

Our strategic plan communicates the agency's strategic goals and associated initiatives and performance measures as defined by the Executive Board.



## **MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE BOARD CHAIR AND CEO**

#### **Energy Northwest Team**

We are pleased to share with you Energy Northwest's updated three-year Strategic Plan covering fiscal years 2019-2020-2021. The strategic plan is our blueprint for fulfilling EN's mission to provide our public power members and regional customers with safe, reliable, cost-effective, responsible power generation and energy solutions.

Last year the executive board adjusted the strategic goals and strategy to more rapidly advance our vision of being a regional leader in clean power generation and energy solutions.

The following table represents a snapshot of how we performed in FY19 against our strategy.

Strategic Goal	Status	Supporting Details
Industry Top Quartile In each Safety Category	Needs Improvement	<ul> <li>+ Received American Public Power Association's and Northwest Public Power Association's safety awards for calendar year 2018</li> <li>- Defined Measures of Excellence not achieved</li> </ul>
Industry Top quartile in Columbia Performance	Needs Improvement	+ Greatest generation in 34-year history - Defined Measures of Excellence not achieved
Industry Top Quartile in Asset Performance	On Track with areas for improvement	<ul> <li>+ Planned outages for Packwood, Portland and Tieton hydro projects completed with no injuries, on (or under) budget and completed on schedule</li> <li>Not all defined Measures of Excellence achieved</li> </ul>
Provide innovation, value-added energy solutions leading to overall ESD revenue growth	On Track with areas for improvement	<ul> <li>+ Six electric vehicle stations installed across Washington state with more coming</li> <li>Not all defined Measures of Excellence achieved</li> </ul>
Cost-effective operation: Economic sustainability and competitiveness in the region	On Track with areas for improvement	+ 7 <sup>th</sup> year achieving cost reduction targets while not impacting predictability - Not all defined Measures of Excellence achieved
Ensure Energy Northwest has knowledgeable, capable and proficient leaders and a professional workforce able to attain and sustain excellence in performance	On Track	+ Employee engagement ratings remain high + Defined Measures of Excellence successfully achieved
Enhance the reputation of Energy Northwest; foster public support for Columbia Generating Station's clean, carbon-free nuclear energy	On Track	<ul> <li>+ Received continued regional support for our shared debt cooperation program resulting in \$2.4 billion in net savings to regional rate customers</li> <li>+ Defined Measures of Excellence successfully achieved</li> </ul>

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## **MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE BOARD CHAIR AND CEO**

As we move into year two of our three-year plan, we made the following adjustments to either add more focus or to course correct based on our performance to date:

- New Energy Services and Development Vision
- New strategic goals under both Services & Operating Excellence and Innovative Energy Solutions which then prompted entirely new measures of excellence and strategic initiatives
- New measures and initiatives under Nuclear Excellence
- New initiatives added to Employee Engagement
- Minor updates to measures and initiatives under Safety First, Corporate Responsibility and Stakeholder Trust & Confidence

Let's continue to aggressively and innovatively pursue new opportunities; act with urgency to correct shortfalls; and ensure our resources are protected and managed with excellence. Remember, we cannot be excellent unless we seek excellence each and every day. We have a strong team with the right passion to succeed. Thank you for your hard work and commitment to Energy Northwest.

