

Investor FactBook

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Unless otherwise noted all numbers are as of June 30, 2019

FirstEnergy Overview



We are a forward-thinking electric utility powered by a diverse team of employees committed to making customers' lives brighter, the environment better and our communities stronger

$41B Total Assets	6M Total Customers in Six States	25K Transmission Miles
65K Square Miles of Service Territory	$20B Rate Base	12K Employees

FE's Value Proposition

NYSE **Ticker: FE**

A premier customer-focused, pure-play regulated utility

Driving sustainable, long-term regulated earnings growth and a competitive dividend	Improving balance sheet with investment-grade credit ratings

10 distribution utilities, 6M customers, 6 states

3 FERC-regulated transmission utilities on formula rates

Significant organic growth opportunities

6% – 8%
Operating EPS CAGR Target 2018-2021

5%
Distribution Segment Rate Base CAGR

11%
Formula Transmission Rate Base CAGR

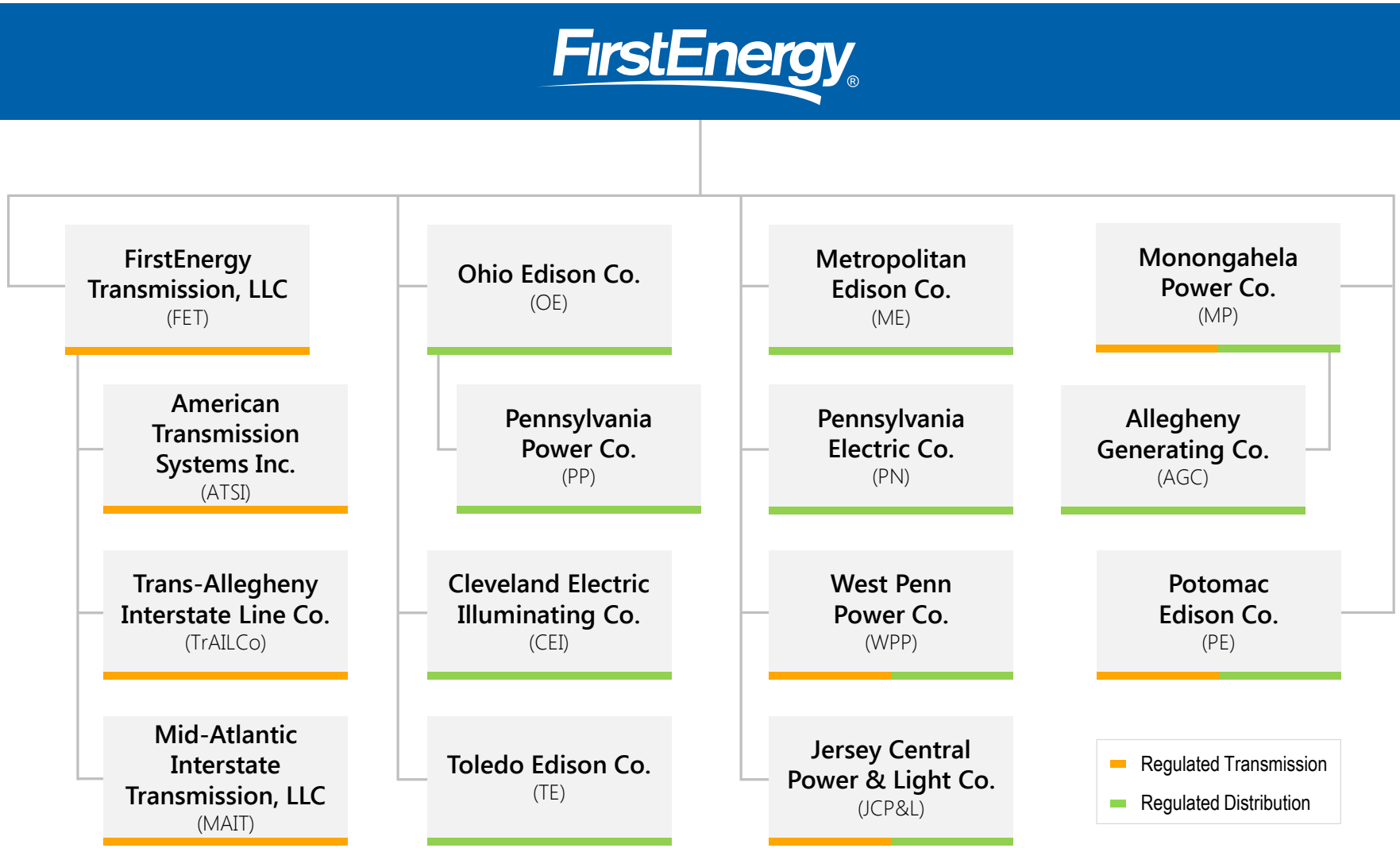
55%-65%
Targeted Dividend Payout Ratio

~4%
Current Dividend Yield

Proven track record of operational execution

Strong relationships in constructive jurisdictions

Focused on customer satisfaction and reliability



Not an all-encompassing legal entity view; FirstEnergy has subsidiaries that are not shown

Political Overview

(P) President
(C) Chair
(VC) Vice Chair



Governor		
Michael DeWine	R	2023
PUCO		
Samuel Randazzo (C)	R	2024
M. Beth Trombold (VC)	I	2023
Lawrence K. Friedman	D	2020
Dennis P. Deters	R	2021
Daniel R. Conway	R	2022



Governor		
Thomas W. Wolf	D	2023
PA PUC		
Gladys Dutrieuille (C)	D	2023
David W. Sweet (VC)	D	2021
Andrew G. Place	D	2020
John F. Coleman, Jr.	R	2022
Norman J. Kennard	R	2019



Governor		
Phillip D. Murphy	D	2022
NJ BPU		
Joseph L. Fiordaliso (P)	D	2025
Dianne Solomon	R	2019
Robert Gordon	D	2023
Upendra Chivukula	D	2020
Mary-Anna Holden	R	2021



Governor		
James C. Justice, Jr.	R	2021
WV PSC		
Charlotte R. Lane (C)	R	2025
Brooks F. McCabe, Jr.	D	2021
Renee A. Larrick	R	2023



Governor		
Lawrence J. Hogan	R	2022
MD PSC		
Jason M. Stanek (C)	R	2023
Mindy L. Herman	D	2024
Michael T. Richard	R	2020
Anthony J. O'Donnell	R	2021
Odogwu (Obi) Linton	D	2022



FERC		
Neil Chatterjee (C)	R	2021
Cheryl A. LeFleur [1]	D	2019
Richard Glick	D	2022
Bernard L. McNamee	R	2020

Qualifications: Up to five commissioners who serve five-year terms; appointed by the President with advice/consent of Senate

[1] Announced she will be leaving FERC at the end of August 2019

Regulatory Calendar

Jurisdiction	Key Dates
OHIO	
• PUCO approval of Grid Mod/Tax Reform Settlement	July 17, 2019
• Base Rate Case freeze ends	May 2024
NEW JERSEY	
• NJ BPU "JCP&L Reliability Plus" infrastructure investment plan decision settlement order	May 8, 2019
PENNSYLVANIA	
• LTIIP Filing	August 2019
MARYLAND	
• PE Base Rate Case Filing	By early 2023
• PE Base Rate Case Depreciation Study	By September 2020
WEST VIRGINIA	
• Integrated Resource Plan Filing	By January 1, 2021
FERC	
• JCP&L Transmission Formula Rate Filing	October 2019

Not an exhaustive list of regulatory filings or proceedings

Regulated Transmission



REGULATED TRANSMISSION

A PREMIER, FAST-GROWING TRANSMISSION BUSINESS

One of the largest transmission systems in PJM with 25K miles of transmission lines.
Focused on *Energizing the Future* and improving the reliability of our nation's electric grid.
FERC-regulated, forward-looking rates at ATSI, TrAILCo, and MAIT.
FERC-regulated, stated rates at JCP&L, WPP, MP, and PE.

$1.2B
Planned Annual CapEx

11%
Formula Rate Base CAGR 2018-2021

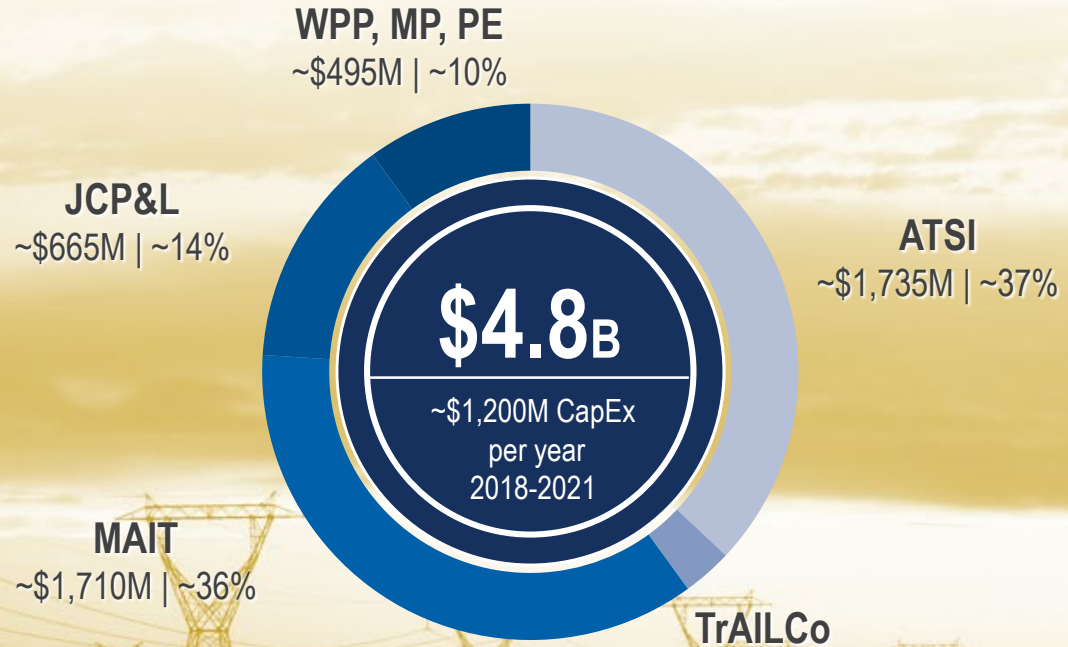
80%
Recovery via Formula Rates

Allowed, Formula Rate
ROEs
Between 10.3% and 11.7%

$20B+
CapEx Opportunities beyond 2021

$6B
Rate Base

Regulated Transmission Capital Deployment Plan



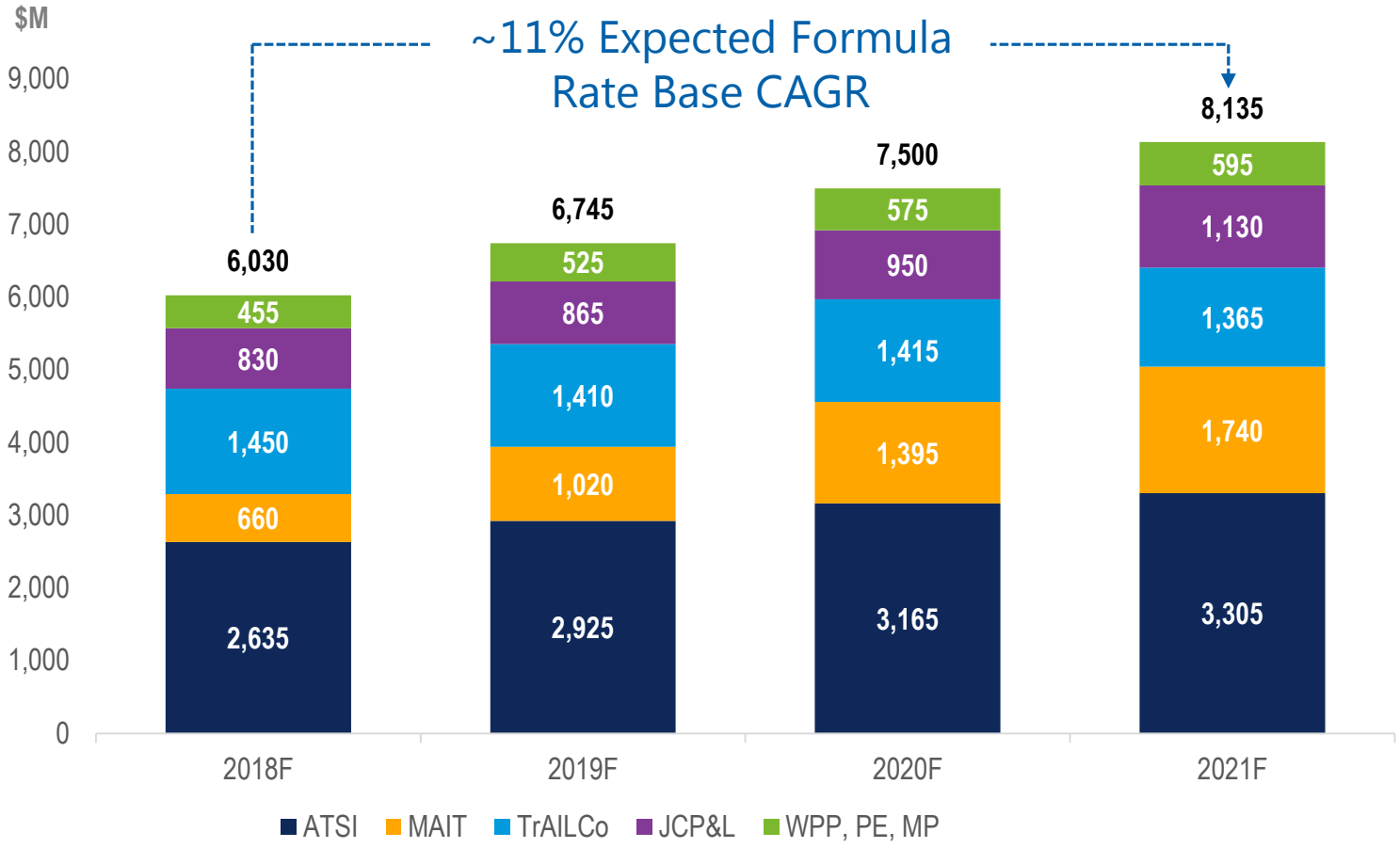
$20B+ FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES beyond 2021…

Regulated Transmission Capital Plan (2018-2021)

Energizing the Future Plan – Phase 2
~$4.8B in capital investments

($M)	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F
ATSI	$465	$445	$390	$435
TrAILCo	35	65	30	30
MAIT	409	435	415	450
JCP&L	107	140	245	175
WPP, MP, PE	149	115	120	110
Regulated Transmission Total	**$1,165**	**$1,200**	**$1,200**	**$1,200**

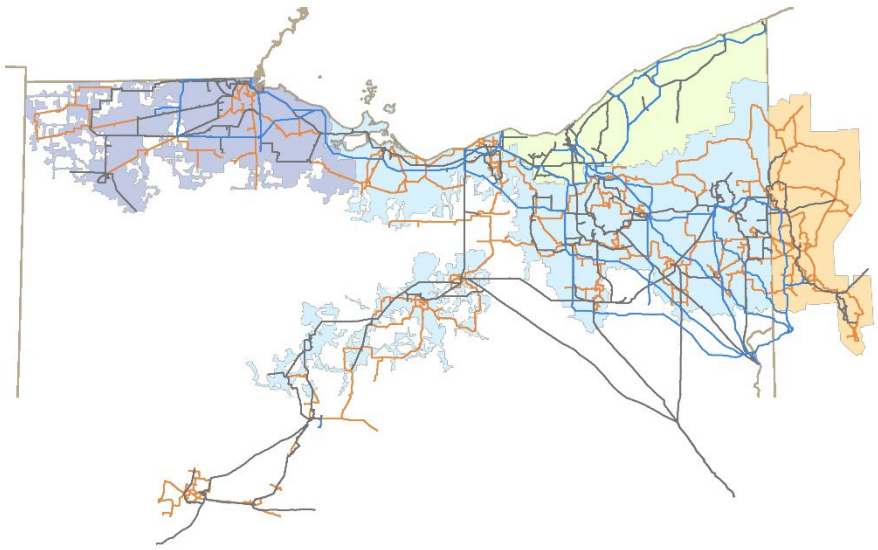
Regulated Transmission Rate Base Growth (2018-2021)



ATSI Overview

ATSI®

American Transmission Systems, Inc.
a subsidiary of FirstEnergy Corp.



