NASEO STATE ENERGY PLANNING WORKSHOP

LEVERAGING COMPREHENSIVE STATE ENERGY PLANS TO MEET EMERGING STATE NEEDS

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ENERGY PLAN



THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA'S

ENERGY

2022

PLAN

VIRGINIA ENERGY











Ensures longterm stability of the power grid amid rising demand Helps control costs for consumers by promoting efficient resources allocation Supports job creation and investments in emerging technology Encourages cleaner energy sources and emissions reduction

Provides structured, data-driven process subject to public review and regulatory oversight





VIRGINIA ENERGY

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

UTILITIES

CONSUMER, ENVIRONMENTAL, AND INDUSTRY GROUPS

Integrated Resource Plans (IRP)

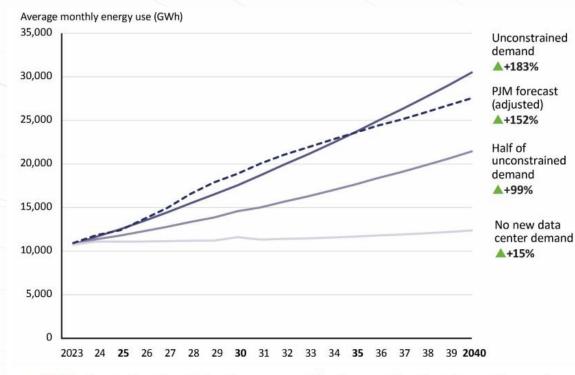
- Rate stability
- Energy independence
- Economic development
- Service reliability



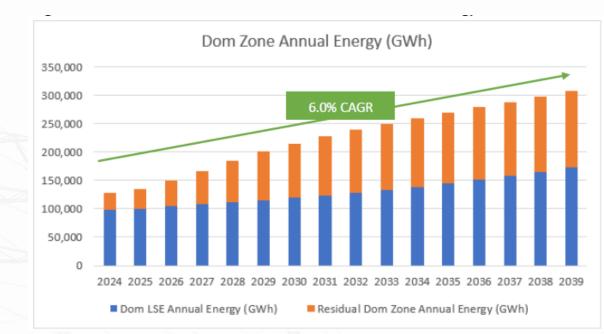








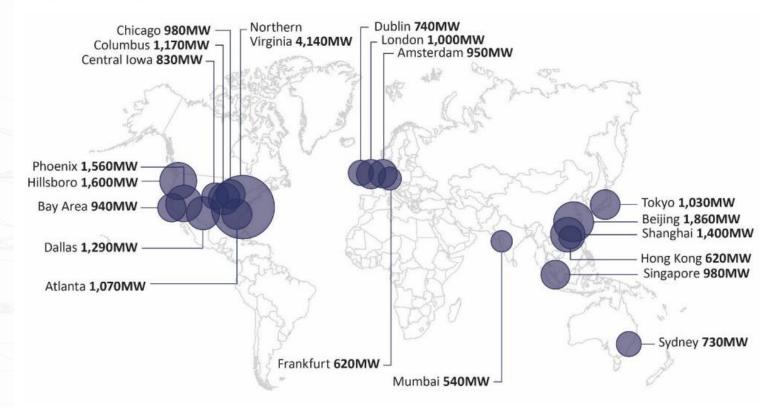
PJM is the regional organization responsible for coordinating generation and transmission for Virginia and several other eastern and midwestern states



ENERGY PLAN | DEMAND

DATA CENTERS IN VIRGINIA

Northern Virginia is the largest data center market in the world



JLARC analysis of Cushman & Wakefield 2024 Global Data Center Market Comparison

Data Center Load













VIRGINIA ENERGY | SEO, RELIABILITY TEAM

Energy Security & Reliability

- Energy Modeling and Data Analytics
- State and Public Facility Energy Data Management
- Natural Gas/ Renewable Natural Gas
- Energy Savings Performance Contracting (ESPC)/Demand Response
- Energy Security Planning
- Transmission and Distribution

THANK YOU.

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