Sid Morrison Executive Board Chair

Brad Sawatzke Chief Executive Officer

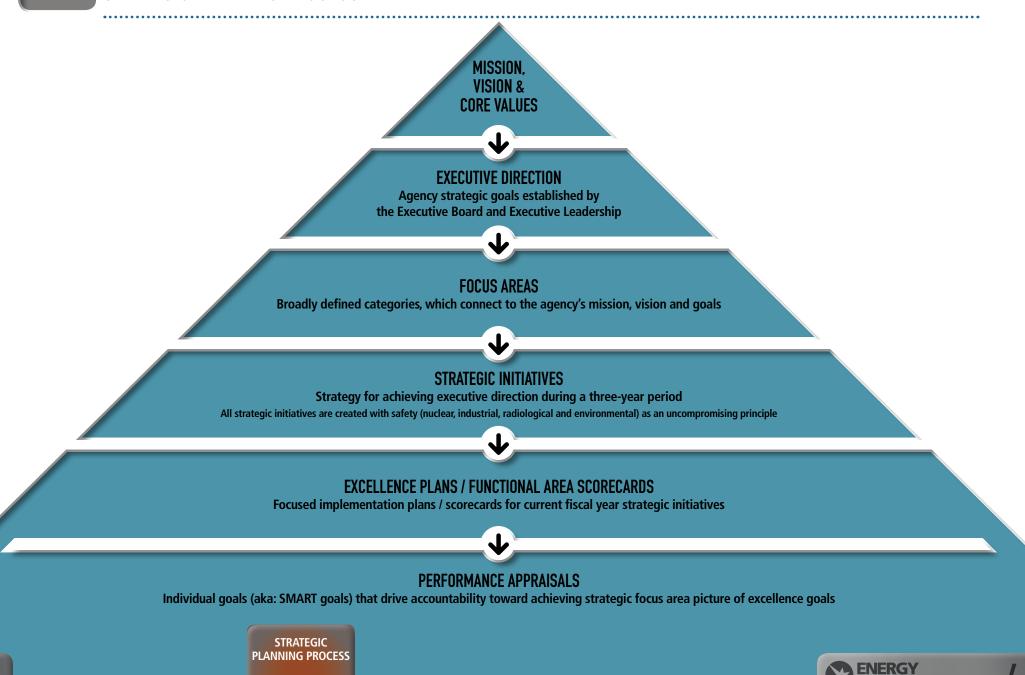
### **IMPLEMENTING THE VISION**

All employees have a part in implementing this vision. Your role in executing the strategic plan includes:

- Focus Area / Goal owners: ensure detailed tactical plans are established to implement the enclosed strategy of what will be done, by when, and by whom. Provide oversight of the plan's progress. Ensure inherent risks are evaluated to ensure strategic objectives can be met as defined by the related goal(s) and measure(s) of excellence.
- **Department managers and supervisors:** develop detailed excellence plans with actions related to who; what; and when for each assigned strategic initiative. Ensure effective communication with your team on what the role of the department and their individual roles are to implementing assigned initiatives as well as agencywide initiatives that may not have a discrete assigned action such as improve human performance.
- All employees: understand the agency's mission; vision; and strategic initiatives. Discuss with your supervisor; manager; and peers regarding your role in implementing strategic initiatives.

The strategic plan ensures that as a team - EN is focused and moving in the same direction. The enclosed strategic plan lays out the key measures of excellence and strategic initiatives to accomplish the board's defined goals. We will continue to assess our strategy and make changes to this document when needed - as the energy landscape is rapidly changing.

### **STRATEGIC PLANNING PROCESS**



## **MISSION, VISION & CORE VALUES**

Public health and safety is the unwavering commitment for everything we do and is the overarching imperative of our mission, vision and strategic plan.

### **AGENCY MISSION**

Provide our public power members and regional customers with safe, reliable, cost-effective, responsible power generation and energy solutions.

### **AGENCY VISION**

A regional leader in clean power generation and energy solutions through sustained excellence in performance and innovation.

#### **Columbia Vision**

Sustained nuclear excellence reflected by performance in the top quartile.

#### **Energy Services and Development Vision**

The leader in providing diverse services and clean energy solutions that offer our regional customers best value while achieving sustained growth and excellence.

### **CORE VALUES**

#### Safety first

A strong safety culture permeates the organization – every employee takes personal responsibility and demonstrates commitment to nuclear, industrial, radiological and environmental safety.

#### Integrity in all we do

We earn trust by doing what we say we will do, ensuring our actions and words are consistent, honest and ethical. We will help each other succeed through collaboration, mutual respect and trust.

#### Accountability for our actions

We take ownership and personal responsibility for both individual and team actions and results.

#### Excellence in performance

Relentless pursuit of the highest performance expectations through continuous improvement and zero tolerance for deviation from standards, and dedication to fostering an environment of teamwork.