69 kV
138 kV
345 kV

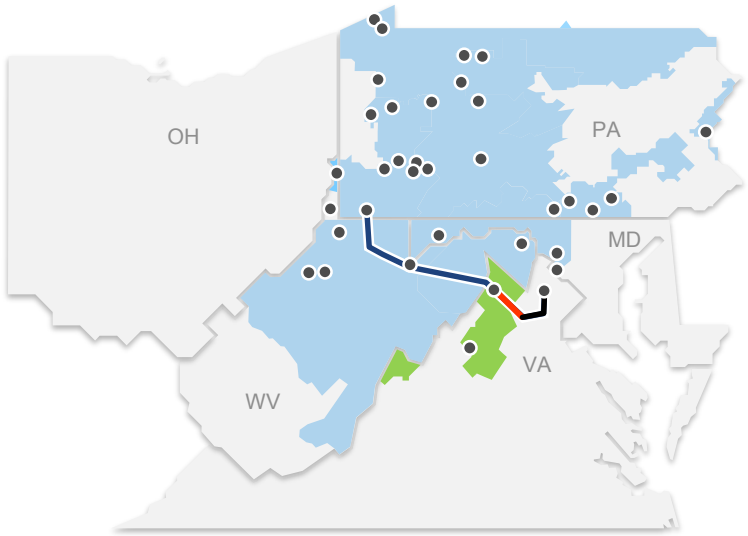
Ohio Edison
Penn Power
The Illuminating Company
Toledo Edison

Jurisdiction	FERC
Test Year	Forward-Looking
Term	January – December
Filing Month	October
Allowed ROE	10.38%
Rate Base	$2.9B(1)
Cap Structure	40% Debt / 60% Equity(1)
Location	OE, PP, CEI, and TE
True-Up Mechanism	Yes

(1) Represents projected average rate base and capital structure from its 2019 Projected Transmission Revenue Requirement filing for the period January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2019

TrAILCo Overview

TrAILCo™
A FirstEnergy Company



- FirstEnergy Utility Service Area
- FirstEnergy VA Transmission Zone
- TrAIL 500 kV Line
- Substation
- FE TrAIL 50% Joint Ownership with Dominion Resources
- Dominion Resources Owned

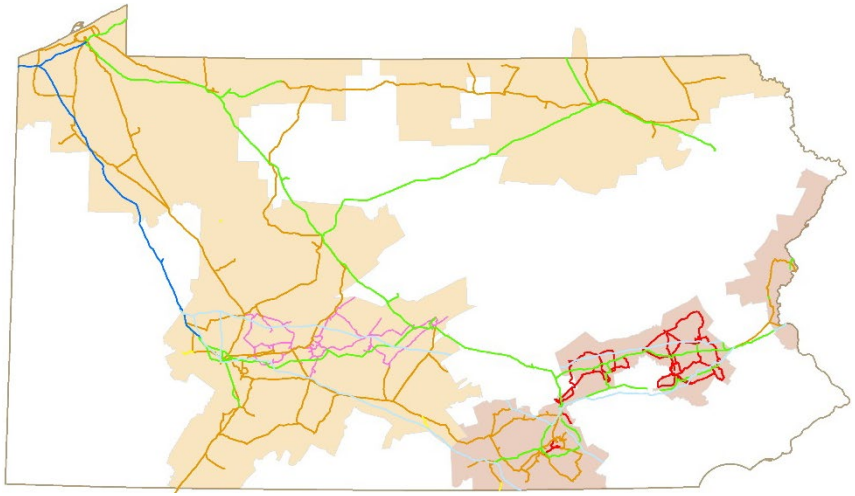
Jurisdiction	FERC
Test Year	Forward-Looking
Term	June – Following May
Filing Month	May
Allowed ROE	12.7% (TrAIL the Line & Black Oak SVC) 11.7% (All other projects)
Rate Base	$1.5B(1)
Cap Structure	40% Debt / 60% Equity(1)
Location	WPP, MP, and PE as well as some portions of ME and PN
True-Up Mechanism	Yes

(1) Represents projected average rate base and actual year-end cap structure from its 2019 Formula Rate Annual updated filing for the period June 1, 2019, through May 31, 2020

MAIT Overview

MAIT™

Mid-Atlantic Interstate Transmission, LLC
A FirstEnergy Company

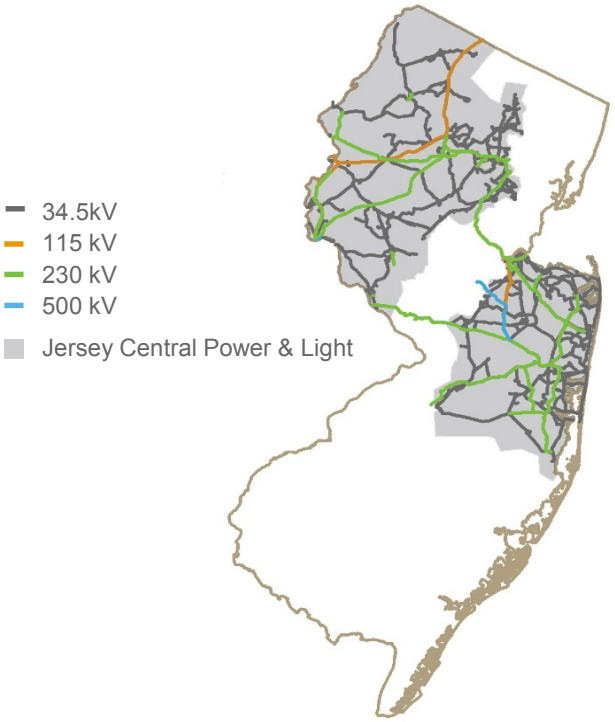


46 kV
69 kV
115 kV
138 kV
230 kV
345 kV
500 kV
Penelec
Met-Ed

Jurisdiction	FERC
Test Year	Forward-Looking
Term	January – December
Filing Month	October
Allowed ROE	10.3%
Rate Base	$1.0B(1)
Cap Structure	41% Debt / 59% Equity(1)
Location	ME, PN
True-Up Mechanism	Yes

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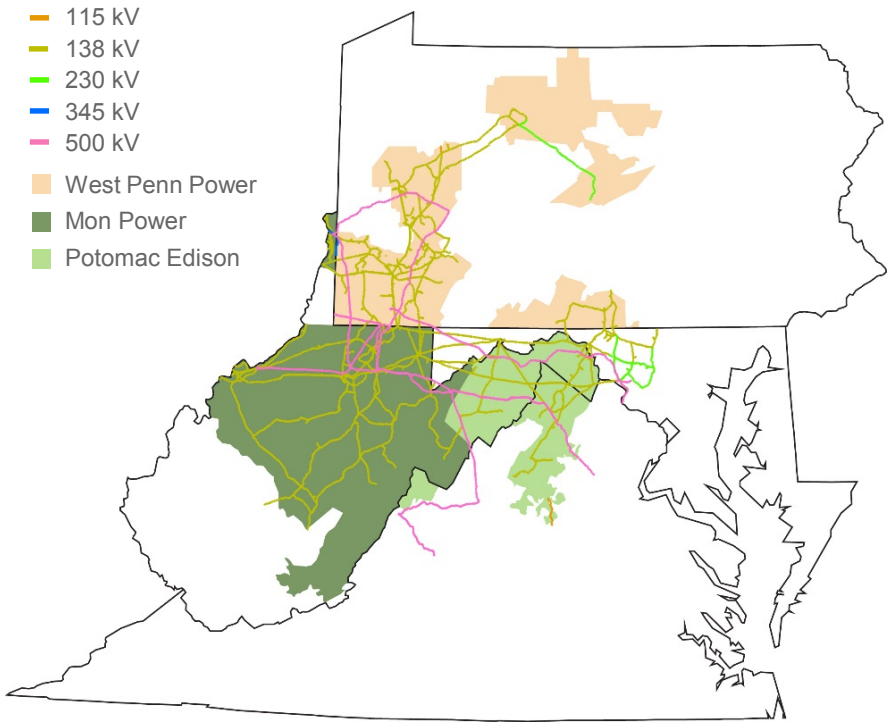
JCP&L Transmission Overview



Jurisdiction	FERC
Rate Base	$830M
Location	JCP&L

- JCP&L transmission assets on Stated Rates based on Black Box Settlement effective June 1, 2017
- Plan to file for forward-looking, formula rates in October 2019

WPP, **MP**, **PE** Transmission Overview



Jurisdiction	FERC
Rate Base	$455M
Location	WPP, MP, PE

- Represents the transmission systems of WPP, MP and PE which comprise the Allegheny Power Zone in PJM
- Stated rate updated effective March 2018 to reflect the reduction in federal tax rate from 35% to 21%
- May move to a forward-looking, formula rate in the future if appropriate

Regulated Distribution



REGULATED DISTRIBUTION

A DIVERSE COLLECTION OF UTILITIES DELIVERING SUSTAINABLE GROWTH

Territory spans 65k sq. mi. across the Midwest & Mid-Atlantic regions - one of the largest contiguous territories in the USA.
Focused on investments that customers value and are willing to pay for while providing attractive returns for our investors.
Balanced customer mix of 1/3 residential, 1/3 commercial, 1/3 industrial.

Up to **$1.7B** Planned Annual CapEx

5% Rate Base CAGR 2018-2021

$14B Rate Base

6M Total Customers in Six States

10 Utility Operating Companies

3,790MW Regulated Generation (primarily in WV)

Regulated Distribution Capital Plan (2018-2021)

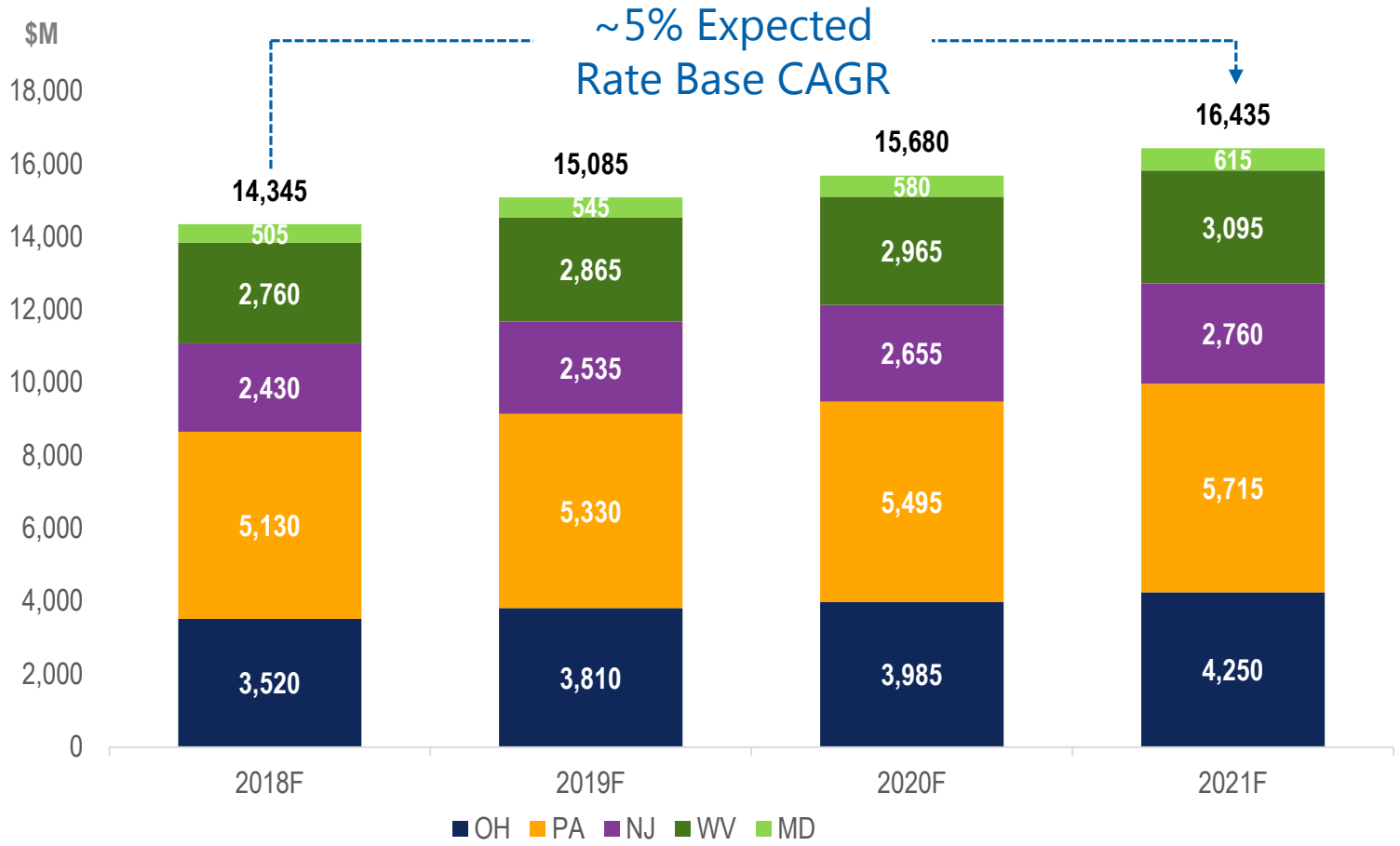
$6.2B – $6.7B in capital investments 2018-2021

($M)	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F
Ohio	**$370**	**$505-$510**	**$480-$545**	**$490-$555**
Stated	85	70	70	70
Formula	285	435-440	410-475	420-485
Pennsylvania	**$666**	**$590-$595**	**$500-$515**	**$485-$495**
Stated	446	430	430	415
Formula	220	160-165	70-85	70-80
New Jersey	**$268**	**$205-$290**	**$205-$315**	**$205-$310**
Stated	268	205	205	205
Formula	-	0-85	0-110	0-105
West Virginia / Maryland	**$331**	**$300-$305**	**$315-$325**	**$320-$340**
Stated	286	255-260	285-295	290-310
Formula	45	45	30	30
Regulated Distribution Total	**$1,635**	**$1,600-$1,700**	**$1,500-$1,700**	**$1,500-$1,700**

2018A-2019F Regulated Distribution Capital Expenditures

($M)	2018A	2019F
Ohio	**$370**	**$505-$510**
CEI	156	155
OE	165	295-300
TE	49	55
Pennsylvania	**$666**	**$590-$595**
ME	194	180
PN	191	150
PP	54	50
WPP	227	210-215
New Jersey (JCP&L)	**$268**	**$205-$290**
West Virginia / Maryland	**$331**	**$300-$305**
MP	217	190-195
PE	114	110
Regulated Distribution Total	**$1,635**	**$1,600-$1,700**

Regulated Distribution Rate Base Growth (2018-2021)



Weather-Adjusted Distribution Deliveries

Total Deliveries

M MWHs



	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F	2018A-2021F CAGR %
Total	**148.5**	**148.6**	**147.7**	**148.3**	**-0.0%**
OH	52.6	52.6	52.3	52.4	-0.1%
PA	52.8	51.8	51.2	51.3	-1.0%
WV	15.6	16.6	17.0	17.6	4.2%
NJ	20.5	20.5	20.2	20.1	-0.7%
MD	7.0	7.1	7.0	6.9	-0.2%

Projected WV load growth CAGR of ~4% through 2021F, primarily from ~8% growth in the Industrial class

Residential



	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F	2018A-2021F CAGR %
Sub-Total	**53.4**	**53.3**	**52.7**	**52.4**	**-0.7%**
OH	17.0	16.9	16.7	16.7	-0.6%
PA	18.5	18.1	17.8	17.8	-1.4%
WV	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.6	1.1%
NJ	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.1	-0.6%
MD	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	-0.2%

Commercial



	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F	2018A-2021F CAGR %
Sub-Total	**42.1**	**42.1**	**41.7**	**41.5**	**-0.4%**
OH	15.0	15.1	15.0	14.9	-0.1%
PA	12.3	12.1	12.0	11.9	-1.1%
WV	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	1.4%
NJ	9.0	9.0	8.8	8.8	-0.8%
MD	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	0.3%

Industrial



	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F	2018A-2021F CAGR %
Sub-Total	**53.0**	**53.2**	**53.3**	**54.4**	**0.9%**
OH	20.6	20.6	20.6	20.8	0.3%
PA	22.0	21.6	21.4	21.6	-0.6%
WV	6.5	7.1	7.5	8.2	8.0%
NJ	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	-0.7%
MD	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	-0.8%

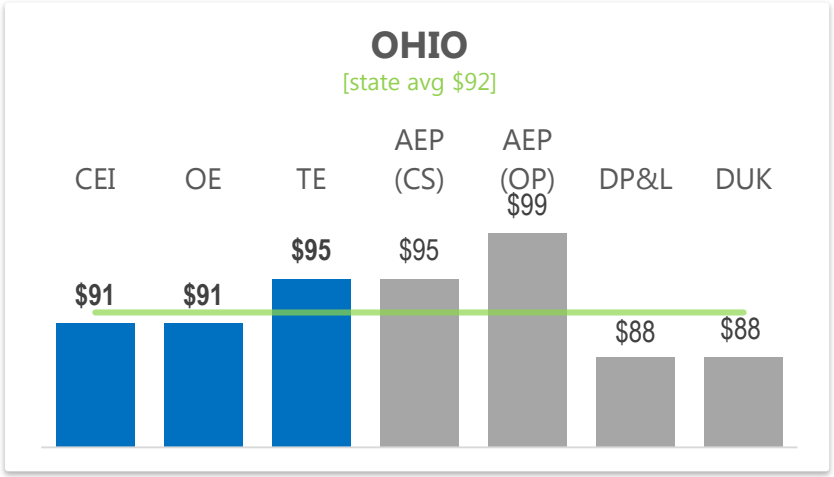
Regulated Distribution Guidance Sensitivities

