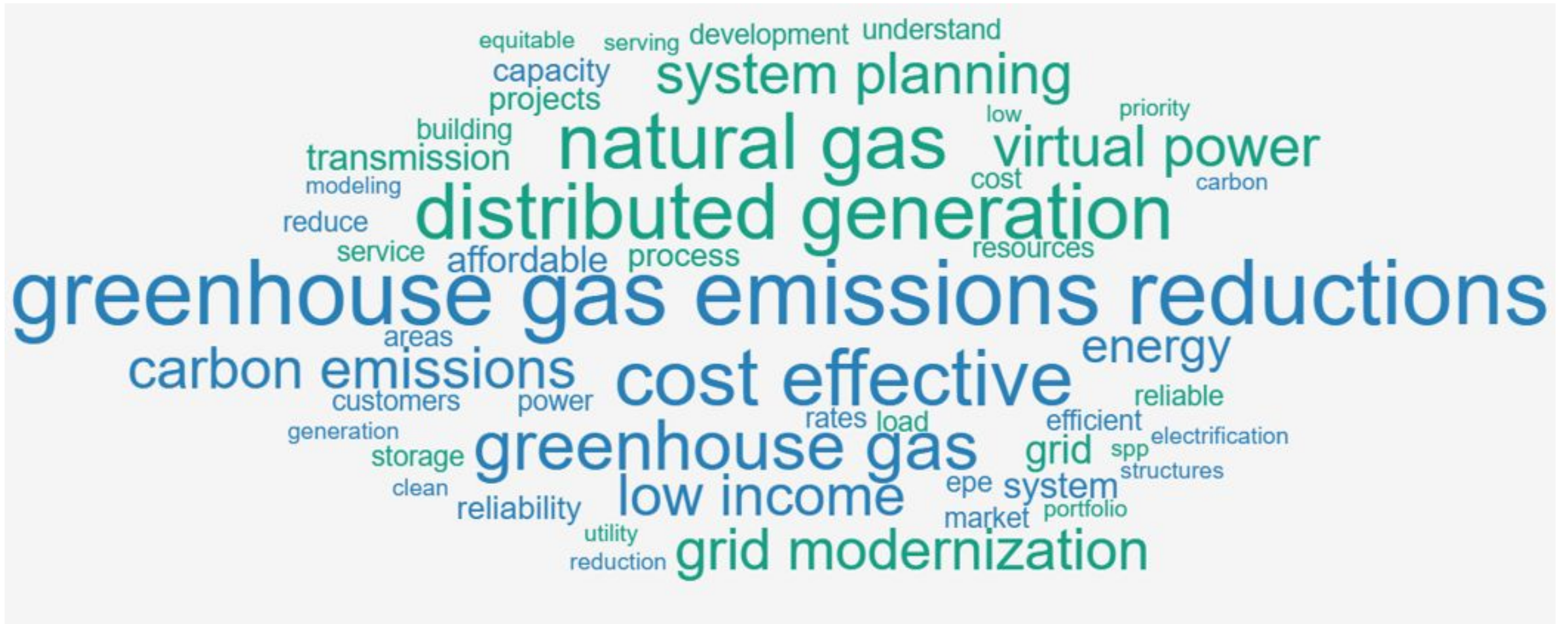


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# Welcome!

## Stakeholder Engagement Workshop #2

Integrated Resource Plan for the Period 2025-2044  
El Paso Electric Company

Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2025

1:00 – 4:00 PM MDT

This workshop is being recorded and will be available as public information. The link to the recording will be included in the workshop summary which will be posted at <https://gridworks.org/initiatives/epe-irp/>

Our primary objective is to deepen stakeholders' understanding of all aspects of resource planning and build rapport within this community.