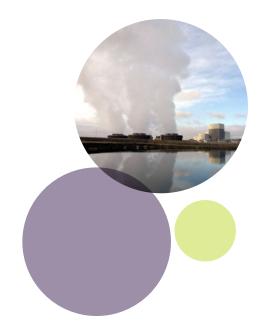
*Our core values are essential to achieving our mission, vision, goals and strategic initiatives. They guide our daily activities and behaviors and are achieved through open and honest communication.* 

> MISSION, VISION & CORE VALUES



## **EXECUTIVE BOARD DIRECTION**

Annually, the Energy Northwest Executive Board reviews, assesses and provides the agency strategic direction focusing on our future outlook. This direction is centered around achievement of our mission and vision through our core values. Each strategic goal is linked to an implementing focus area where you can find specific strategic initiatives created to drive sustainable achievement of these goals as well as how we measure achievement.



## STRATEGIC GOAL Industry Top Quartile in each Safety category Industry Top Quartile in Columbia Performance Strengthen existing lines of business through diversified and sustained growth Strengthen and grow the future of Energy Northwest through risk-informed development of innovative clean energy solutions and services Cost-effective operation: Economic sustainability and competitiveness in the region Ensure Energy Northwest has knowledgeable, capable and proficient leaders and a professional workforce able to attain and sustain excellence in performance Enhance the reputation of Energy Northwest; foster public support for Columbia Generating Station's clean, carbon-free nuclear energy

EXECUTIVE BOARD DIRECTION

### FOCUS AREAS



Focus Area: SAFETY FIRST

#### Owner: Bob Schuetz

Vice President for Nuclear Operations

#### STRATEGIC GOAL

Industry Top Quartile in each Safety category

#### A PICTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

(includes key words that define what excellence is)

Strong Safety Culture • Accident Free • Control Dose • Event Free • Environmental Stewardship

#### **B** MEASURES OF EXCELLENCE:

(targets to help measure success of reaching and sustaining excellence; 'equal to green' = meeting established target)

- 1. Nuclear Columbia's reactivity management index for boiling water reactor's in the industry top quartile
- 2. Radiological Columbia's collective radiation exposure performance achieving industry goal
- 3. Industrial Zero OSHA recordable injuries
- 4. Environmental Environmental Stewardship Program performance indicators equal to green

### C CHALLENGES TO EXCELLENCE:

(gaps that hinder achieving and/or sustaining excellence)

- 1. Columbia has not consistently met the Reactivity Management Index industry standards
- 2. Columbia has not consistently met the collective radiation exposure industry established goals
- 3. Consistent demonstration of safe behaviors needs improvement agencywide
- 4. Employee awareness of the Environmental Stewardship Program needs continued improvement agencywide

### **D** IMPLEMENTING PLANS:

- 1. Columbia
- 2. Energy Services & Development
- 3. Environmental & Regulatory Programs
- 4. Reactivity Management
- 5. Equipment Reliability
- 6. Collective Radiation Exposure

Energy Northwest has an award-earning safety record, and our team remains committed to safe operations.

## SAFETY IS THE NUMBER ONE PRIORITY.



Focus Area: SAFETY FIRST

#### **Owner:**

**Bob Schuetz** Vice President for Nuclear Operations

# FY19-21

<b>E</b> STRATEGIC INITIATIVES	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
1. Nuclear Safety				
<ul> <li>Engineering and Maintenance continue to resolve reactivity management items in a timely manner</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>b. Continue to advocate at Plant Health Committee and Project Review Committee for any reactivity management issues that need financing or station focus</li> </ul>	FY19		-	
<ul> <li>c. Ensure outage reactivity management items are completed</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>d. Engineering implement proactive measures to prevent events caused by critical equipment failures *</li> </ul>	FY19			
2. Radiological Safety				
a. Implement on-line dose reduction actions	FY19			
<ul> <li>Expand the use of remote monitoring to realize more dose reduction opportunities</li> </ul>	FY19			
c. Expand the use of technology to reduce outage dose	FY19			