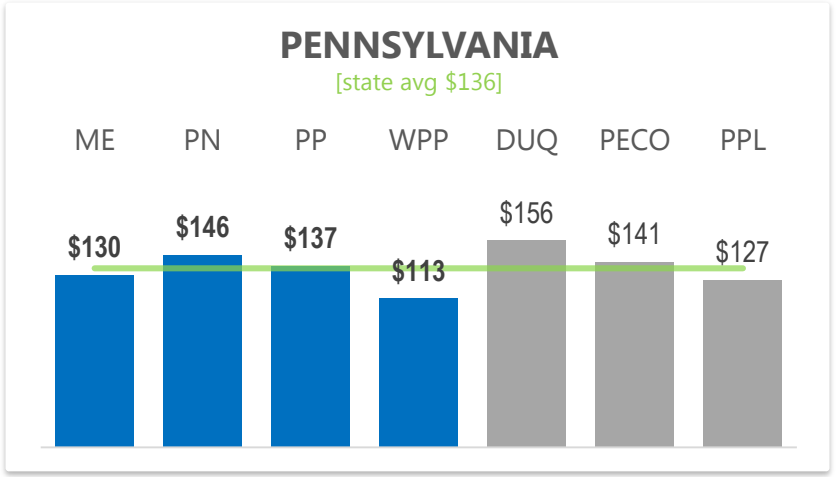
Estimated Impact of Annual Retail Sales Volumes	
+ / - 1% Change in Residential Deliveries	~$0.03/share
+ / - 1% Change in Commercial Deliveries	~$0.01/share
+ / - 1% Change in Industrial Deliveries	~$0.004/share

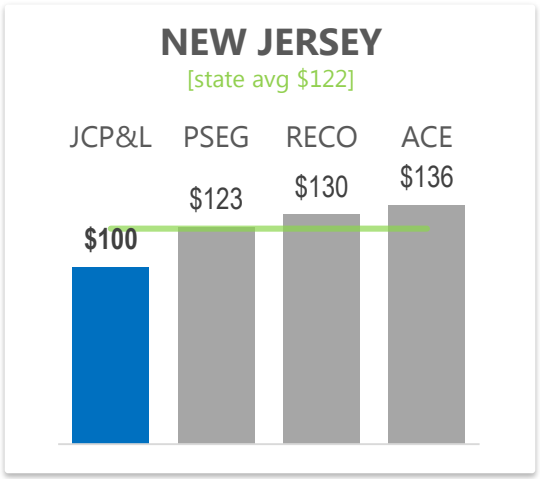
Weather Impact on Residential/Commercial Sales Volumes	
+ / - 86 HDD vs. normal (Dec-Mar)	~$0.01/share
+ / - 28 CDD vs. normal (June-Sept)	~$0.01/share

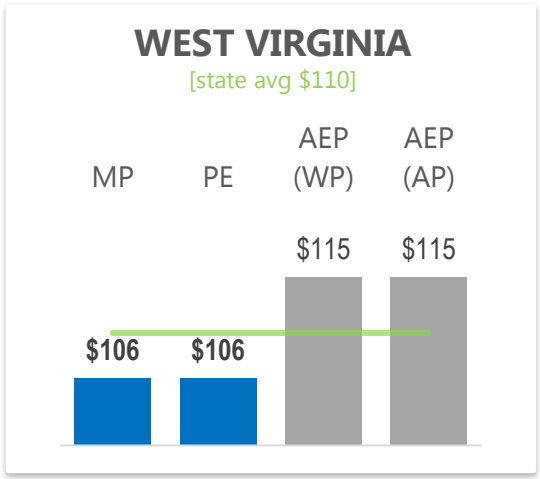
Average Customer Bills

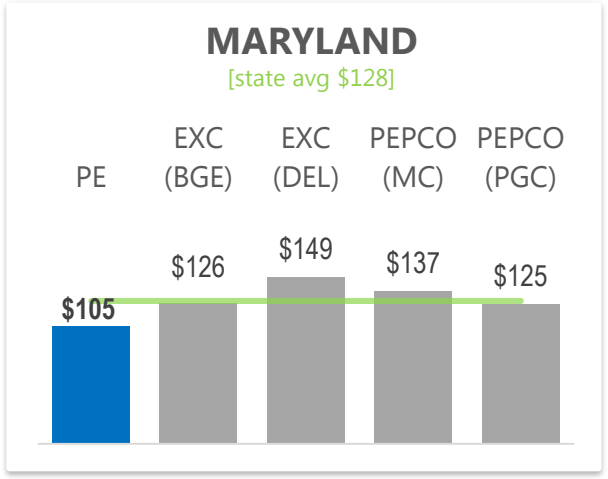
Rates Effective January 1, 2019











Average residential monthly usage in OH and NJ 750 kWh, all other states 1,000 kWh

Typical bills for CEI, OE, and TE do not include base distribution revenue related income tax savings that will be returned to customers under the TCJA settlement approved by the PUCO

Capital and O&M Benchmarking

MEASURE	Distribution Capital QUARTILE / RANK	Distribution O&M QUARTILE / RANK
Per Circuit Mile	1st	2nd
Per Customer	3rd	8th
Per Substation	1st	6th
Per Pole	1st	4th

Performance Quartile Key: 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th

CAPITAL

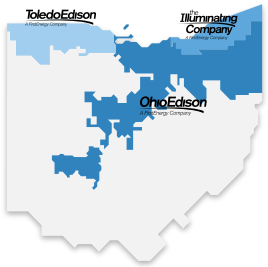
FirstEnergy continues to have significant investment opportunities in the Distribution system as a 1st quartile performer compared to peers

O&M

O&M costs of the Distribution system support FirstEnergy as a 1st and 2nd quartile performer compared to peers

Source: 2018 Transmission & Distribution Benchmarking by First Quartile Consulting

Ohio **Overview** (1 of 2)



CUSTOMERS: 2.1M

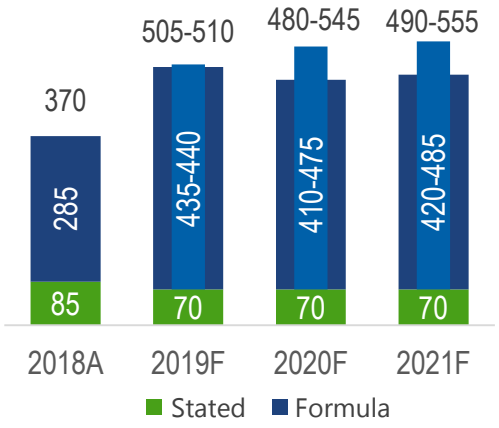
INDUSTRIES SERVED: Primary and Fabricated Metals, Chemical, Automotive, Petroleum, Plastics & Rubber

REGULATORY STRATEGY

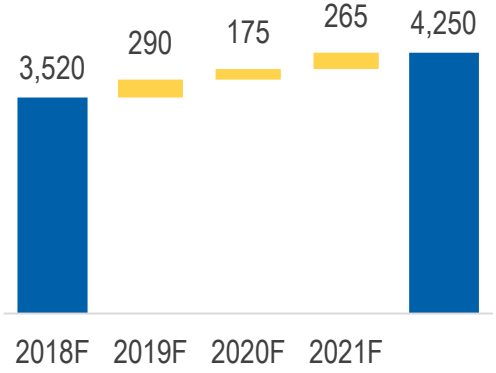
- Utilities are required to file applications to establish either an Electric Security Plan (ESP) or a Market Rate Offer to provide customers default generation service, also known as a standard service offer. ESPs establish the pricing and supply of generation service, and may include provisions regarding distribution system investments, grid modernization, economic development and job retention initiatives, and energy efficiency measures.
- OE, CEI, and TE currently operate under ESP IV, which freezes base rates through its duration ending 5/31/2024
- Rider DMR was approved for a 3 year period and OE, CEI, and TE filed 2 year extension for 2020 and 2021 (see slide 50 for an update on the status of Rider DMR)
- Continued use of riders/surcharges to ensure fair & timely recovery

2018-2021 GROWTH PROJECTIONS ($M)

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES



RATE BASE



LAST APPROVED RATE CASE STATISTICS (Jan. 2009)

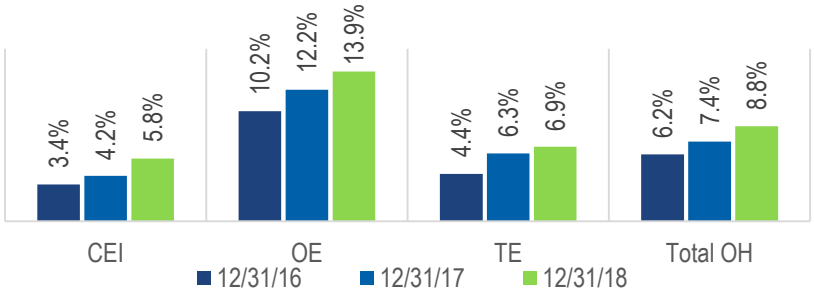
$2.7B Dx Rate Base	**10.5%** Allowed Return on Equity
51:49 Allowed Debt / Equity	**12 mos. ended Feb. 2008** Test Year

SERVICES PROVIDED

- OE, CEI, and TE provide Distribution service to ~1,050K, 750K and 310K customers, respectively
- Transmission assets are owned and operated by ATSI

Ohio **Overview** (2 of 2)

ROE TRENDS - REGULATORY VIEW



- SEET – established via Ohio statute; administered by PUCO to evaluate the earnings of the electric utilities' approved ESP. SEET ROE threshold calculated annually based on comparable companies analysis.
  - Adjustments authorized under ESP IV, e.g. excludes DMR
  - Adjustments for Affiliate Company Earnings Include
    - Subsidiary earnings (PP), associated company revenues/expenses and interest/dividend income
  - Adjustments for Special or Non-Recurring Items Include
    - Pension/OPEB – Mark-to-market
    - Out-of-period activities and one-time gains/losses
- In July, a change to Ohio legislation passed that allows our utilities to file one combined SEET

RECOVERY MECHANISMS

Rider	Overview	Reconciled
DCR	Recovers return on/of incremental rate base since last rate case; subject to annual revenue caps	Quarterly
DMR [1]	Provides FE with credit support to make grid mod investments; currently authorized to collect $132.5M annually after-tax; excluded from SEET	Annually
AMI	Recovery of commission approved grid modernization programs	Quarterly
DSE	Recovery of costs associated with energy efficiency and demand response programs and lost distribution revenues	Semi-Annual
NMB	Recovery of non-market based transmission costs	Annually
GEN	Recovery of purchased power costs associated with being provider of last resort	Annually

[1] See slide 50 for an update on the status of Rider DMR

STORM COSTS

O&M Deferral: $26M YE 2018 regulatory asset

PENSION/OPEB

Expense recovery based on service costs (last rate case)

TAX REFORM

Tax Rate: Completed
EDIT: Completed

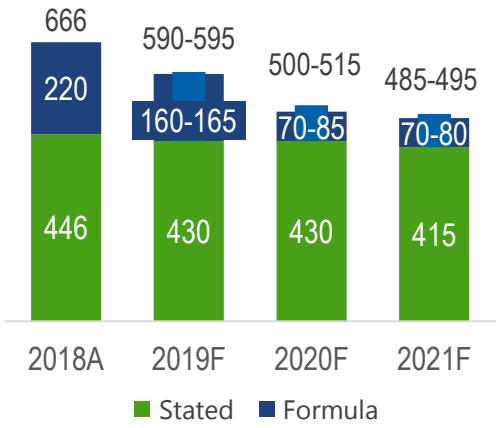
Pennsylvania **Overview** (1 of 2)

REGULATORY STRATEGY

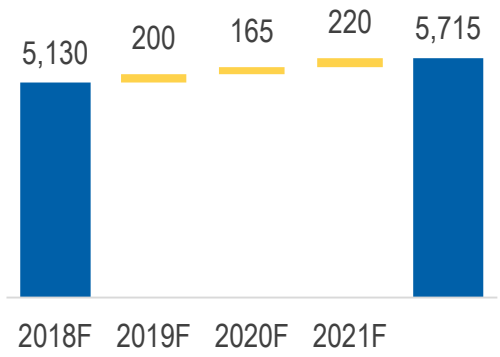
- No current plan to file base rate case for a traditional or alternative ratemaking structure
- LTIIPs require periodic review once every 5 years, and must be filed and approved prior to recovery through the DSIC rider. Companies will make filings in August 2019 which would propose new LTIIPs for the 2020-2024 period. All companies are currently collecting under the DSIC rider.
- Last two PA rate cases (2015, 2017) were settled through Black Box Settlements which allows for parties to reach consensus revenue requirement without specifying agreement on specific individual terms e.g., Allowed ROE, Rate Base, Capital Structure
- PA Act 58 legislation permits, but does not require, alternative ratemaking structures

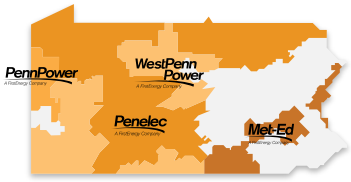
2018-2021 GROWTH PROJECTIONS ($M)

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES



RATE BASE





CUSTOMERS: 2.1M

INDUSTRIES SERVED: Primary and Fabricated Metals, Shale Gas, Chemical, Coal Mining, Electric Equipment Manufacturing

LAST APPROVED RATE CASE STATISTICS (Jan. 2017)

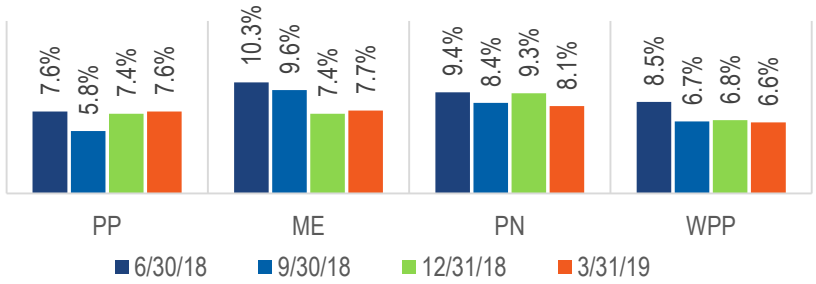
$4.8B Dx Rate Base	SETTLED Return on Equity
SETTLED Allowed Debt / Equity	2017 Projected Test Year

SERVICES PROVIDED

- ME, PN, and PP provide Distribution service to ~570K, 585K, & 165K customers, respectively, while WPP provides Distribution and stated rate Transmission services to ~725K customers
- Transmission assets are owned & operated by MAIT for ME and PN while transmission assets are owned & operated by ATSI for PP

Pennsylvania **Overview** (2 of 2)

ROE TRENDS – REGULATORY VIEW



- Required Quarterly Earnings Reports – derived from FERC Forms 1 and 3 with adjustments to provide a regulatory view similar to rate-making constructs
  - Rate Base Adjustments Include
    - Projected Test Year represents rate base projected 2 years in the future
    - Extraordinary storms and storm reserve balances
    - Differences for book vs tax depreciation
  - Income Statement Adjustments Include
    - Weather adjusted revenues
    - Projected depreciation
    - Pension expense at 10 year average cash contribution level; OPEB service cost
    - Certain tax adjustments/normalizations for Federal & State Income Tax

RECOVERY MECHANISMS

Rider	Overview	Reconciled
DSIC	Recovers acceleration of the repair, improvement, and replacement of existing aging infrastructure between rate cases	Quarterly
SmartMeter	Recovers or returns costs or savings associated with smart meter technology not included in base rates	Annually
PTC	Recovers purchase power costs associated with customers receiving default service	Quarterly
EEC	Recovers costs for energy efficiency programs mandated by Act 129	Annually
DSSR	Recovers costs associated with serving customers in a competitive market	Annually

STORM COSTS

O&M Deferral: $137M YE 2018 regulatory asset

PENSION/OPEB

Recovery based on historical cash contributions over the last 10yrs

TAX REFORM

Tax Rate: Completed*
EDIT: Completed

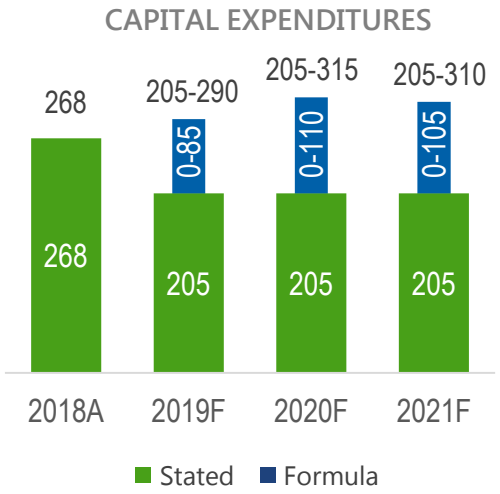
* Jan-Jun 2018 impact TBD at next base rate case or standalone proceeding by 2021