### Agenda

- 1:00 Welcome, Workshop Objective, and Review of Prior Work
- 1:10 EPE System Presentations with Q&A sessions
- 2:10 Break
- 2:20 EPE System Presentations with Q&A sessions
- 3:20 Q&A
- 3:50 Summary and Next Steps
- 4:00 Adjourn

## ZOOM Tips and Workshop Norms

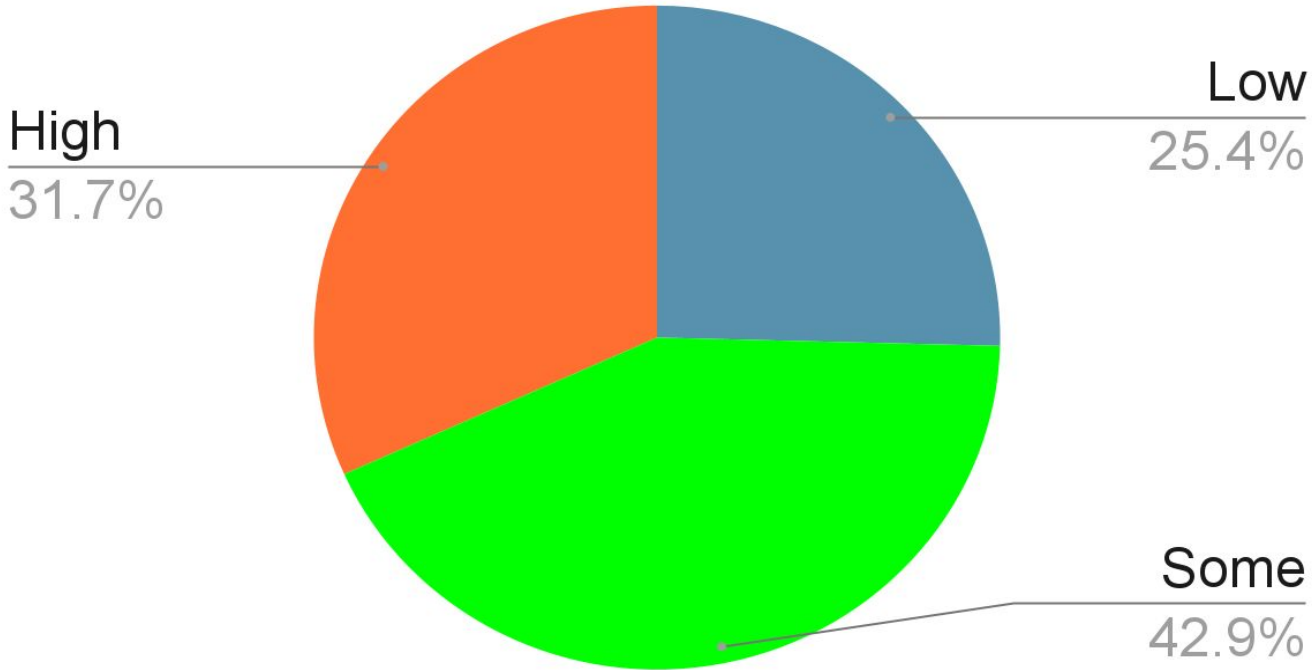
- Mute your mic when you are not talking
- Raise your hand when you wish to speak
- Use the chat to offer written input
- Turn your camera on when you are talking

- During presentations, please hold your questions until the Q&A session
- Be respectful in your comments
- Give each other the benefit of the doubt; we are all working with good intentions
- Share your ideas; leave time for others