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3. Industrial Safety					
a. Utilize a Safety for positive safe	Committee peer recognition program ty behaviors	FY19			
	enerating station in the top decile mance and add applicable actions to afety Plan	FY19			
c. Develop and im	plement an outage safety plan	FY19			
4. Environmental Sa	fety				
a. Meet Small Qua agency facilities	ntity Generator status at all	FY19			
b. Reduce agencyv previous fiscal y	vide energy consumption from rear	FY19			
c. Maintain agency Stewardship Pro	ywide Environmental gram	FY19			
d. Meet agencywie	de regulatory compliance obligations	FY19			

\* Associated with a Mission Critical Risk



## Focus Area: NUCLEAR EXCELLENCE

#### **Owner:** Grover Hettel Chief Nuclear Officer

### STRATEGIC GOAL

Industry Top Quartile in Columbia Performance

### A PICTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

(includes key words that define what excellence is)

Safe • Reliable • Predictable • Sustainable

### **B** MEASURES OF EXCELLENCE:

(targets to help measure success of reaching and sustaining excellence; 'equal to green' = meeting established target)

- 1. ZERO OSHA Recordable injuries \*
- 2. ZERO Significant Human Performance Events \*
- 3. Equipment Reliability Industry 1st Quartile \*
- 4. Successful Outage All Tier 1 Goals met \*

\* Associated with a Mission Critical Risk

### C CHALLENGES TO EXCELLENCE:

(gaps that hinder achieving and/or sustaining excellence)

- 1. Inconsistent human performance has led to variable station performance
- 2. Focus on compliance versus excellence at all levels
- 3. Inherent risk in operational activities not always well understood and mitigated
- 4. Inherent risk in degraded equipment decisions not always well understood and mitigated
- 5. Vision of excellence for individual work groups needs improvement

### **D** IMPLEMENTING PLANS:

- 1. Columbia
- 2. Equipment Reliability
- 3. Work Management
- 4. Performance Improvement
- 5. Organizational Effectiveness

Columbia Generating Station received Power magazine's Top Plant award for pursuit of excellence and commitment to nuclear reliability, predictability, cost-effectiveness and safety

Nuclear power is a reliable energy producer.





## Focus Area: **NUCLEAR EXCELLENCE**

#### **Owner:** Grover Hettel **Chief Nuclear Officer**

## FY19-21

E STRATEGIC INITIATIVES	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
1. Safety First *				
<ul> <li>a. Identify improvements for safety behaviors and situations through coaching</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>Actively engage in discussion of safety aspects of the job</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>c. Improve adherence to clearance and tagging practices</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>Review safety/human performance action item list with component managers once per month</li> </ul>	FY19			
2. Coaching for Excellence *				
<ul> <li>Department leaders set and communicate their vision of excellence to their work groups through use of department playbooks</li> </ul>	FY19			•
<ul> <li>b. Leverage employee input and involvement as we move towards excellence, measuring ourselves against industry best</li> </ul>	FY19			•
c. Implement improvements to Observation program to capture coaching for excellence opportunities	FY19			

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STRATEGIC INITIATIVE cont'd	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
3. Risk Management is Core Business *				
a. Reinforce the expectations within each department to leverage the excellence model, (including defined risk management principles), and our human perfor- mance tools to ensure work is error and event free.	FY19			
<ul> <li>b. Department Managers and Supervisors conduct observations of their department focused on performance in the area of managing risk including utilization of the excellence model and human performance tools.</li> </ul>	FY19	1		•
<ul> <li>c. Establish department level observation reporting focused on risk management effectiveness. Utilize the reporting to improve performance.</li> </ul>	FY19			

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### Focus Area: **SERVICES & OPERATING EXCELLENCE**

### STRATEGIC GOAL

Strengthen existing lines of business through diversified and sustained growth

### A PICTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

(includes key words that define what excellence is)

Safe • Reliable • Predictable • Sustainable

#### В MEASURES OF EXCELLENCE:

(targets to help measure success of reaching and sustaining excellence; 'equal to green' = meeting established target/goal)

- Business Development Fund Operating Project Margin meets target 1.
  - FY20 = \$723,000 ٠
- Participant Satisfaction Index equals green 2.