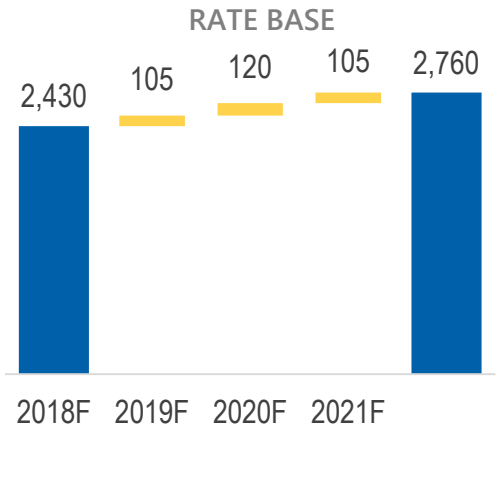
New Jersey **Overview** (1 of 2)

REGULATORY STRATEGY

- Current rates are compensatory
- NJ BPU approved IIP settlement on May 8, 2019 for 2 years, $97M
  - Work will occur June 1, 2019 – December 31, 2020
- JCP&L will recover its capital investments through two rate filings
  - Recovering no less than the first 6 months of plant-in-service
  - Second filing, at the end of the program, to recover plant-in-service for the remainder of the program

2018-2021 GROWTH PROJECTIONS ($M)







CUSTOMERS: 1.1M

INDUSTRIES SERVED: Chemical, Primary and Fabricated Metals, Food Manufacturing, Plastic & Rubber

LAST APPROVED RATE CASE STATISTICS (Jan. 2017)

$2.2B Dx Rate Base	9.6% Allowed Return on Equity
55:45 Allowed Debt / Equity	2016 Test Year

SERVICES PROVIDED

- JCP&L provides Distribution and Transmission services to ~1,135K customers
- Transmission service costs recovered through a stated rate

New Jersey **Overview** (2 of 2)

REGULATORY VIEW

- IIP rate filings require an earnings test, which calculates a book return based on FERC Form 1 and including limited adjustments
- Rate base
  - Includes: distribution and service company net plant in service; general and intangible plant; property-related ADITs, ADITs related to capitalized interest and protected NOLs
  - Excludes: deferred storm expense; non-property ADITs except for ADITs related to capitalized interest
- Income statement adjustments include:
  - Weather adjusted revenues
  - Remove transmission, production and non-operating items
  - Pension/OPEB – remove mark-to-market and replace with delayed recognition
  - Synchronize interest expense to debt-financed portion of rate base

RECOVERY MECHANISMS

Rider	Overview	Reconciled
SRC	Recovery of storm costs from 2012 major storms through 12/31/19	N/A
NGC	Recover the above-market portion of payments on Non-Utility Generation contracts	Annually
BGS	Recovery of purchased power costs associated with being provider of last resort as well as PJM transmission costs	Quarterly
RRC	Recovery of costs for demand response, energy efficiency, and renewable energy programs	Annually
IIP	Recovery of approved projects to enhance the reliability and resiliency of JCP&L's distribution system	Semi-Annually

REGULATED GENERATION

	PJM Zone	State	Fuel Type	Units	Net Max Cap (MW)	Year Plant Comm	2018 Output M MWH
Yards Creek	EMAAC	NJ	Hydro	3	210	1965	0.5

EMAAC 210

STORM COSTS

O&M Deferral: $303M YE 2018 regulatory asset

PENSION/OPEB

Recovery based on delayed recognition/smoothing

TAX REFORM

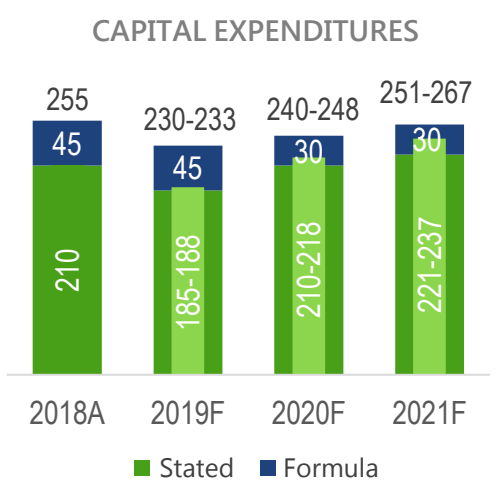
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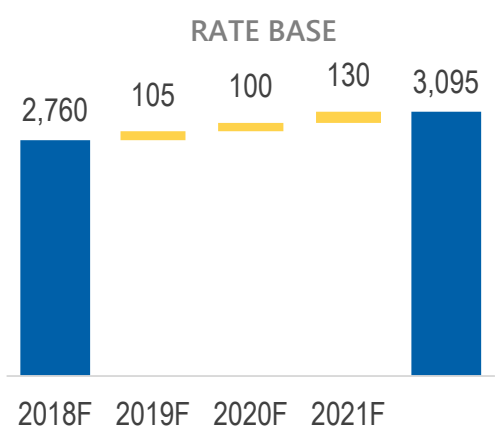
West Virginia **Overview** (1 of 2)

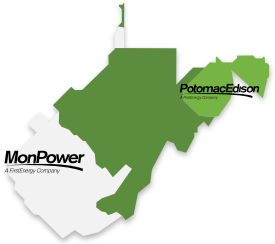
REGULATORY STRATEGY

- No current plan to file base rate case
- Integrated Resource Plan to be filed by Jan. 1, 2021
- The WV PSC views MP and PE on a combined company basis for regulatory filings

2018-2021 GROWTH PROJECTIONS ($M)







CUSTOMERS: 540K

INDUSTRIES SERVED: Chemical, Coal Mining, Non-Metallic Minerals, Primary and Fabricated Metals, Oil & Gas Extractions

LAST APPROVED RATE CASE STATISTICS (Feb. 2015)

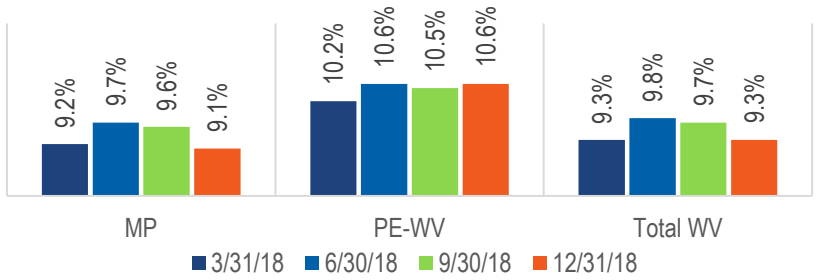
$2.5B Dx+Tx+Gx Rate Base	**SETTLED** Return on Equity
54:46 Allowed Debt / Equity	**2013** Historical Test Year

SERVICES PROVIDED

- MP, a vertically integrated company, provides Distribution, Transmission and Generation services to its ~395K customers.
- MP owns/controls 3,580MW of regulated generation
- PE provides Distribution and Transmission services to its ~145K customers and has a PPA in place with MP to procure generation

West Virginia **Overview** (2 of 2)

ROE TRENDS – REGULATORY VIEW



- Required Quarterly Earnings Reports (Distribution, Transmission, and Generation) – derived from FERC Forms 1 and 3 with adjustments to provide a regulatory view similar to rate-making constructs
  - Separation Study is needed to separate PE into WV, MD, and VA and can be accomplished using numerous allocation methods
  - Capital structure removes investment in AGC
  - Rate Base Adjustments Include
    - 13-month historical average
    - Removes impact of securitized pollution control facilities (Fort Martin)
  - Income Statement Adjustments Include
    - Removes depreciation expense related to Fort Martin securitized pollution control facilities
    - Pension/OPEB – Remove mark-to-market and replace with smoothing method

RECOVERY MECHANISMS

Rider	Overview	Reconciled
ENEC	Recovers generation-related fuel, purchased power, and PJM costs, net of revenue credits	Annually
Veg Mgmt	Recovers vegetation control programs with spot trimming along T&D lines	Biennial

REGULATED GENERATION

	PJM Zone	State	Fuel Type	Units	Net Max Cap (MW)	Year Plant Comm	2018 Output M MWH
Bath Co.	Dominion	VA	Hydro	6	487(1)	1985	0.6
Ft. Martin	APS	WV	Coal	2	1,098	1967	6.0
Harrison	APS	WV	Coal	3	1,984	1972	13.3
OVEC	Rest of RTO	Multiple	Coal	Multiple	11(2)		0.1
Total					3,580		

(1) Represents MP's indirect 16.25% interest in Bath County, a pumped-storage hydroelectric station. Bath County is also 23.75% owned by LS Power (non-FE affiliated) and operated by 60% owner Virginia Electric and Power Company (non-FE affiliated).
(2) Represents MP's 0.49% entitlement based on its participation in OVEC

STORM COSTS

Current O&M Deferral:
$32M YE 2018

PENSION/OPEB

Recovery of GAAP expense with MTM smoothing

TAX REFORM

Tax Rate: Completed*
EDIT: Address by YE 2020

* Jan-Aug 2018 impact will be addressed by YE 2020

Maryland **Overview** (1 of 2)



CUSTOMERS: 270K

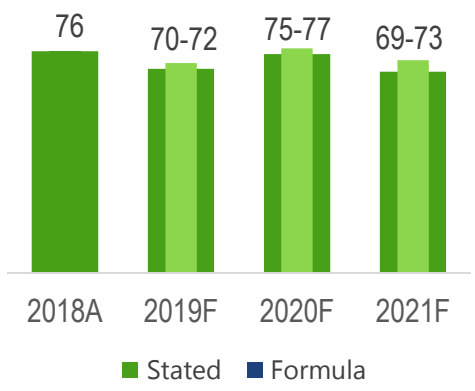
INDUSTRIES SERVED: Chemical, Coal Mining, Non-Metallic Minerals, Plastics and Rubber Products

REGULATORY STRATEGY

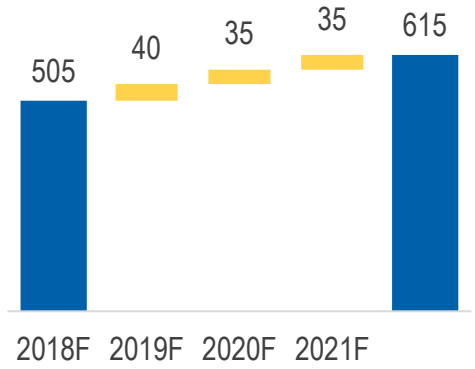
- Current base rates approved March 2019; must file base rate case by early 2023
- New distribution rate case must be filed within 4 years to align with the end of Electric Distribution Investment Surcharge (EDIS)
- EV Program to install 59 utility owned charging stations

2018-2021 GROWTH PROJECTIONS ($M)

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES



RATE BASE



LAST APPROVED RATE CASE STATISTICS (Mar. 2019)

$462M
Dx Rate Base

9.65%
Allowed Return on Equity

47:53
Allowed Debt / Equity

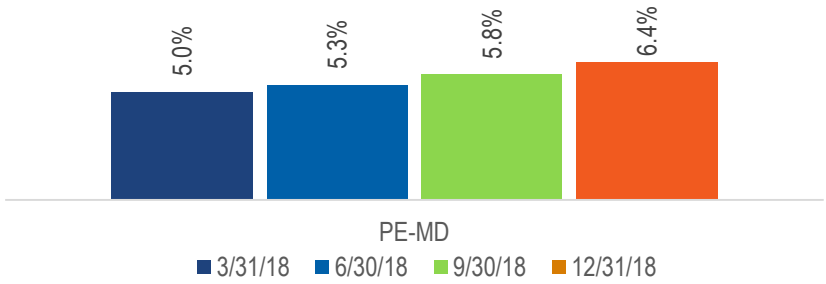
12 mos. ended Jun. 2018
Historical Test Year

SERVICES PROVIDED

- PE provides Distribution and Transmission services to its ~270K customers (see exception below)
- PE provides standard offer Transmission and Generation services to customers that do not elect an alternative generation supplier

Maryland **Overview** (2 of 2)

ROE TRENDS – REGULATORY VIEW



- Required Quarterly Earnings Reports (Distribution Only) – derived from FERC Forms 1 and 3 with adjustments to provide a regulatory view similar to rate-making constructs
  - Separation Study is needed to separate PE into WV, MD, and VA and can be accomplished using numerous allocation methods
  - Rate Base Adjustments Include
    - 13-month historical average
    - Removal of allocated transmission plant
  - Income Statement Adjustments Include
    - Pension/OPEB – Remove mark-to-market and replace with smoothing method
    - Removal of allocated transmission expenses

RECOVERY MECHANISMS

Rider	Overview	Reconciled
EDIS	Recovery for incremental investments of reliability programs for distribution automation, accelerated underground cable replacement, and substation reclosers	Annually
EmPOWER	Recovery for costs related to PE's sponsored energy efficiency and conservation programs	Annually
SOS	Recovery of purchased power costs associated with providing default standard offer service and PJM transmission costs	Triannual

STORM COSTS
Recovery through base rates only

PENSION/OPEB
Recovery of GAAP expense with MTM smoothing

TAX REFORM
Tax Rate: Completed
EDIT: Completed

Corporate Responsibility



CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITY

A FORWARD-THINKING ELECTRIC UTILITY

Committed to making our customers' lives brighter, the environment better and our communities stronger.
Seek to inform and engage our stakeholders, while at the same time setting and achieving goals.
Led by a dedicated team, along with Executive and Board Oversight on Corporate Responsibility and ESG strategy.

90%
by 2045
CO_2 Emissions Reduction Goal

$8M
Donated to 1,300 non-profits in 2018

36%
Board Diversity
(Gender, Race, Ethnicity)

ENERGY FOR A BRIGHTER FUTURE

Corporate Responsibility Strategy

We are a
forward-thinking electric utility
powered by a diverse team of employees committed to making
customers' lives brighter, the environment better and our communities stronger

Build a sustainable business with…

Social and Environmental

Employees
- Employee Engagement
- Expanded Diversity & Inclusion

Customers
- Emerging Technologies
- Performance-Based Initiatives

Environment
- Internal Operations
- Renewable Adoption

Communities
- Targeted Giving / Engagement
- Charitable Impact Measurement

Governance

Transparency

Accountability

Built upon the pillars of our mission statement, our Strategy delivers on these opportunities and unlocks potential growth for our stakeholders

Corporate Responsibility – Facts at a Glance

Environmental

- Achieved 62%* reduction in CO_2 emissions since 2005
- Generation fleet carbon emission intensity of 0.49 metric tons/MWh in 2018

- Developed UAS program in which drones are being used to improve safety and efficiency and provide unique services throughout our territory
- Four osprey nesting platforms installed on our poles as part of FE's Avian Protection Plan

- Implemented corporate waste reduction initiative
- Continued participation in CDP Climate and Water reports, EEI's ESG Template and responded for first time to RobecoSAM

Social

- Systemwide OSHA incident rate of 0.80 in 2018; below EEI industry average of 1.21**
- Experienced zero Systemwide Life Changing Events in 2018

- Implemented a Diversity & Inclusion Key Performance Indicator, and developed nine Employee Business Resource Groups (EBRGs)
- Participated in and was selected as one of 230 companies for the 2019 Bloomberg Gender Equality Index

- FE Foundation donated over $8M to nearly 1,300 nonprofits in 2018
- Provided the equivalent of 3.7 million meals to feed the hungry in our communities

Governance

- Published a Climate Report, including a 2 degree scenario analysis
- Update to Corporate Responsibility Report will be published in late 2019

- Expanded BOD Corporate Governance Committee to include Corporate Responsibility oversight
- Developed dedicated Corporate Responsibility team within the Strategy organization

- BOD is made up of 36% Diverse Directors (gender, race & ethnicity)
- All Directors are independent, other than the CEO

*Primarily due to retirements and asset sales through 12/31/18. Additional reductions will be recognized upon FirstEnergy Solutions' emergence from Chapter 11 bankruptcy.
** Based on 2015 Edison Electric Institute (EEI) Safety Survey published in 2016.