# Review of Workshop #1 Conversations

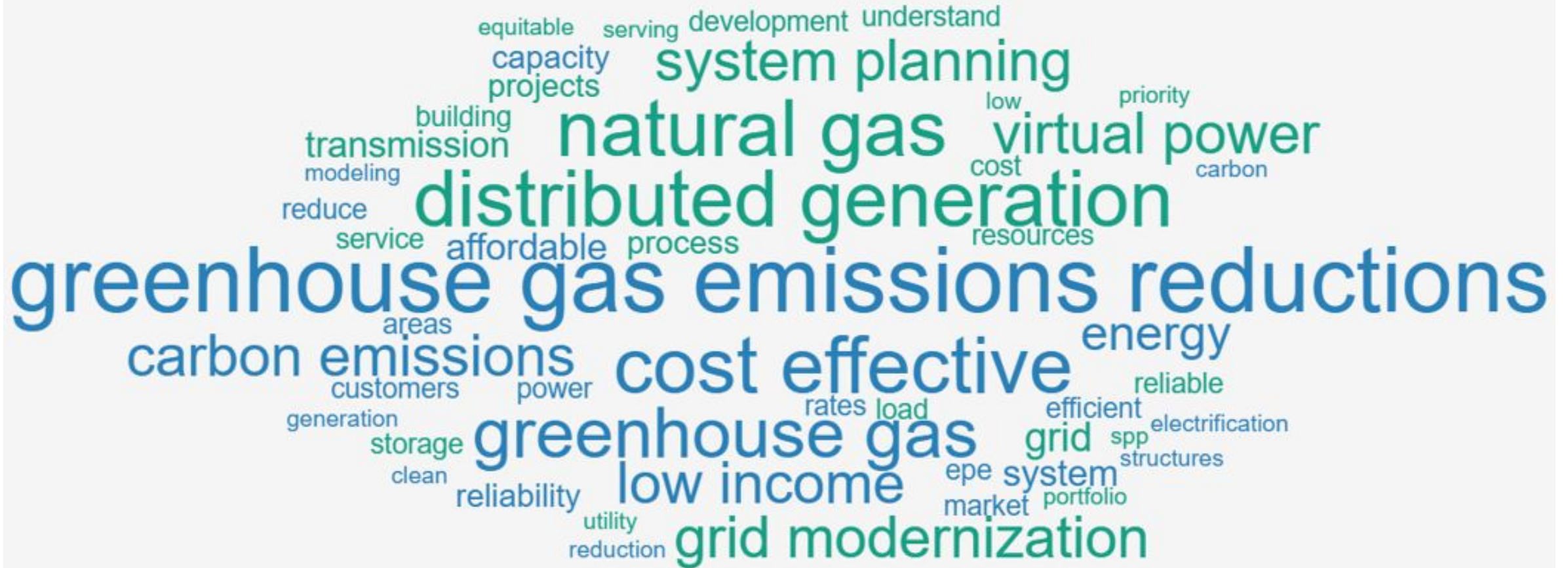
Familiarity with the IRP planning process



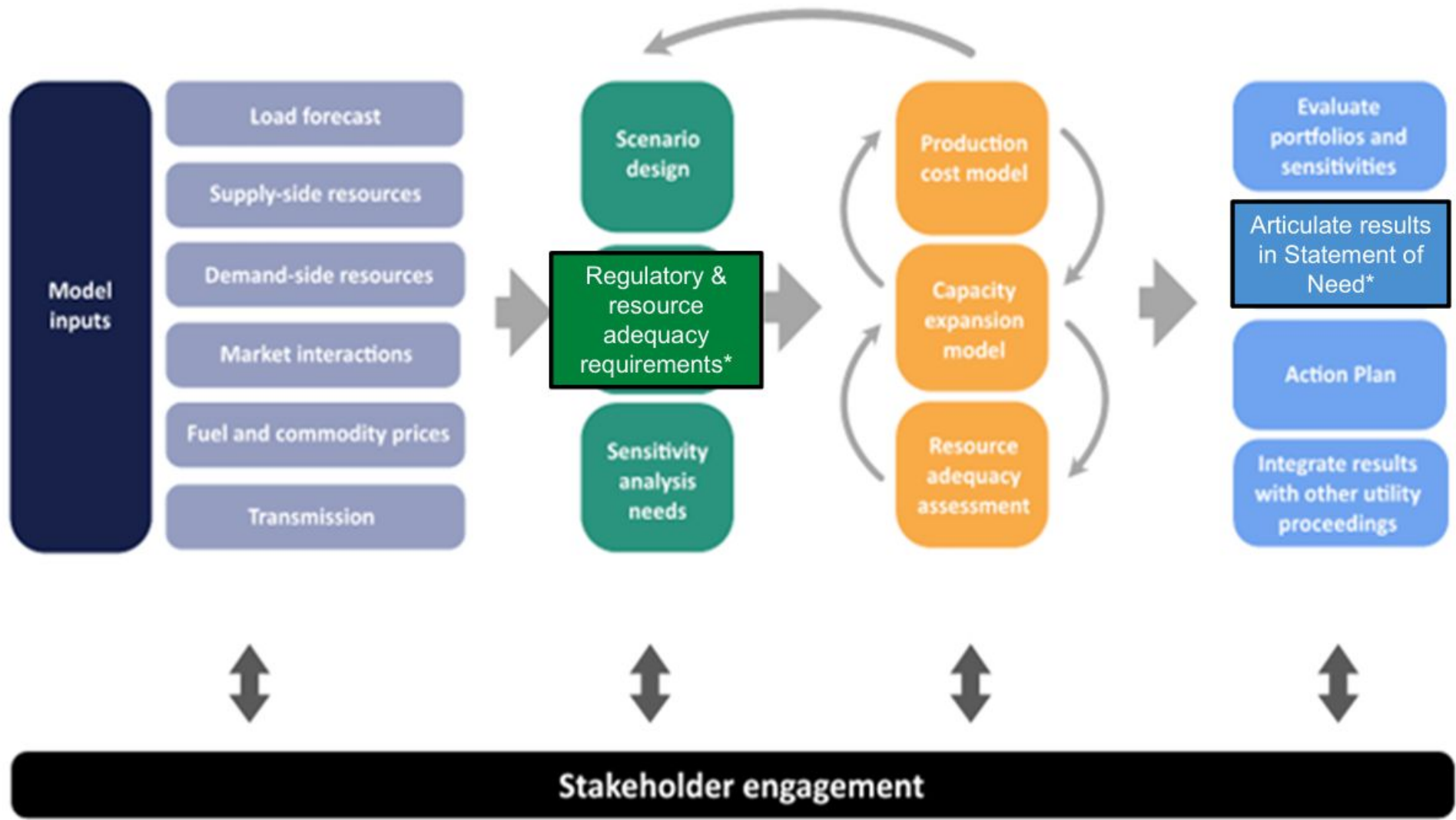
Stakeholders represent a range of knowledge about the integrated resource planning process