### C CHALLENGES TO EXCELLENCE:

(gaps that hinder achieving and/or sustaining excellence)

- 1. Maintaining and growing new and existing revenue contracts
- 2. Collaborating with members and other partners toward aggregation of new services, programs and projects

### **D** IMPLEMENTING PLANS:

1. Energy Services and Development

**Energy Northwest** utilizes input from the General Manager **Advisory Group to** develop or enhance high value services to our members

#### **Owner:** Tim Nies

General Manager of Energy Services and Development

### STRATEGIC FOCUS

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### Focus Area:

#### Owner:

Tim Nies General Manager of Energy Services and Development

## FY19-21

Ε	STRATEGIC INITIATIVES	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
1. G	row Operations and Maintenance				
a.	Evaluate resources to support O&M expansion	FY20			
b.	Establish strategic relationships to broaden capabilities and expand opportunities for addition of O&M facilities	FY20		-	
C.	Identify high potential customers and engage to educate on available services to operate and maintain their power generation assets	FY20			1
d.	Expand outage support at hydro facilities on the west coast	FY20			
e.	Maintain excellence for existing assets (Packwood, Nine Canyon, Tieton and Portland)	FY20			
2. Ex	kpand Precision Lab Services				
a.	Expand the Precision Lab's services by gaining new customers	FY20			
b.	Establish long-term contracts for environmental services with government agencies and other businesses	FY20			•
C.	Explore opportunities to become a lab equipment distributor	FY20			

**SERVICES & OPERATING EXCELLENCE** 

STRATEGIC INITIATIVE cont'd	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
3. Secure Leasing Opportunities				
<ul> <li>Retain anchor tenants and lease excess facility/ storage space in EN managed buildings</li> </ul>	FY20			
<ul> <li>Explore retaining the Industrial Development</li> <li>Complex as a potential site for future development</li> </ul>	FY20			
<ul> <li>c. Explore business case options for Capital Development Corporation</li> </ul>	FY20			



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## Focus Area: INNOVATIVE ENERGY SOLUTIONS

### STRATEGIC GOAL

Strengthen and grow the future of Energy Northwest through risk-informed development of innovative clean energy solutions and services

### A PICTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

(includes key words that define what excellence is)

Safe • Professional • Knowledgeable • Value-Added • Engaged • Flexible

### **B** MEASURES OF EXCELLENCE:

(targets to help measure success of reaching and sustaining excellence; 'equal to green' = meeting established target)

- 1. Business Development Fund Revenue Growth Indicator meets target of \$15 million by the end of FY23
  - FY20 = \$9,770,000
- 2. Business Development Fund Operating Project Margin meets target
  - FY20 = \$723,000

### C CHALLENGES TO EXCELLENCE:

(gaps that hinder achieving and/or sustaining excellence)

- 1. Understanding Northwest market dynamics; developing markets where they do not currently exist.
- 2. Transportation electrification will rely heavily on available grant funding through either the State of Washington or Department of Energy.
- 3. There is no established northwest market for demand side management. ESD will have to establish this market by working with BPA, our members and stakeholders.

### **D** IMPLEMENTING PLANS:

1. Energy Services and Development Energy Northwest is preparing for the future by partnering with local and regional organizations to advance next generation energy technologies.