Climate Risk Report

Fully Regulated Utility



- Transmission
  - Energizing the Future program – Upgrading and modernizing our transmission system to build a smarter, stronger and more secure power grid for the future
- Distribution
  - Investing in projects that create a more resilient, flexible distribution system
  - Evaluating new opportunities that enable emerging technologies to meet the future energy needs of our customers
  - Maintaining service and reliability performance through grid modernization
- Generation Fleet
  - CO_2 reduction goal to reduce emissions by at least 90 percent below 2005 levels by 2045
  - Reduced CO_2 emissions by 62 percent as of year end 2018

Governance Process



- Executive and Board Oversight on climate-related issues
- Strategy and Corporate Responsibility Organization
  - Focused on expanding ESG and corporate responsibility initiatives to inform, engage, and achieve our sustainability goals
- Executive Level Steering Committee
  - Review and guide governance topics
- Shareholder Engagement and Outreach
  - Engage with shareholders with a focus on corporate responsibility and climate related disclosures

Two-Degree Scenario Analysis and Implications



- Two-Degree Scenario (2DS) Analysis
  - Based on the International Energy Agency's 2DS
  - Developed state-level detail for the five states FE primarily operates to study potential impacts to company
  - Results show significant changes in energy use across all sectors of the economy
- Implications
  - Well-positioned to mitigate climate-related risks and act upon related opportunities associated with a lower-carbon future
  - Positioned to enable electrification in the transportation, buildings and industrial sectors
  - Support multi-sector CO_2 emission reductions

Climate Report released April 1, 2019

2019 Corporate Responsibility Internal Initiatives



COMMUNITY
EMPLOYEE VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

WHAT: A program that provides employees with paid time off to volunteer in the community

WHY: Aligning to our employees' passions while having the ability to track the number of hours our employees volunteer and better understand the impact of those hours in our communities

EMPLOYEE
TRANSFORMATION TALK

WHAT: A short, powerful talk, 15 minutes or less, similar in concept to TED Talks ®

WHY: Increase employee inclusiveness by connecting them with the bigger company picture through an information session about a key topic or strategy

ENVIRONMENT
EMPLOYEE WASTE REDUCTION PROGRAM

WHAT: Provide ~3,100 employees with reusable drinkware and remove Styrofoam cups from seven Corporate facilities and implement centralized waste and recycling

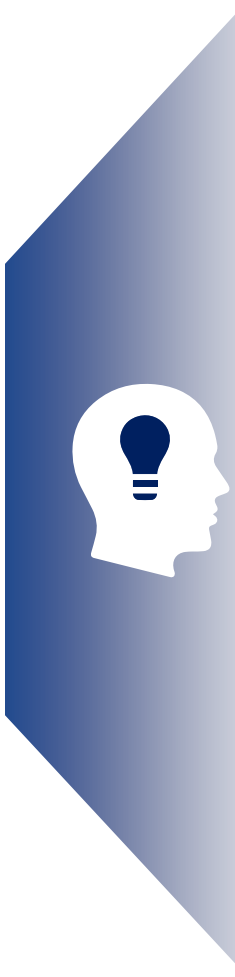
WHY: Average employee wastes ~540 pounds per year and FE purchases enough Styrofoam cups in a year that if stacked up would be as tall as Mt. Kilimanjaro

CUSTOMERS
PROACTIVE COMMUNICATION

WHAT: Increase visibility of customer requested work by proactively communicating the status of new business residential requests

WHY: Improve customer experience by providing customers the ability to monitor the progress of requested work

2019 Corporate Responsibility Report



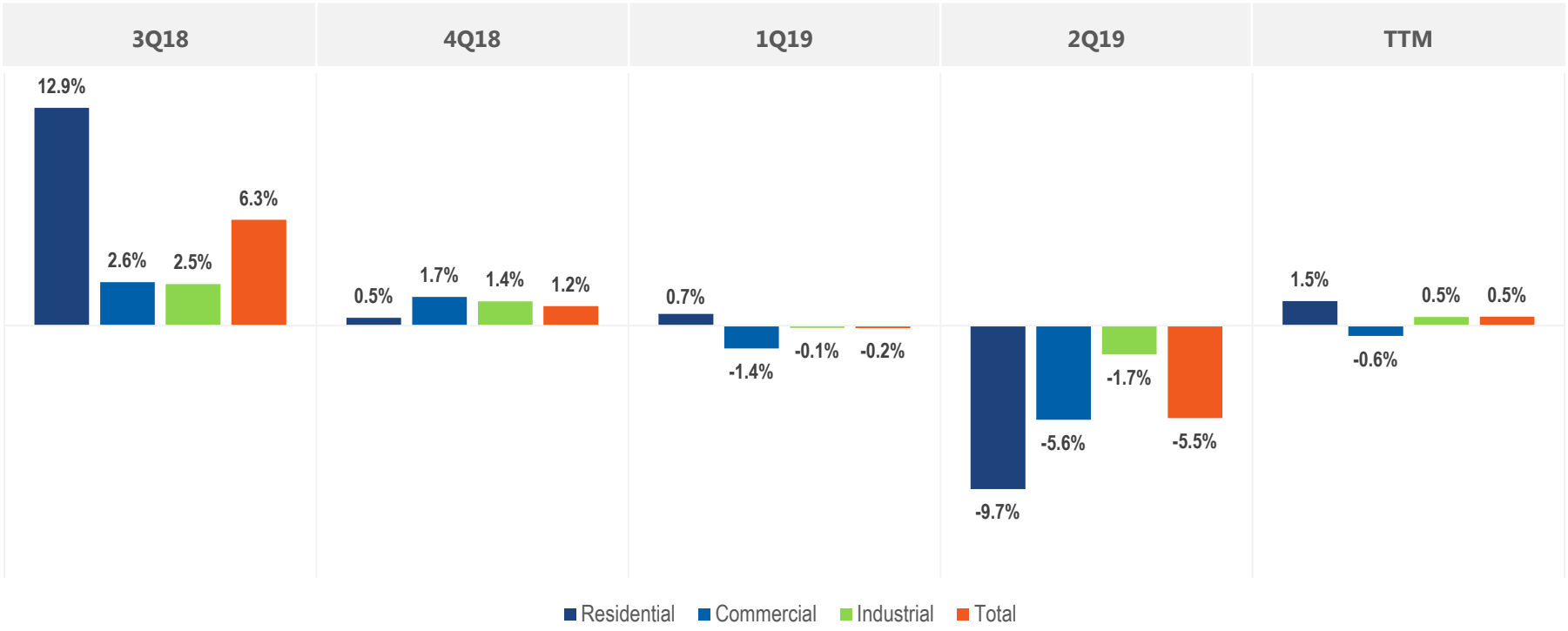
What	• Publish a comprehensive Corporate Responsibility Report and website that will contain tangible examples, and metrics of the ways in which we are living our mission
Why	• Keep our internal and external stakeholders informed about key issues and activities related to corporate responsibility • Educate and engage stakeholders to reinforce the FirstEnergy brand and continue to build our reputation as a good corporate citizen • Provide external stakeholders with comprehensive information in a single, and easy to navigate location
Key Topics	The following topics will be covered but not limited to: • Community Involvement • Distribution – Grid Modernization • Diversity & Inclusion • Emerging Technologies • Environmental • Safety • Transmission – Energizing the Future
Timing	• To be published 4Q 2019

Quarterly Updates



Sales by Class

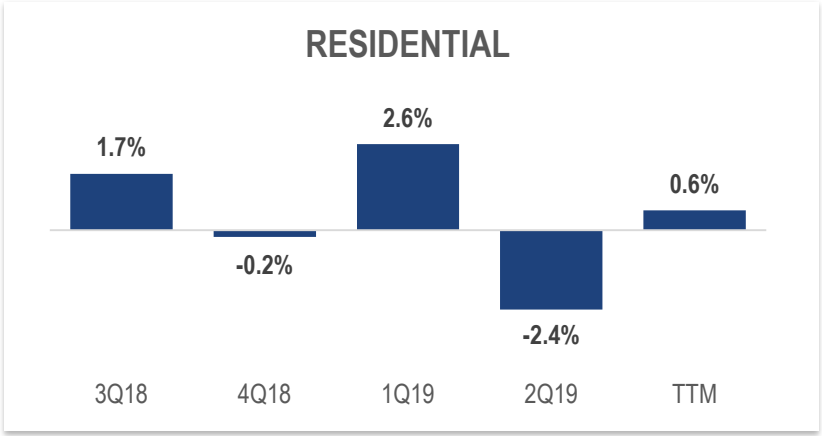
Percent change vs. prior year

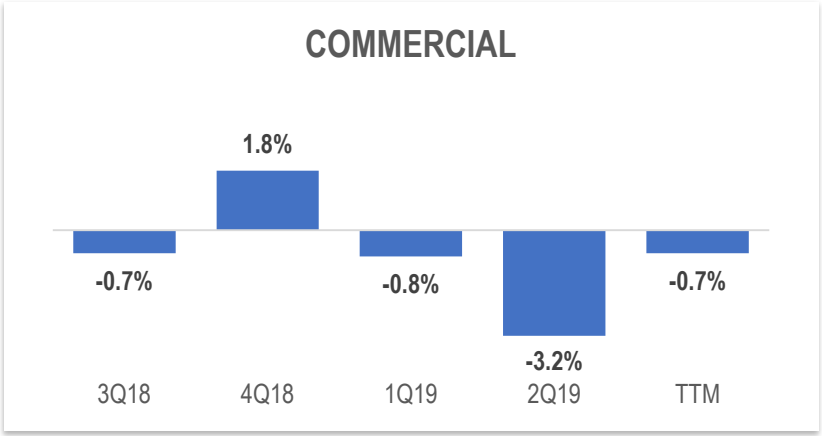


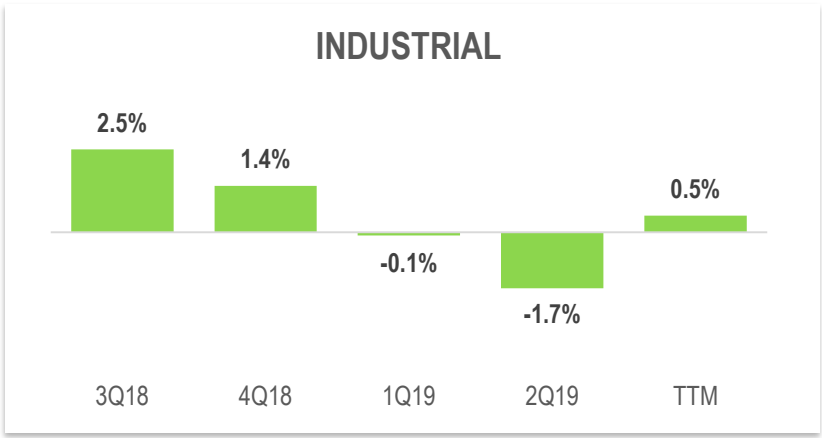
(MWh in thousands)	3Q17	3Q18	4Q17	4Q18	1Q18	1Q19	2Q18	2Q19	TTM 2Q18	TTM 2Q19
Residential	13,863	15,657	13,203	13,263	14,999	15,103	12,074	10,900	54,139	54,923
Commercial	11,207	11,495	10,102	10,275	10,666	10,521	10,337	9,760	42,312	42,051
Industrial	13,341	13,672	12,872	13,057	13,075	13,057	13,201	12,976	52,489	52,762
Total	**38,411**	**40,824**	**36,177**	**36,595**	**38,740**	**38,681**	**35,612**	**33,636**	**148,940**	**149,736**

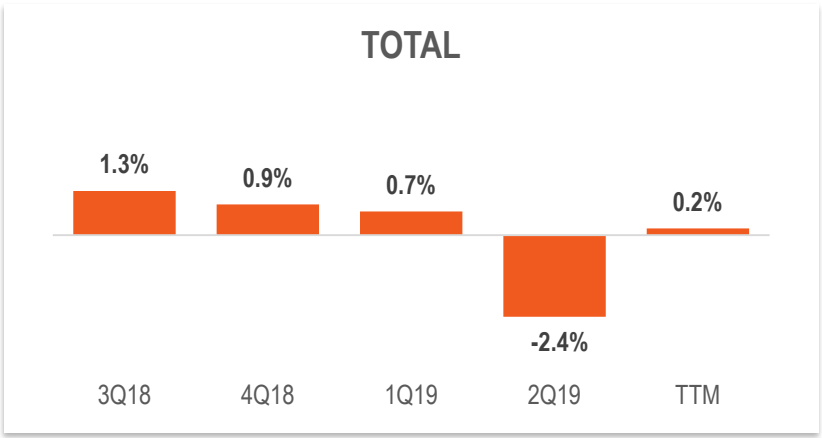
Weather Adjusted GWh Sales by Class

Percent change vs. prior year



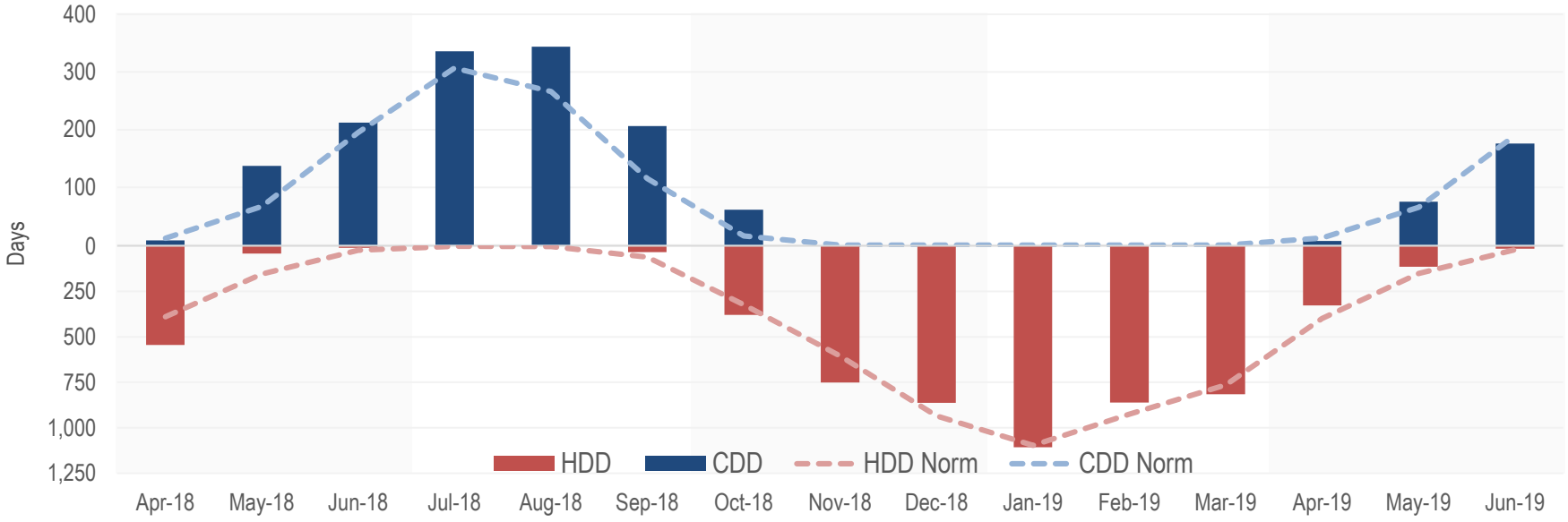






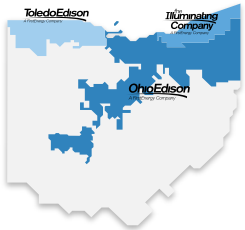
- Slight growth in RES and IND sales over the TTM period, partially offset by -0.7% decline in COM sales
- TTM total sales growth of 0.2% in line with 2019 expectations

Weather Impacts



		OH		PA		NJ		WV		MD		Total	
		Days	%	Days	%	Days	%	Days	%	Days	%	Days	%
2Q19	HDD vs Normal	-100	-15%	-119	-21%	-87	-18%	-172	-36%	-174	-37%	-116	-20%
	HDD vs 2Q18	-116	-17%	-147	-24%	-114	-22%	-206	-40%	-196	-40%	-140	-23%
	CDD vs Normal	-29	-12%	-34	-14%	-5	-1%	85	32%	63	18%	-10	-4%
	CDD vs 2Q18	-137	-39%	-109	-34%	-34	-9%	-83	-19%	-32	-7%	-99	-28%

Ohio Tax Reform/Grid Mod Settlement



- Filed on November 9, 2018; Supplemental Stipulation filed January 25, 2019
- Resolves issues related to federal income tax reform and previously filed grid modernization cases
- Tax Reform Settlement
  - Return to customers all tax savings from Tax Reform related to excess deferred income taxes and current income taxes from January 1, 2018
- Grid Modernization Settlement
  - Recover through Rider AMI up to $516M of capital costs invested over three years related to grid modernization investments
    - Recovery includes return of and on investment, associated taxes, incremental O&M (subject to cap)
- Hearing occurred Feb. 5-6, 2019; Briefs filed Mar. 1, 2019; Reply Briefs filed March 12, 2019
- PUCO approved settlement on July 17, 2019

Signatory Parties

- PUCO Staff
- Generation Suppliers
- Environmentalists
- Hospitals
- Industrial Advocates
- Residential Advocates
- Low Income Advocates
- Cable Companies

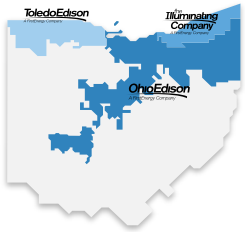
Investments

- 700,000 Advanced Meters and associated AMI technology
- Distribution Automation on 200 Circuits
- Integrated Volt Var Control on 202 Circuits
- Advanced Distribution Management System (“ADMS”)
- Up to $50M in Platform work (Circuit Ties, Reconductoring, etc.)

