

# Large Renewable Procurement II Stakeholder & Community Engagement

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# Today's Discussion

- Large Renewable Procurement I (LRP I)
  - Results of bids for large renewable projects
  - LRP I process objectives
  - Engagement during development of LRP I
  
- Large Renewable Procurement II (LRP II) – Stakeholder & Community Engagement Plan
  - Overview of draft engagement plan
  - Input from SAC members on proposed plan

# LRP I Process

RFQ

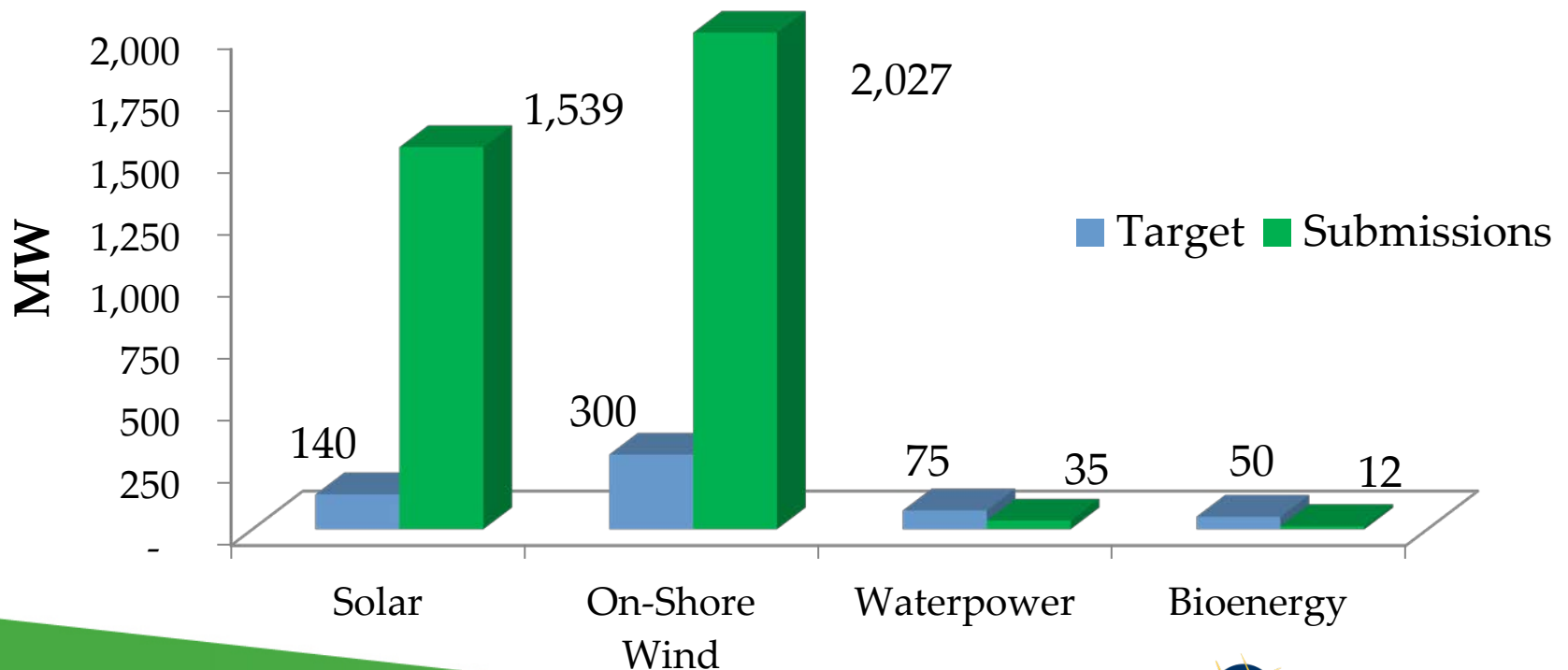
- 70 RFQ Submissions received
- 42 Qualified Applicants
- Over 8,700 MW of interest

RFP

- 33 Qualified Applicants registered
- 103 Proposals submitted
- 3,613 MW of projects submitted

# LRP I Proposals

- Generally oversubscribed: 3,613 MW of proposals submitted for a 565 MW procurement target
- Undersubscribed for waterpower and bioenergy
- No rooftop solar PV proposals



# LRP I Results

- 16 contracts offered, representing 454.885 MW of new renewable energy capacity:
  - Five wind contracts totalling 299.5 MW, with a weighted average price of 8.59 cents/kWh
  - Seven solar contracts totalling 139.885 MW, with a weighted average price of 15.67 cents/kWh
  - Four hydroelectric contracts totalling 15.5 MW, with a weighted average price of 17.59 cents/kWh
- More than 80% (13 contracts) had Aboriginal participation
  - Five with more than 50% Aboriginal participation
- More than 75% received support from local municipalities
- More than 60% had support from abutting landowners

# LRP I Process Objectives

- Stage 1: Request for Qualifications (RFQ)
  - To qualify applicants based on past development experience and financial capability
- Stage 2: Request for Proposals (RFP)
  - To evaluate projects submitted by qualified applicants
  - Demonstrate site and resource due diligence as well as engagement with communities in which they are proposing to locate
  - Use a focused list of optional rated criteria to give preference to projects that demonstrate local support and/or Aboriginal participation
  - Include technology-specific price caps

# Engagement During Development of LRP I

Extensive feedback was received and incorporated into LRP I:

- Summer 2013 webinars and meetings in Toronto
- Winter 2014 webinars and information/feedback sessions in five communities across Ontario
  - Tailored engagement activities, including meetings, with First Nations, Métis communities, municipalities, ministries and agencies
  - Meetings with industry associations and individual developers
- Three presentations to the former OPA SAC
- Two recommendations reports to the Minister
- Explanatory “one pagers”, a framework document, and draft versions of the RFQ and RFP all provided for stakeholder and community feedback
- Several directions from the Minister outlined government policy

# LRP II: Stakeholder & Community Engagement Plan

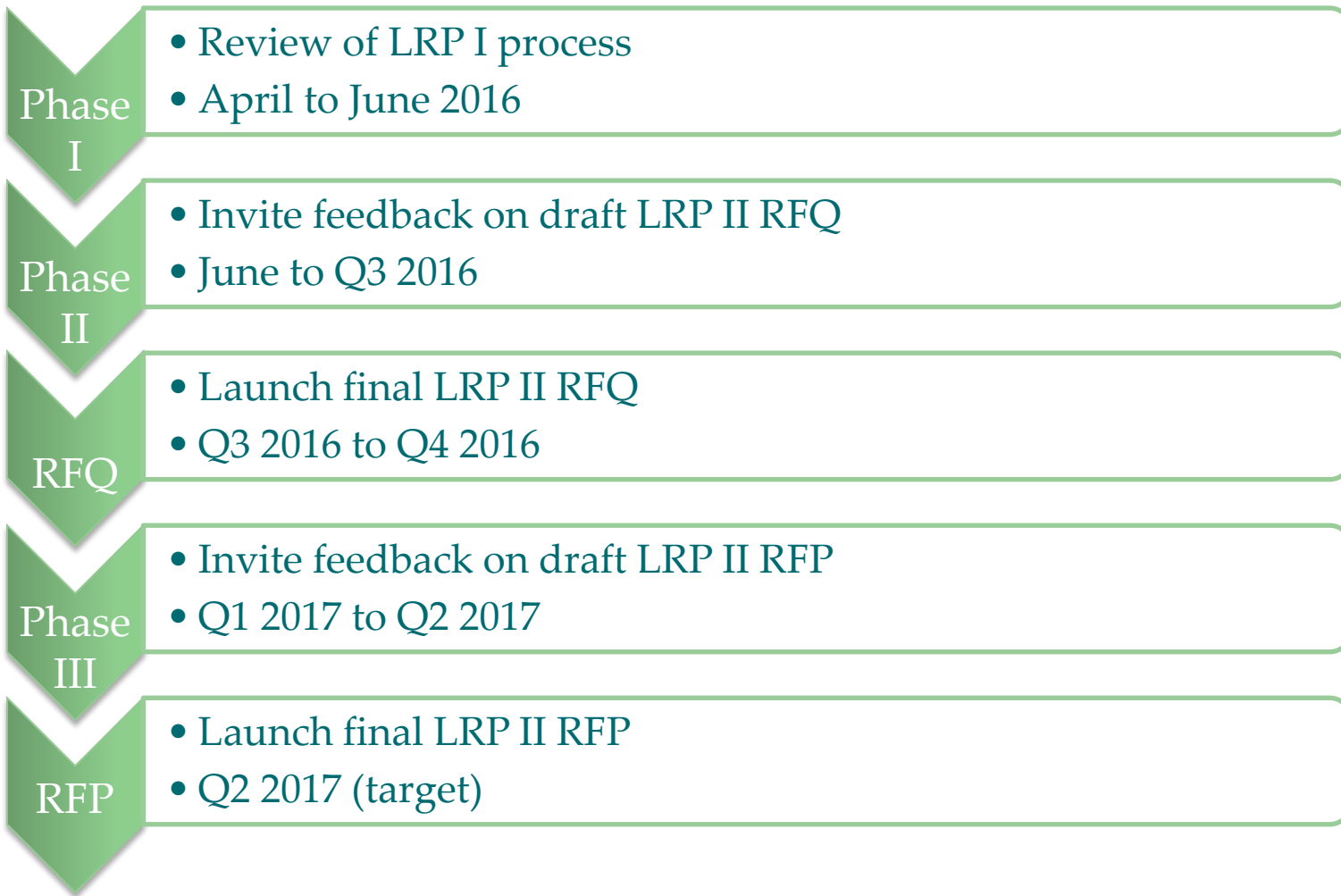
- Goal of this engagement plan is to seek input and capture any learnings that could be taken into account for the planned LRP II process
- Three phases of engagement:
  - Phase I: Review of LRP I process
  - Phase II: Feedback on draft LRP II Request for Qualifications (LRP II RFQ)
  - Phase III: Feedback on draft LRP II Request for Proposals (LRP II RFP)



# Objectives and Method of Engagement

Phase	Objective	Method
Phase I: Review of LRP I process	Identify any lessons learned from LRP I process; inviting feedback on components of the LRP I RFQ & LRP I RFP  Seek input on effectiveness of proposed engagement plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Public webinar</li> <li>- Survey</li> <li>- Targeted outreach with First Nation &amp; Métis communities</li> <li>- Post feedback and IESO response on LRP engagement webpage</li> </ul>
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# Timelines – Next Steps



# Input on Engagement Plan

## Questions for consideration

- Are there any questions that the IESO should pose in the survey to trigger effective responses and/or learnings from LRP I?
- Does this plan provide the ability for all interested parties to participate in this initiative?