Tim Nies General Manager of Energy Services

and Development

Owner:

## Focus Area: INNOVATIVE ENERGY SOLUTIONS

#### Owner:

Tim Nies General Manager of Energy Services and Development

## FY19-21

<b>E</b> STRATEGIC INITIATIVES	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
1. Grow Electrification Services				
<ul> <li>Expand electrification support through partnerships and ownership of electric vehicle charging stations throughout the state</li> </ul>	FY20			
<ul> <li>Identify additional opportunities to provide electrification leadership and services</li> </ul>	FY20			
2. Develop Clean Energy Solutions				
<ul> <li>a. Support Carbon Free Power Project</li> <li>i. Execute operating agreement</li> <li>ii. Develop required infrastructure</li> <li>iii. Assist in outreach of project to increase participation</li> </ul>	FY20			•
<ul> <li>b. Participate in community and industrial scale solar; and storage projects (i.e., Horn Rapids Solar, Storage, and Training Project) <ol> <li>Develop specification and scope for battery energy storage system</li> <li>Implement design and construction of a first-of-its kind solar and storage facility</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	FY20		•	•
c. Understand impacts of carbon free legislation				

ST	RATEGIC INITIATIVES cont'd	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
3.	Grow Information Technology Services				
	a. Provide cyber security services to member utilities and other businesses	FY20			
	b. Explore and expand IT services offerings	FY20			
4.	Create Hosted Technical Services				
	<ul> <li>Develop and install demand voltage reduction control system</li> </ul>	FY20			
	b. Develop infrastructure for demand response program	FY20			
	<ul> <li>Evaluate additional hosted technical services and develop plans as appropriate</li> </ul>	FY20			
5.	Explore power aggregation project				
	<ul> <li>Evaluate potential for serving as a power resources aggregator for members and participants</li> </ul>	FY20			
6.	Evaluate EN as a Managed Services Provider/Staff Augm	entation			
	<ul> <li>a. Look for opportunities and implement agreements to become a Managed Services Provider for public utilities</li> </ul>	FY20			
	b. Explore possibilities for labor exchange program	FY20			
6.	a. Look for opportunities and implement agreements to become a Managed Services Provider for public utilities	FY20		•	

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## Focus Area: CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITY

### STRATEGIC GOAL

Cost-effective operation: Economic sustainability and competitiveness in the region

### A PICTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

(includes key words that define what excellence is)

Ethical • Accountable • Transparent • Predictable • Cost Effective

### **B** MEASURES OF EXCELLENCE:

(targets to help measure success of reaching and sustaining excellence; 'equal to green' = meeting established target)

- Columbia has a declining cost trajectory that supports the approved 2026 cost of power target as identified in the long-range plan (updated annually)\*
  - FY20 = \$33.7 mwh
  - FY21 = \$48.9 mwh
- 2. Packwood and Nine Canyon O&M and Capital budgets equal green
  - Packwood: \$4,123,000
  - Nine Canyon: \$5,910,000

\* Associated with a Mission Critical Risk

### C CHALLENGES TO EXCELLENCE:

(gaps that hinder achieving and/or sustaining excellence)

- 1. Regional cost pressures
- 2. Industry changes and disruption
- 3. Cost-reduction sustainability
- 4. Outage duration greater than desired
- 5. Risk management proficiency continuous improvement
- 6. Customer needs change rapidly
- 7. Enhancing corporate oversight
- **D** IMPLEMENTING PLANS:
- 1. Corporate

Energy Northwest is continually working to lower Columbia's cost-of-power, which increases it's value to the Northwest energy mix.

STRATEGIC FOCUS AREAS Owner: Brent Ridge

Vice President for Corporate Services; Chief Financial Officer

### Focus Area: CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITY

#### Owner:

Brent Ridge Vice President for Corporate Services;

**Chief Financial Officer** 

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# FY19-21

E STRATEGIC INITIATIVES	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
1. Increase Agility*				
<ul> <li>a. Understand and manage Columbia's regional competitiveness: Engage in regional public power and stakeholder discussions, adjusting actions and targets, adapting to customer expectations</li> </ul>	FY19	1		
<ul> <li>Understand and manage ESD revenue sustainability through evaluation of customer needs and potential industry disruptions</li> </ul>	FY19		-	
<ul> <li>c. Identify and implement lasting budget reductions through process efficiencies using assessment reviews, cost savings idea initiatives and industry benchmarking</li> </ul>	FY19	•		1