Benefits

- Reliability and operational improvements
- Reduced energy consumption
- Enhanced data access
- Enable future grid modernization investments

Ohio Rider DMR

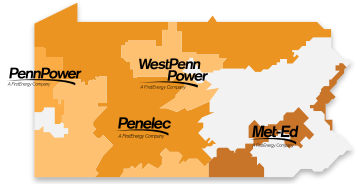


- Rider DMR was approved for a three-year period ending December 31, 2019, with a potential two-year extension
  - Funds to be used, directly or indirectly, in support of grid modernization
- A two-year extension application was filed on February 1, 2019
  - The companies requested an extension of Rider DMR for an additional two-year period, at its current annual amount of $132.5M (after-tax)

Rider DMR would continue under the same terms and conditions
Retention of corporate headquarters and nexus of operations in Akron
No change in control of Ohio utilities
Demonstration of sufficient progress in implementation and deployment of PUCO-approved grid mod programs

- The companies filed testimony supporting the application on March 1, 2019
- The midterm report by Oxford Advisors, LLC was filed on June 14, 2019
  - Oxford concluded that the companies have complied with the terms of ESP IV related to Rider DMR
- Several intervenors filed notices of appeal in 2017 with the Supreme Court of Ohio appealing various PUCO entries on their applications for rehearing regarding the companies' ESP IV
  - On June 19, 2019, the Ohio Supreme Court ruled that Rider DMR did not qualify as an incentive under the law and ordered the PUCO to direct the companies to remove Rider DMR from ESP IV
  - On July 1, 2019 the companies filed a Motion for Reconsideration with the Court; replies by opposing parties were filed July 11, 2019
  - Rider DMR continues to be charged at its current rate, though billings from July 2, 2019 onward are subject to refund to customers pending the outcome of the Motion for Reconsideration

Pennsylvania DSIC Rider



- Rider set to zero when new rates implemented on January 27, 2017
  - Expected to restart when gross plant balances exceed the amount recovered in base rates and if reported ROE does not exceed the PA PUC published benchmark of 9.65% (subject to change)

DSIC Rider restarted effective:		
	PP / WPP	April 1, 2018
	PN	October 1, 2018
	ME	January 1, 2019

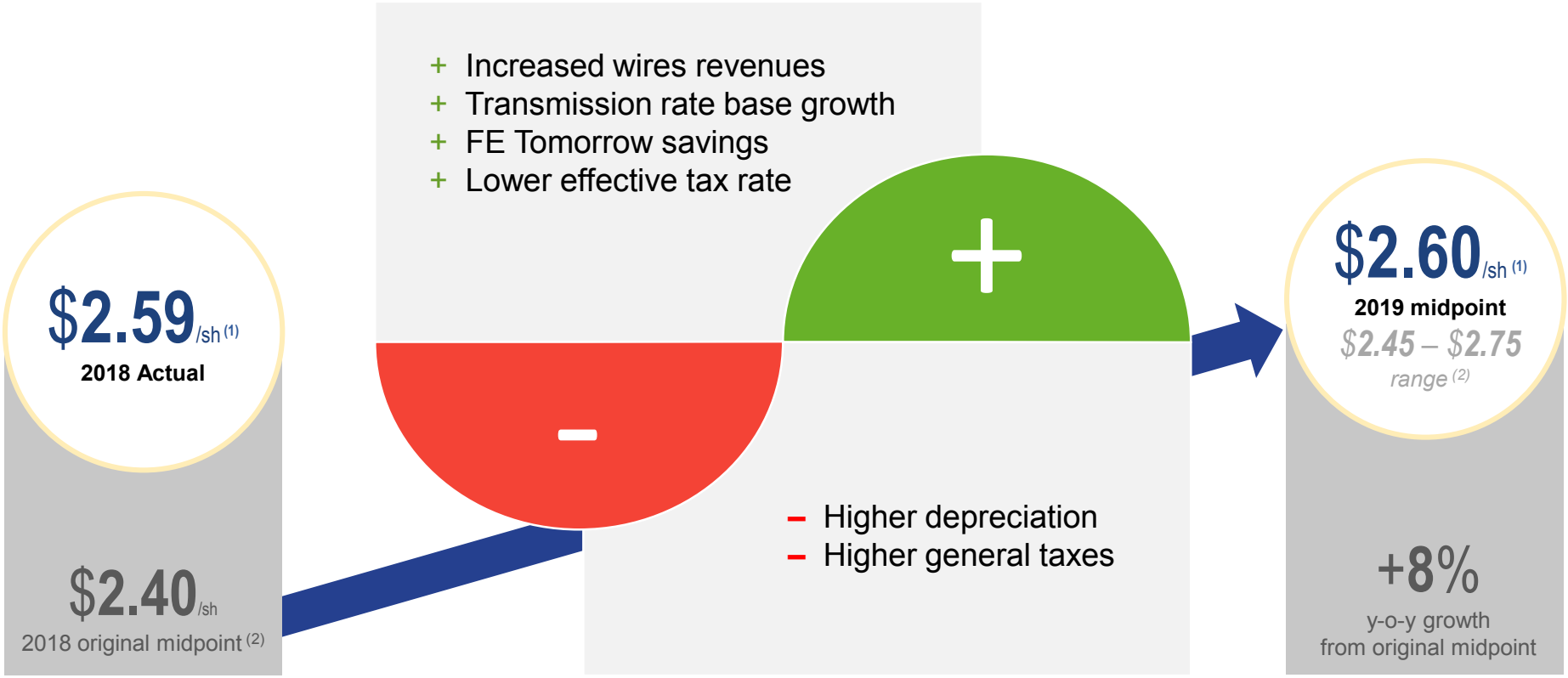
- Companies filed Revised LTIIPs on January 18, 2019 in compliance with the PA PUC's midterm review of the Companies' LTIIPs
  - PA PUC approved Revised LTIIPs for 2019 on May 23, 2019
- Companies will file LTIIPs for 2020-2024 in August 2019

Guidance and Financials



2019 Operating EPS Guidance

Assumes full year of Ohio DMR



Full year 2019 guidance range of $2.45 - $2.75

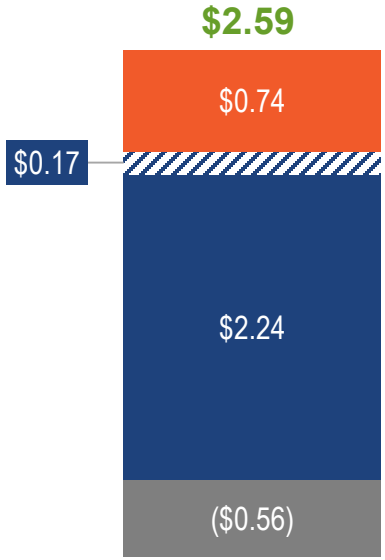
(1) See slides 70 and 71 for the 2018 and 2019 GAAP to Non-GAAP earnings reconciliations.
(2) Guidance midpoint is based on fully diluted shares of 538M in 2018 and 540M in 2019. See slide 74.

2019 Operating EPS[1] Guidance

Assumes full year of Ohio DMR

Projecting 7% weather-adjusted, year-over-year Operating EPS growth

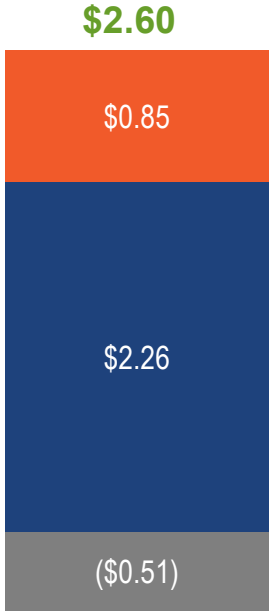
2019 Operating EPS Guidance Range	
Regulated Distribution *(includes Ohio DMR)*	$2.16 – $2.36
Regulated Transmission	$0.81 – $0.89
Corp / Other	($0.52) – ($0.50)
	$2.45 – $2.75



2018A Operating EPS[2]
(538M fully diluted shares)

Transmission +$0.11	Rate base growth	+
Distribution ($0.15)	Wires Revenue	+
	FE Tomorrow	+
	Weather	-
	Depreciation/General Taxes	-
Corp/Other +$0.05	Effective Income Tax Rate (ETR)	+
	FE Tomorrow	+

Regulated Distribution
RD: 2018 Weather/Rate True-up
Regulated Transmission
Corp/Other



2019F Operating EPS Midpoint [2]
(540M fully diluted shares)

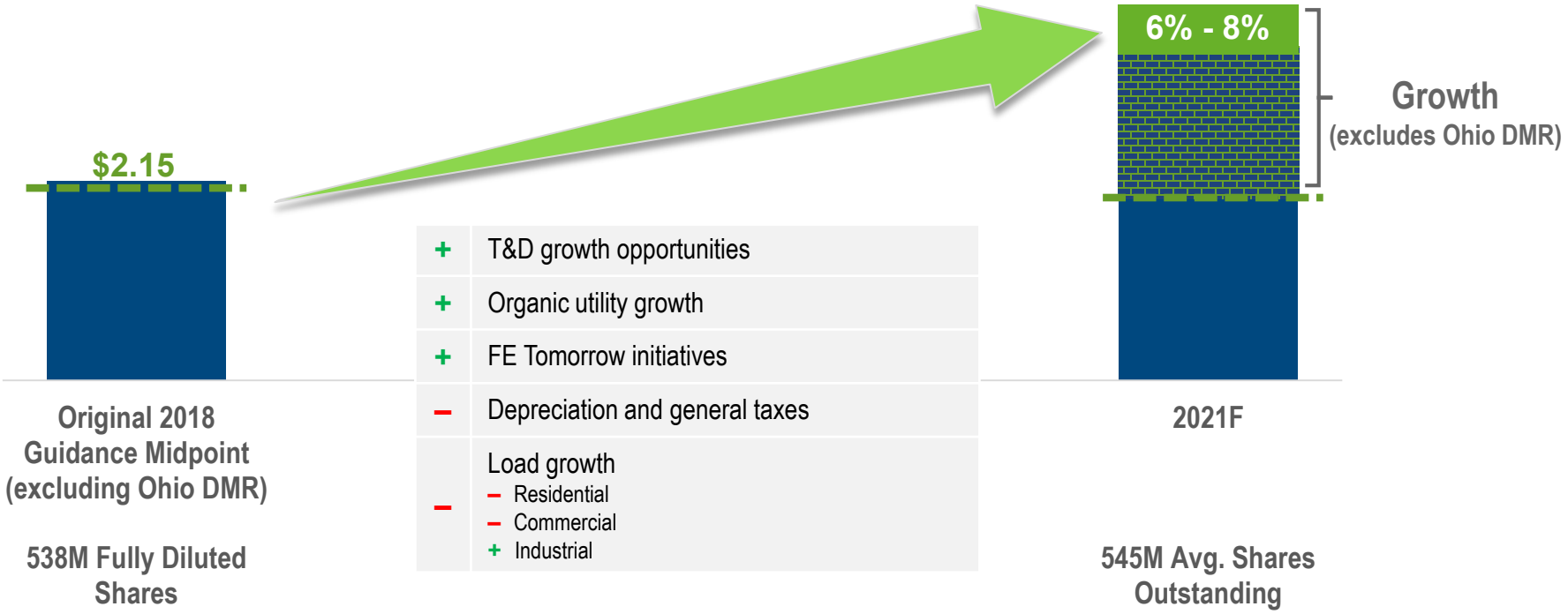
[1] See Slide 74 for information on Non-GAAP Financial Matters

[2] See slides 70 and 71 for the 2018 and 2019 GAAP to Non-GAAP earnings reconciliation

Note: 2019F ETRs: Regulated Distribution/Regulated Transmission 23-25%, Consolidated ~21-23%
2018A ETRs: Regulated Distribution/Regulated Transmission 23.5%, Consolidated 24.7%

2018-2021 Operating EPS[(1)] CAGR

Affirming our 6% - 8% operating EPS CAGR target



[(1)] Special items cannot be reasonably estimated at this time. See slide 74.

Financing Plan (2019-2021)

Committed to maintaining investment-grade credit ratings

FE CORP

Year	Entity	Amount	Purpose
2019F	FE Corp	Up to $628M	New notes to FES creditors
	FE Corp	Up to $1.25B	$1.25B Term Loan maturing 10/17/19
2020F	FE Corp	Up to $500M	$500M Term Loan maturing 10/19/20

REGULATED TRANSMISSION

Year	Entity	Amount	Purpose
2019F	✓ ATSI	$100M	New Issuance
	✓ FET	$500M	New Issuance
	MAIT	$125M	New Issuance
2020F	ATSI	$100M	New Issuance
	MAIT	$125M	New Issuance
2021F	ATSI	$100M	New Issuance
	FET	$500M	New Issuance
	MAIT	$150M	New Issuance

REGULATED DISTRIBUTION

Year	Entity	Amount	Purpose
2019F	✓ ME	$500M	$300M at 7.70% matured 1/15/19
	✓ JCP&L	$400M	$300M at 7.35% matured 2/1/19
	✓ WPP[1]	$250M	New Issuance
	✓ PN	$300M	$125M at 6.625% matured 4/1/19
	MP	$200M	New Issuance
2020F	TE	$150M	$50M at 7.25% maturing 5/1/20
	PN	$250M	$250M at 5.2% maturing 4/1/20
	CEI	$250M	New Issuance
	PE	$175M	New Issuance
2021F	MP	$200M	$74M at 3.0% PCRB mandatory put on 10/15/21

REGULATED GENERATION

Year	Entity	Amount	Purpose
2019F	✓ AGC	$50M	New Issuance

(1) $100M funded 5/21 and $150M will be funded on 8/15

Pension/OPEB Overview

Overview

- FE is the sponsor of the benefit plans for employees at all of FE's subsidiaries
- Pension Status is Open
  - Plan design changed to Cash Balance formula for new hires beginning 1/1/2014
- Pension/OPEB Expense impacts operating (non-GAAP) earnings based on a post-capitalization calculation of net periodic costs (excluding MTM adjustment)

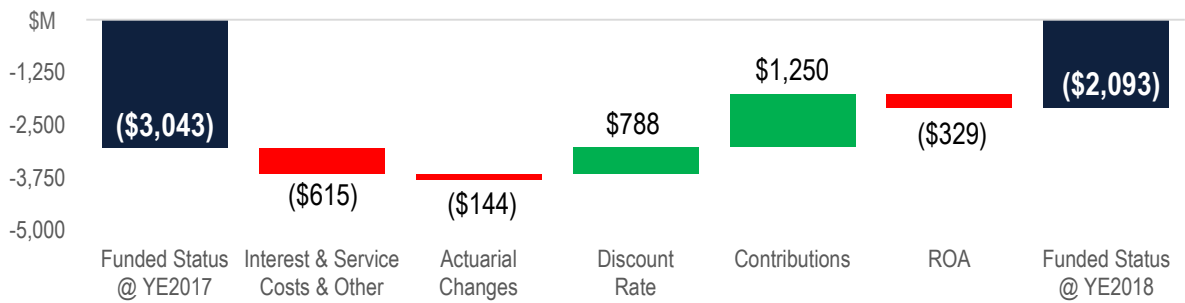
Key assumptions for 2018 expense	
Expected Return on Assets	7.50%
Pension Discount Rate	3.75%
OPEB Discount Rate	3.50%

MTM Method

- Beginning in 2011, adopted MTM method for pension and OPEB accounting
- Net gain or loss is recognized in fourth quarter GAAP results; excluded from operating (non-GAAP) results
  - Preferred method of accounting under GAAP

2018 MTM Drivers	Impact
Lower than expected returns	($680M)
Increase in discount rate	$645M
Other changes (Demographic, VERP, Misc.)	($70M)
Net Income Impact / EPS Impact	**($105M) / ($0.19)**

2018A Qualified Pension Funded Status



2018 Pension/OPEB Summary

Pension/OPEB Funded Status: Year-End 2018A

($M)	Corp	FEU	FES/FENOC	Total	Notes
Qualified Pension	($893)	($403)	($797)	($2,093)	77% funded at 12/31/18; excludes 2/1/19 $500M Contribution
Non-Qualified Pension	(160)	(156)	(69)	(385)	No minimum funding requirements
OPEB	48	(336)	88	(200)	No minimum funding requirements
Total	**($1,005)**	**($895)**	**($778)**	**($2,678)**	