Stakeholders contributed a wide range of priority topics, depicted in the word cloud

# Topics related to the 20-year plan that workshop #1 participants are most interested in



# Integrated Resource Planning Process



Source: [Best Practices in Integrated Resource Planning](#), Dec. 2024 by Synapse Energy Economics, Inc. and Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (Figure 4).  
\*Revisions reflect EPE process.

- 20 minutes for each presentation followed by 10 minutes of Q&A
- Q&A Session - Please hold questions until the Q&A session
  - Clarifications: What was not clear?
  - Reflective: What concerns do you have?
  - Interpretive: What do you need more information about?



# El Paso Electric Company Presentations

- Energy and Demand Forecasting
- Planning Reserve Margin and Capacity Accreditation
- Resource Options and Technologies
- Capacity Expansion Modeling

## Questions

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## Workshop #3 will Provide General Education and Detailed Modeling Breakout Sessions

Feb - Apr

May - July

Aug - Sept

W1, Feb. 11: 1 – 4 PM, Virtual

W2, Feb. 25: 1 – 4 PM, Virtual

**W3, Mar. 11: 9 AM - 4 PM, hybrid,  
Las Cruces**

W4, Apr.: date TBD, Virtual

W5, May: date TBD, virtual

W6, June: date TBD, virtual

W7, July: date TBD, virtual

W8, Aug.: date TBD, hybrid,  
Las Cruces

W9, Sept.: date TBD, virtual, for  
process feedback

Orientation, Shared  
Knowledge of EPE  
Systems & Planning  
Process, Scenario and  
Sensitivity Input

Model Runs,  
Feedback, Discussions

Statement of Need,  
Action Plan, Process  
Feedback

## Summary and Next Steps

Workshop #2 → Summary will be distributed and available from <https://gridworks.org/initiatives/epe-irp/> by Feb. 28

Workshop #3 → March 11, Dona Ana County Government Center, Las Cruces

- ★ 8:30 AM coffee and conversation
- ★ 9:00 AM start, lunch provided
- ★ 4:00 PM adjourn

- **In-person attendance strongly encouraged**
- Zoom participation also available, but with limited interaction opportunities
- Dedicated sessions for those who are new to the process (please add topics you would like to cover in the chat)
- Detailed discussions of modeling topics including stakeholder input regarding scenarios and sensitivities



**THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING**

**QUESTIONS**

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