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2. Su	stainable Cost Reduction & Performance*				
a.	Reduce costs associated with staff augmentation: Implement and periodically evaluate effectiveness of approved standardized staff augmentation program	FY19			
b.	Cost management behaviors: Create deeper cost management understanding and discipline across the agency surrounding both fixed and variable costs	FY19			
C.	Outage cost management: Implement outage Long Range Planning, effectively managing outage costs, durations and goals, to support sustainable regional commitment	FY19	•	•	•
d.	Effective risk management: Strengthen risk management behaviors to support consistent recognition of risks and hazards	FY19			
e.	Effective corporate oversight: Enhance and increasingly leverage Corporate Governance and Oversight across the agency to improve performance	FY19			

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## Focus Area: EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT

### Owner:

Steve Lorence General Manager for Corporate Support Services

### STRATEGIC GOAL

Ensure Energy Northwest has knowledgeable, capable and proficient leaders and a professional workforce able to attain and sustain excellence in performance

### A PICTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

(includes key words that define what excellence is)

Talented • Trusting • Inspired • Engaged • Appreciated

### **B** MEASURES OF EXCELLENCE:

(targets to help measure success of reaching and sustaining excellence; 'equal to green' = meeting established target)

- 1. Voluntary turnover in industry metrics in the top quartile\*
- Agency's critical leadership positions with a ready now succession candidate or emergency replacement candidate identified performance indicator equals green (≥80%)\*
- 3. Leadership positions filled internally is equal to 70 percent or greater\*
- 4. Critical leadership positions filled through succession planning is equal to 75 percent or greater\*
- 5. Knowledge transfer performance indicator equals green (≥50%)\*
- 6. Succession Plan Development implementation equals green (≥80%)\*

\* Associated with a Mission Critical Risk

### C CHALLENGES TO EXCELLENCE:

(gaps that hinder achieving and/or sustaining excellence)

- 1. Consistent use of knowledge transfer plan and workforce planning across the agency
- 2. Continued focus on succession planning and employee development
- 3. Leadership development effectiveness and timeliness
- 4. Focus on compliance versus excellence

### **D** IMPLEMENTING PLANS:

- 1. Human Resources
- 2. Organizational Effectiveness
- 3. Training

World at Work awarded Energy Northwest a 2017 Seal of Distinction in recognition of efforts to provide a mutually beneficial workplace experience.



### Focus Area: EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT

#### Owner:

Steve Lorence General Manager for Corporate Support Services

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## FY19-21

E STRATEGIC INITIATIVES	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
1. Workforce planning implementation *				
a. Execute workforce planning strategy	FY19			
<ul> <li>Review workforce planning annually to identify and plan for gaps</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>c. Department managers prepare detailed workforce plans</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>Ensure workforce plans contain detailed knowledge transfer and retention actions for key employees</li> </ul>	FY19			
2. Succession plan candidate development *				
<ul> <li>Ensure the correct critical positions are identified on an annual basis</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>b. Identify succession plan candidates and prepare rigorous, comprehensive and fully implemented developmental plans</li> </ul>	FY19	•	•	
3. Improve leadership performance *				
<ul> <li>Complete a leadership organizational assessment utilizing an Organizational Development/Leadership consultant and incorporate recommendations</li> </ul>	FY20			

\* Associated with a Mission Critical Risk

4. Improve initial and continuing training for leaders *		
<ul> <li>a. Incorporate refresher on soft skills and leadership behaviors into the leadership continued training program</li> </ul>	FY20	
b. Develop an initial training Leader Academy	FY21	
c. Restructure initial training curriculum delivery schedule and sequence to align with industry guidance	FY20	
d. Synchronize and integrate elements of leader development	FY21	
5. Leadership forums *		
a. Continue bi-annual leadership forums for enhanced leader alignment and organizational performance	FY20	

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### Focus Area:

## STAKEHOLDER TRUST AND CONFIDENCE

### STRATEGIC GOAL

Enhance the reputation of Energy Northwest; foster public support for Columbia Generating Station's clean, carbon-free nuclear energy

### A PICTURE OF EXCELLENCE:

(includes key words that define what excellence is)

Research-based • Credible • Straightforward • Collaborative Engaged Employees • Public Interest

### **B** MEASURES OF EXCELLENCE:

(targets to help measure success of reaching and sustaining excellence; 'equal to green' = meeting established target)

- 1. Orchestrate five I-5 corridor nuclear advocacy events\*
- 2. Grow Clean Energy Partner advocates to 400 by the end of FY24\*
  - FY19: 175 advocates
  - FY20: 220 advocates
  - FY21: 265 advocates
- 3. Favorable EN rating by member general managers & board commissioners equals green (>95%)\*
- 4. Sustain favorable support for nuclear energy >48% of statewide public and >90% of plant neighbors\*

\* Associated with a Mission Critical Risk

### C CHALLENGES TO EXCELLENCE:

(gaps that hinder achieving and/or sustaining excellence)

- 1. Asset performance
- 2. Hanford site association
- 3. State policies / nuclear closures
- 4. Public awareness of state clean air sources
- 5. Adverse industry events
- 6. Limited industry public relations resources

### **D** IMPLEMENTING PLANS:

1. Public Affairs

Nuclear energy has the lowest carbon footprint of any full-time energy resource, and provides 60% of the clean energy generated in the U.S.

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Owner:

Scott Vance Vice President for Corporate Governance and General Counsel

## Focus Area:

## STAKEHOLDER TRUST AND CONFIDENCE

#### Owner:

Scott Vance Vice President for Corporate Governance and General Counsel

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## FY19-21

E STRATEGIC INITIATIVES	START	FY19	FY20	FY21
1. Inform & Empower Employees, Members & Governing Boards				
a. Sustain an updated Communication Guide	FY19			
b. Engage members at their utilities	FY19			
c. Execute the Public Power Forum	FY19			
2. Outreach to & Partner with Stakeholders & Influencers*				
a. Collaborate with BPA on messaging	FY19			
<ul> <li>Engage regional power organizations; participate in public power meetings/forums</li> </ul>	FY19			
<ul> <li>Sponsor organizations receptive to EN's clean energy message</li> </ul>	FY19			
d. Strengthen local civic relationships	FY19			

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## **ABOUT ENERGY NORTHWEST**

Energy Northwest is a joint action agency formed by the Washington state legislature in 1957, representing the convergence of small and big public power. Our consortium of 27 public utility districts and municipalities across Washington takes advantage of economies of scale and shared services to boost efficiency and effectiveness, all to the greater cost benefit of more than 1.5 million public power customers.

Our agency owns and/or operates a diverse portfolio of electricity generating resources, including the Columbia Generating Station nuclear power facility. All power from Columbia is sold at-cost to the Bonneville Power Administration and used by customers in eight western states. All the generating resources operated by EN - the Packwood, Tieton and Portland hydroelectric projects; Nine Canyon Wind Project; White Bluffs Solar Station; and Columbia – provide clean, cost-effective and reliable energy to the Northwest and beyond.

> Nine Canyon Wind Project

Portland Hydroelectric Project



Columbia Generating Station

Tieton

Project

White Bluffs

Solar Station

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Packwood Lake Hydroelectric Project

#### Membership

Energy Northwest membership currently includes 21 PUDs and five municipalities.

- Asotin County PUD
- 2 Benton PUD
- 3 Chelan County PUD
  - Centralia City Light
  - City of Port Angeles
    - City of Richland Energy Services
    - Clallam County PUD
    - Clark Public Utilities
  - Ferry County PUD
  - Franklin PUD
- 11 Grant County PUD 2
- 12 Grays Harbor County PUD 1
- 13 Jefferson County PUD

- 14 Kittitas County PUD
- 15 Klickitat County PUD
- 16 Lewis County PUD
- 17 Mason County PUD 1
- 18 Mason County PUD 3
- 19 Okanogan County PUD
- 20 Pacific County PUD 2
- 21 Pend Oreille County PUD
- 22 Seattle City Light
- 23 Skamania County PUD
- 24 Snohomish County PUD
- 25 Tacoma Public Utilities
- 26 Wahkiakum County PUD
- 27 Whatcom County PUD

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