Components of Net Periodic Benefit Costs: 2018A

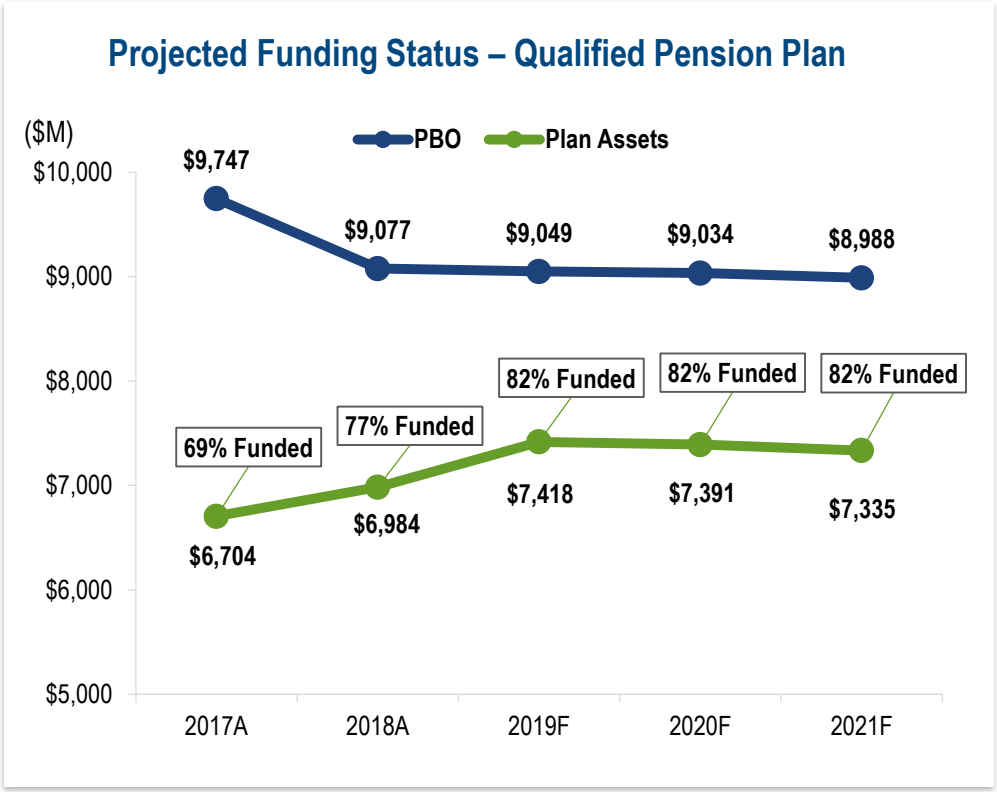
($M)	Pension	OPEB	Total	Post Cap
Service Cost	$224	$5	$229	$140
Interest Cost	372	25	397	397
Expected Return on Assets	(574)	(31)	(605)	(605)
Amortization of prior service cost (credit)	7	(81)	(74)	(74)
Non-GAAP Cost (Credit)	**$29**	**($82)**	**($53)**	**($142)**
Pension/OPEB Mark-To-Market Adjustment	227	(82)	145	145
Settlements, Curtailments (VERP)	31	8	39	39
GAAP Net Periodic Cost (Credit)	**$287**	**($156)**	**$131**	**$42**

2018-2021 Qualified Pension Funding

Significant improvement in funded status projected through 2021

Qualified Pension Plan

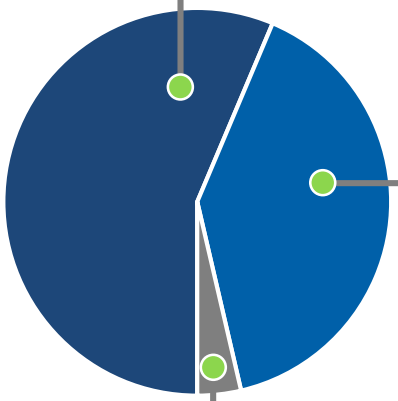
- 2018 actual investment return of -4.2%
- Pension Contributions
  - January 2018: $1,250M
  - February 2019: $500M
- No required contributions through 2021
- Key assumptions:
  - Expected Return on Assets of 7.50%
  - Discount Rate of 4.44% (full yield curve) @ 12/31/18



Capital Expenditures Forecast Summary

$11B – $12B in capital investments 2018-2021 ~55% based on formula rates

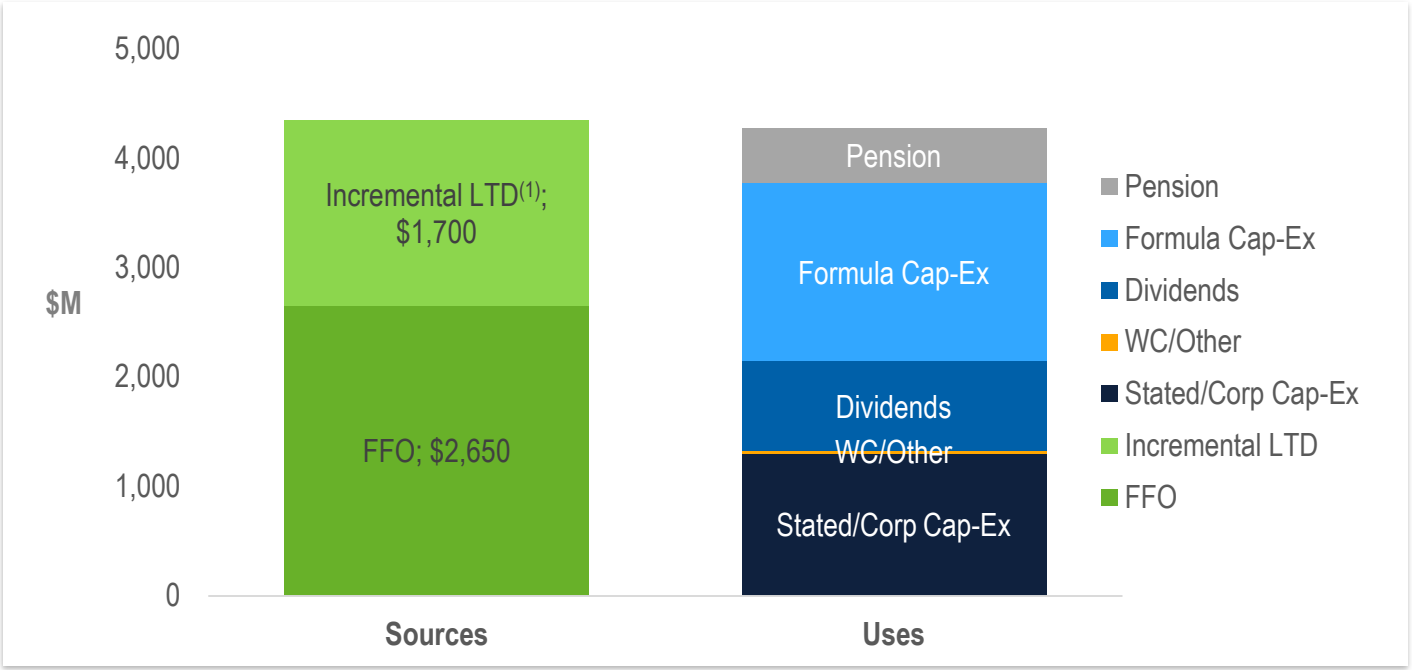
	2018A	*Annually* 2019F – 2021F
FE Consolidated Total	**$3.0B**	**$2.8B - $3.0B**



($M)	2018A	2019F	2020F	2021F
Regulated Distribution (~40% formula rates)	**$1,635**	**$1,600-$1,700**	**$1,500-$1,700**	**$1,500-$1,700**
Stated Rate	$1,085	$960-$965	$990-$1,000	$980-$1,000
Formula Rate	$550	$640-$735	$510-$700	$520-$700
Regulated Transmission (80%+ formula rates)	**$1,165**	**$1,200**	**$1,200**	**$1,200**
Stated Rate	$256	$255	$120	$110
Formula Rate	$909	$945	$1,080	$1,090
Corp/Other	**$183**	**$85**	**$90**	**$110**

2019 Cash Forecast

- Stated capital expenditures and dividends are fully funded by FFO
- Formula capital expenditures are funded by a mix of FFO and operating company debt issuances
- $500M voluntary pension contribution was funded by favorable cash position



Note: Sources and Uses amounts use the mid-points from Slide 62 (2019 FFO and FCF Forecast)

(1) See Slide 56 (2019-2021 Financing Plan)

2019 FFO and FCF Forecast

Assumes full year of Ohio DMR

($M)	FE Consolidated 2019F
Cash from Operations (GAAP)	**$2,090 – $2,290**
Working Capital [1]	(25) – (55)
Pension Contributions [2]	500
Funds from Operations (FFO) (Non-GAAP)	**$2,565 – $2,735**
Capital Expenditure	(2,850) – (2,950)
Cash Before Other Items	**($285) – ($215)**
Working Capital/Other [3]	(5) – 125
Pension Contributions	(500)
Cash Before Dividends and Equity	**($790) – ($590)**
Dividends	(820)
Equity [4]	–
Free Cash Flow [5] (Non-GAAP)	**($1,610) – ($1,410)**

(1) Working Capital is included in "Changes in Current Assets and Liabilities" on the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
(2) Pension Contribution is included in "Pension Trust Contributions" on the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
(3) Includes "Working Capital", asset removal costs which is included in the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, and trust interest and dividend income which is included in "Purchases of Investment Securities Held in Trust" on the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
(4) Excludes non-cash equity issuances of ~$100M through FE's stock investment and employee benefit plans
(5) Excludes cash items related to debt financing activity

Credit Ratings

As of July 23, 2019

	Corporate Credit Rating			Senior Secured			Senior Unsecured			Outlook		
	S&P	Moody's	Fitch	S&P	Moody's	Fitch	S&P	Moody's	Fitch	S&P	Moody's	Fitch
FirstEnergy Corp.(*)	BBB	Baa3	BBB-				BBB-	Baa3	BBB-	S	S	P
Allegheny Generating Co.	BBB-	Baa2	BBB							S	S	S
American Transmission Systems Inc.	BBB	A3	BBB				BBB	A3	BBB+	S	S	P
Cleveland Electric Illuminating	BBB	Baa2	BBB	A-	A3	A-	BBB	Baa2	BBB+	S	S	P
FirstEnergy Transmission(*)	BBB	Baa2	BBB-				BBB-	Baa2	BBB-	S	S	P
Jersey Central Power & Light	BBB	Baa1	BBB				BBB	Baa1	BBB+	S	P	P
Metropolitan Edison	BBB	A3	BBB				BBB	A3	BBB+	S	S	P
Mid-Atlantic Interstate Transmission	BBB	A3	BBB				BBB	A3	BBB+	S	S	P
Monongahela Power	BBB	Baa2	BBB	A-	A3	A-	BBB	Baa2		S	S	S
Ohio Edison	BBB	A3	BBB	A-	A1	A-	BBB	A3	BBB+	S	P	P
Pennsylvania Electric	BBB	Baa1	BBB				BBB	Baa1	BBB+	S	S	P
Pennsylvania Power	BBB	A3	BBB		A1	A-				S	P	P
Potomac Edison	BBB	Baa2	BBB			A-				S	S	S
Toledo Edison	BBB	Baa1	BBB	A-	A2	A-				S	S	P
Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Co.	BBB	A3	BBB				BBB	A3	BBB+	S	S	P
West Penn Power	BBB	A3	BBB			A-				S	S	P

(*) = holding company

S = Stable
P = Positive
N = Negative

Ratings are not recommendations to buy, sell, or hold securities. Ratings are subject to change or withdrawal at any time by the credit rating agencies.

Financial Updates

Since April 24, 2019 (1Q 2019 Earnings Release)

- **Dividend:** Board declared a quarterly dividend of $0.38 cents per share of outstanding common stock

Declaration Date	Payable	Record Date
7/16/2019	9/1/2019	8/7/2019

- **Financing Activities:**

	WPP	PN	AGC
Date	5/21/2019	6/3/2019	6/5/2019
Type	First Mortgage Bonds	Senior Notes	Senior Notes
Amount Issued	$100M	$300M	$50M
Interest Rate	4.22%	3.60%	4.47%
Use of proceeds	To (i) refinance existing indebtedness, (ii) fund capital expenditures, (iii) fund working capital needs, and (iv) for other general corporate purposes.	To (i) refinance existing indebtedness, including amounts outstanding under the FE regulated money pool used to repay the 6.625% Senior Notes that matured on April 1, 2019, (ii) fund capital expenditures, and (iii) for other general corporate purposes.	To (i) re-establish the debt component within its capital structure following the recent redemption of all of its existing long-term debt, (ii) improve liquidity including satisfying working capital requirements, and (iii) for other general corporate purposes.

- **Moody's Investor Services Actions:**

	CEI	OE	TE	PP
Date	7/23/2019			
Action	Upgrade	Upgrade	Upgrade	Upgrade
Rating Change	To Baa2 from Baa3 (Issuer) To A3 from Baa1 (Secured) To Baa2 from Baa3 (Unsecured)	To A3 from Baa1 (Issuer) To A1 from A2 (Secured) To A3 from Baa1 (Unsecured)	To Baa1 from Baa3 (Issuer) To A2 from Baa1 (Secured)	To A3 from Baa1 (Issuer) To A1 from A2 (Secured)
Outlook	Stable	Positive	Stable	Positive

Credit Profile

$3.5B
Revolving Credit Facilities (RCF)

$1.75B
Term Loan Credit Agreements

$5.4B
Credit Commitment from 24 Financial Institutions

$3.8B
Available Liquidity (as of 7/22/2019)

9% S&P Global
FFO/Debt threshold

12% Moody's
CFO pre-WC/Debt threshold

6.5x Fitch Ratings
FFO Adj. Leverage threshold

~35%
Targeted holding company % of total debt

- Investment-grade credit ratings at FirstEnergy Corp and all subsidiaries.
- Current plan supports remaining compliant with each of the credit rating agencies' respective thresholds.
- Compliant with RCF covenant; $8.6B of additional debt capacity and $4.6B of equity decrease capacity.

Bank Covenant View of Debt-to-Cap Ratio

Compliant with RCF covenant; $8.6B of additional debt capacity

Debt to Total Capitalization Ratio as defined under the FE Credit Facility:	6/30/2019 $M	6/30/2019 %	12/31/2018 $M	12/31/2018 %
Total Stockholder's Equity (GAAP)	$ 7,269	20%	$ 6,814	20%
Non-cash Charges / Non-cash Write Downs[1]	8,264	23%	8,264	24%
Less: Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (GAAP)	(31)	0%	(41)	0%
Adjusted Equity (Non-GAAP)[2]	**15,502**	**43%**	**15,037**	**44%**
Long-term Debt and Other Long-term Obligations (GAAP)	19,053	53%	17,751	52%
Currently Payable Long-term Debt (GAAP)	381	1%	503	1%
Short-term Borrowings (GAAP)	1,250	4%	1,250	4%
Reimbursement Obligations	9	0%	10	0%
Guarantees of Indebtedness	180	1%	190	1%
Less: Securitization Debt	(655)	(2%)	(687)	(2%)
Adjusted Debt (Non-GAAP)[2]	**20,218**	**57%**	**19,017**	**56%**
Adjusted Capitalization (Non-GAAP) [2]	**$ 35,720**	**100%**	**$ 34,054**	**100%**

[1] Includes after-tax non-cash charges and non-cash write downs, primarily associated with the impairment of assets and related charges at the competitive energy business, pension and OPEB mark-to-market adjustments, and regulatory asset charges through June 30, 2019, as permitted by FE's current syndicated revolving credit facility (FE Credit Facility) and term loans.

[2] See slide 74 for information on Non-GAAP Financial Matters.

Consolidated Long-Term Debt Maturities

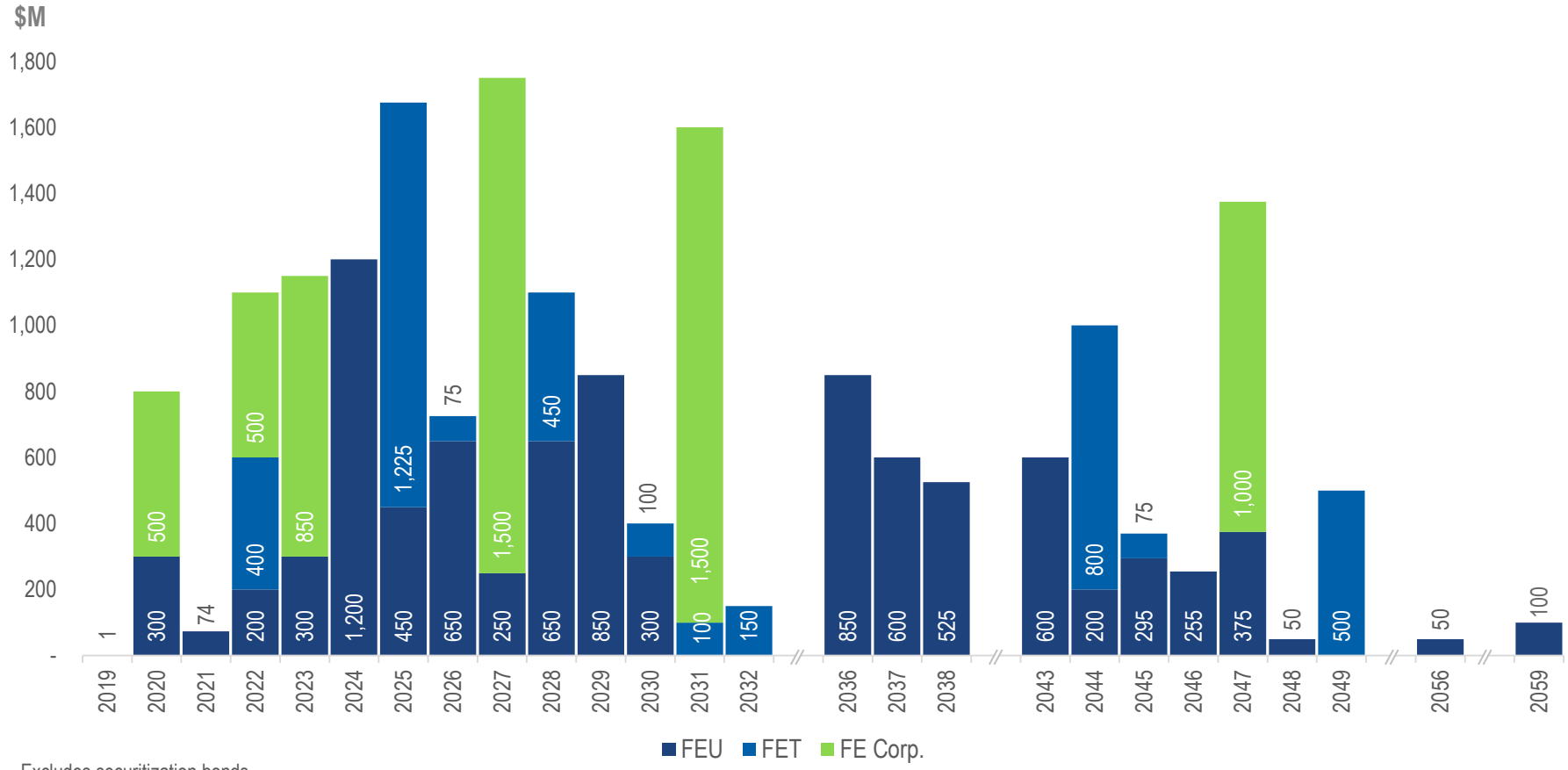
AVG RATES

FEU	FET	CORP
4.81%	4.52%	4.86%

$18.8B FACE VALUE

AVG LENGTH

FEU	FET	CORP
13yrs	14yrs	11yrs



Excludes securitization bonds

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Commonly Used Terms & Acronyms

ADIT	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes
AFUDC	Allowance for Funds Used During Construction
AMI	Advanced Metering Infrastructure
BGS	Basic Generation Service
BOD	Board of Directors
CAGR	Compound Annual Growth Rate
CapEx	Capital Expenditures
CDD	Cooling Degree Days
CFO	Cash From Operations
CFO pre-WC	Cash From Operations pre Working Capital
CO_2	Cardon Dioxide
DCR	Delivery Capital Recovery
DMR	Distribution Modernization Rider
DRIP	Dividend Reinvestment Plan
DSE	Demand Side Management and Energy Efficiency
DSIC	Distribution System Improvement Charge
DSSR	Default Service Support Rider
Dx	Distribution
EDIS	Electric Distribution Investment Surcharge
EDIT	Excessive Deferred Income Taxes
EE	Energy Efficiency
EEC	Energy Efficiency Conservation
EMAAC	EMAAC Locational Deliverability Area in PJM
EmT	Emerging Technologies
ENEC	Expanded Net Energy Costs
EPS	Earnings per Share
ESG	Environmental, Social, and Governance
ESP	Electric Security Plan
ETF	Energizing the Future
ETR	Effective Tax Rate
EV	Electric Vehicle
FCF	Free Cash Flow
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
FEU	FirstEnergy Utilities
FFO	Funds From Operations
GEN	Generation Service Rider
Gx	Generation
HDD	Heating Degree Days
IIP	Infrastructure Investment Program
kV	Kilovolt
kWh	Kilowatt-hour
LTD	Long-Term Debt
LTIIP	Long-Term Infrastructure Improvement Plan
MAAC	MAAC Locational Deliverability Area in PJM
MD PSC	Maryland Public Service Commission
MTM	Mark-to-Market
MW	Megawatt
MWH	Megawatt-hour
NJ BPU	New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
NGC	Non-Utility Generation Charge
NMB	Non-Market Based
NOL	Net Operating Loss
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
OPEB	Other Post-Employment Benefits
OVEC	Ohio Valley Electric Corporation
PA PUC	Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
PBO	Projected Benefit Obligation
PCRB	Pollution Control Revenue Bond
PJM	PJM Interconnection, LLC
PPA	Purchase Power Agreement
PTC	Price-to-Compare
PUCO	Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
RD	Regulated Distribution
ROE	Return on Equity
RRC	Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI) Recovery Charge
RT	Regulated Transmission
RTEP	Regional Transmission Expansion Plan
RTO	Regional Transmission Organization
S&P	Standard & Poor's
SEET	Significantly Excessive Earnings Test
SIP	Stock Investment Plan
SOS	Standard Offer Service
SRC	Storm Recovery Charge
SSO	Standard Service Offer
TCJA	Tax Cuts and Jobs Act
TTM	Trailing Twelve Months
Tx	Transmission
UAS	Unmanned Aircraft System
VERP	Voluntary Enhanced Retirement Program
WC	Working Capital
WV PSC	West Virginia Public Service Commission
YE	Year End

FirstEnergy Companies

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TrAILCo	Trans-Allegheny Interstate Line Company
WPP	West Penn Power Company

2018 GAAP to Operating (Non-GAAP) Earnings[1] Reconciliation

(In $M, except per share amounts)	2018 Actual			
	Regulated Distribution	Regulated Transmission	Corporate/ Other	FirstEnergy Consolidated
2018A Net Income (Loss) attributable to Common Stockholders (GAAP)	**$1,242**	**$397**	**($658)**	**$981**
2018A Basic Earnings (Loss) Per Share (avg. shares outstanding 492M)	**$2.53**	**$0.81**	**($1.35)**	**$1.99**
Excluding Special Items:				
Impact of full dilution	(0.22)	(0.07)	0.81	0.52
Mark-to-market adjustments – Pension/OPEB actuarial assumptions	0.15	–	0.04	0.19
Regulatory charges	(0.20)	–	–	(0.20)
Debt redemption costs	0.01	–	0.21	0.22
Tax reform	0.04	–	–	0.04
Exit of competitive generation	0.10	–	(0.27)	(0.17)
Total Special Items	**($0.12)**	**($0.07)**	**$0.79**	**$0.60**
2018A Operating Earnings (Loss) Per Share – Non-GAAP (538M fully diluted shares)	**$2.41**	**$0.74**	**($0.56)**	**$2.59**

[1] Operating earnings exclude special items as described in the reconciliation table above and is a non-GAAP financial measure.

Per share amounts for the special items above are based on the after-tax effect of each item divided by the number of shares outstanding for the period assuming full impact of dilution from the $2.5B equity issuance in January 2018 (538M fully diluted shares). The current and deferred income tax effect was calculated by applying the subsidiaries' statutory tax rate to the pre-tax amount if deductible/taxable. The income tax rates range from 21% to 29%.

2019F GAAP to Operating (Non-GAAP) Earnings[1] Reconciliation

(In $M, except per share amounts)	2019 Forecast				3Q19 Forecast
	Regulated Distribution	Regulated Transmission	Corporate/ Other	FirstEnergy Consolidated	FirstEnergy Consolidated
2019F Net Income (Loss) attributable to Common Stockholders (GAAP)	**$1,170 - $1,275**	**$435 - $480**	**($340) – ($330)**	**$1,265 - $1,425**	**$365 - $430**
2019F Earnings (Loss) Per Share	**$2.16 - $2.36**	**$0.81 - $0.89**	**($0.63) – ($0.61)**	**$2.34 - $2.64**	**$0.68 - $0.80**
Excluding Special Items:					
Impact of full dilution	(0.02)	–	0.02	–	–
Regulatory charges	(0.01)	–	–	(0.01)	–
Exit of competitive generation	0.03	–	0.09	0.12	–
Total Special Items	**--**	**---**	**0.11**	**0.11**	**---**
2019F Operating Earnings (Loss) Per Share – Non-GAAP (540M fully diluted shares)	**$2.16 - $2.36**	**$0.81 - $0.89**	**($0.52) – ($0.50)**	**$2.45 - $2.75**	**$0.68 - $0.80**

[1] Operating earnings exclude special items as described in the reconciliation table above and is a non-GAAP financial measure.

Per share amounts for the special items above are based on the after-tax effect of each item divided by the number of shares outstanding for the period assuming full impact of dilution from the $2.5B equity issuance in January 2018 (540M fully diluted shares). The current and deferred income tax effect was calculated by applying the subsidiaries' statutory tax rate to the pre-tax amount if deductible/taxable. The income tax rates range from 21% to 29%. 2019F Earnings (Loss) Per Share and 2019F Operating Earnings (Loss) Per Share - Non-GAAP are based on 540M shares outstanding.

2018A and 2019F Special Items[1]

- Regulatory charges – Primarily reflects the impact of regulatory agreements or orders requiring certain commitments and/or disallowing the recoverability of costs, net of related credits.
- Mark-to-market adjustments: Pension/OPEB actuarial assumptions – Reflects the change in fair value of plan assets and net actuarial gains and losses associated with the company's pension and postemployment benefit plans.
- Exit of competitive generation – Primarily reflects charges or credits resulting from the exit of competitive operations and impairments of certain non-core assets, including the impact of deconsolidating FES, its subsidiaries and FENOC, following their voluntary petitions for bankruptcy protection on March 31, 2018.
- Debt redemption costs – Primarily reflects costs associated with the redemption and early retirement of debt and amendments to revolving credit facilities.
- Tax reform – Primarily reflects charges and credits resulting from the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act.
- Impact of full dilution – Represents the dilutive impact of increasing weighted average shares outstanding to reflect the full impact of share dilution from the $2.5 billion equity issuance in January 2018, including preferred dividends and conversion of preferred stock to common shares.

[1] Special items represent charges incurred or benefits realized, including share dilution, that management believes are not indicative of, or may obscure trends useful in evaluating the company's ongoing core activities and results of operations or otherwise warrant separate classification. Special items are not necessarily non-recurring.

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(FES), its subsidiaries, and FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company (FENOC) (FES Bankruptcy) that could adversely affect us, our liquidity or results of operations, including, without limitation, that conditions to the FES Bankruptcy settlement agreement may not be met or that the FES Bankruptcy settlement agreement may not be otherwise consummated, and if so, the potential for litigation and payment demands against us by FES or FENOC or their creditors; the ability to accomplish or realize anticipated benefits from strategic and financial goals, including, but not limited to, our strategy to operate and grow as a fully regulated business, to execute our transmission and distribution investment plans, to continue to reduce costs through FE Tomorrow, which is the FirstEnergy initiative launched in late 2016 to identify our optimal organization structure and properly align corporate costs and systems to efficiently support FirstEnergy as a fully regulated company going forward, and other initiatives, and to improve our credit metrics, strengthen our balance sheet and grow earnings; legislative and regulatory developments including, but not limited to, matters related to rates, compliance and enforcement activity; economic and weather conditions affecting future operating results, such as significant weather events and other natural disasters, and associated regulatory events or actions; changes in assumptions regarding economic conditions within our territories, the reliability of our transmission and distribution system, or the availability of capital or other resources supporting identified transmission and distribution investment opportunities; changes in customers' demand for power, including, but not limited to, the impact of change or energy efficiency and peak demand reduction mandates; changes in national and regional economic conditions affecting us and/or our major industrial and commercial customers or others with which we do business; the risks associated with cyber-attacks and other disruptions to our information technology system, which may compromise our operations, and data security breaches of sensitive data, intellectual property and proprietary or personally identifiable information; the ability to comply with applicable reliability standards and energy efficiency and peak demand reduction mandates; changes to environmental laws and regulations, including, but not limited to, those related to climate change; changing market conditions affecting the measurement of certain liabilities and the value of assets held in our pension trusts and other trust funds, or causing us to make contributions sooner, or in amounts that are larger, than currently anticipated; the risks associated with the decommissioning of our retired and former nuclear facilities; the risks and uncertainties associated with litigation, arbitration, mediation and like proceedings; labor disruptions by our unionized workforce; changes to significant accounting policies; any changes in tax laws or regulations, including the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, or adverse tax audit results or rulings; the ability to access the public securities and other capital and credit markets in accordance with our financial plans, the cost of such capital and overall condition of the capital and credit markets affecting us; actions that may be taken by credit rating agencies that could negatively affect either our access to or terms of financing or our financial condition and liquidity; and the risks and other factors discussed from time to time in FirstEnergy’s Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) filings. 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Non-GAAP Financial Matters

This presentation contains references to non-GAAP financial measures including, among others, Operating earnings (loss), Operating earnings (loss) per share, Operating earnings (loss) per share by segment, Adjusted Equity, Adjusted Debt, Adjusted Capitalization, Funds from Operations (FFO) and Free Cash Flow (FCF). Generally, a non-GAAP financial measure is a numerical measure of a company's historical or future financial performance, financial position, or cash flows that either excludes or includes amounts that are not normally excluded or included in the most directly comparable measure calculated and presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP). Operating earnings (loss), Operating earnings (loss) per share and Operating earnings (loss) per share by segment are not calculated in accordance with GAAP to the extent they exclude the impact of "special items." Special items represent charges incurred or benefits realized that management believes are not indicative of, or may obscure trends useful in evaluating the company's ongoing core activities and results of operations or otherwise warrant separate classification. Special items also reflect the adjustment to include the full impact of share dilution from the $2.5 billion equity issuance in January 2018. Special items are not necessarily non-recurring. FirstEnergy Corp. (FE or the Company) management cannot estimate on a forward-looking basis the impact of these items in the context of Operating earnings (loss) per share growth projections because these items, which could be significant, are difficult to predict and may be highly variable. Consequently, the Company is unable to reconcile Operating earnings (loss) per share growth projections (i.e. CAGR) to a GAAP measure without unreasonable effort.

Operating earnings (loss) per share and Operating earnings (loss) per share for each segment is calculated by dividing Operating earnings (loss), which excludes special items as discussed above, for the periods presented in 2018 by 538 million shares, 539 million shares in the second quarter of 2019 and by 540 million shares for the third quarter of 2019 and full year 2019, which reflects the full impact of share dilution from the equity issuance in January 2018.

Management uses non-GAAP financial measures such as Operating earnings (loss), Operating earnings (loss) per share, FFO and Free Cash Flow to evaluate the company's performance and manage its operations and frequently references these non-GAAP financial measures in its decision-making, using them to facilitate historical and ongoing performance comparisons. Additionally, management uses Operating earnings (loss) per share by segment to further evaluate the company's performance by segment and references this non-GAAP financial measure in its decision-making. Management believes that the non-GAAP financial measures of Operating earnings (loss), Operating earnings (loss) per share and Operating earnings (loss) per share by segment and Free Cash Flow provide consistent and comparable measures of performance of its businesses on an ongoing basis. Management uses Adjusted Equity, Adjusted Debt and Adjusted Capitalization to calculated and monitor its compliance with the debt to total capitalization financial covenant under the FE credit facility and term loans. These financial measures, as calculated in accordance with the FE Credit Facility and term loans, help shareholders understand FE's compliance with and provide a basis for understanding FE's incremental debt capacity under the debt to total capitalization financial covenants. The financial covenants under the FE Credit Facility and terms loans require FE to maintain a consolidated debt to total capitalization of no more than 65%, measured at the end of each fiscal quarter. Management also believes that such measures are useful to shareholders and other interested parties to understand performance trends and evaluate the company against its peer group by presenting period-over-period operating results without the effect of certain charges or benefits that may not be consistent or comparable across periods or across the company's peer group. All of these non-GAAP financial measures are intended to complement, and are not considered as alternatives to, the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures. Also, the non-GAAP financial measures may not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by other entities.

Pursuant to the requirements of Regulation G, FirstEnergy has provided, where possible without unreasonable effort, quantitative reconciliations within this presentation of the non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures.