because the Company believes it is a useful tool for assessing the financial performance in the current period. In addition, NRG's peers evaluate cash available for allocation in a similar manner and accordingly, it is a meaningful indicator for investors to benchmark NRG's performance against its peers. Free Cash Flow before Growth Investment is a performance measure and is not intended to represent net income (loss), cash from operations (the most directly comparable U.S. GAAP measure), or liquidity and is not necessarily comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies.