

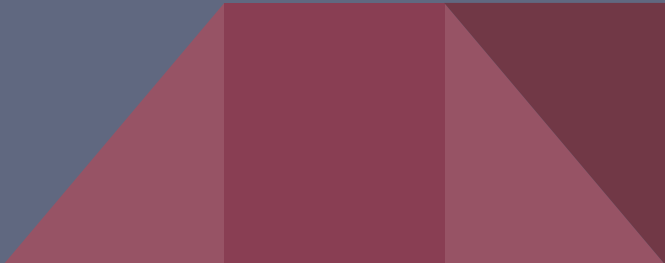
CHP/WHP & Ohio's Policy Horizon

Ohio Center for Industrial Energy Efficiency Workshop:
*Combined Heat and Power & Waste Heat Recovery for
Industrial, Institutional and Commercial Facilities*



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Agenda:

- **Overview of Ohio policy discussions that could influence/impact CHP deployment, or project economics**
 - **Share resources on how to engage and stay updated on these discussions**
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Policy Questions

- Will Ohio continue to have required energy savings targets, and renewable energy procurement?
- Will Ohio's efficiency programs continue to be meaningful to customers and optimize all cost-effective efficiency opportunities?
- Will, and should, Ohio's grid modernization discussion include CHP and WHP as a distributed energy resource?

CHP and WHP + Ohio's Clean Energy Standards

Enables utilities to offer rebates and incentives for CHP and WHP, and for WHP to obtain RECs

Freeze on Standards ended with veto of House Bill 554

New legislative proposal in 2017 to modify standards

House Bill 114:

reduces EE target from 22.5% by 2027 down to 17.2%

converts RPS to voluntary goals

Utility EE Programs

- Recent PUCO orders + recent law changes are impacting efficiency programs
- Good news: Each utility is offering, or planning to offer, a specific CHP/WHP rebate
- Concerning news: Efficiency program spending caps could greatly reduce the available funding for rebates and incentives

Grid Modernization



- “PowerForward is the PUCO’s review of the latest in technological and regulatory innovation that could serve to enhance the consumer electricity experience.”
- Report/Guidance Doc Expected in 2018
- Get updates: powerforward@puco.ohio.gov

PowerForward

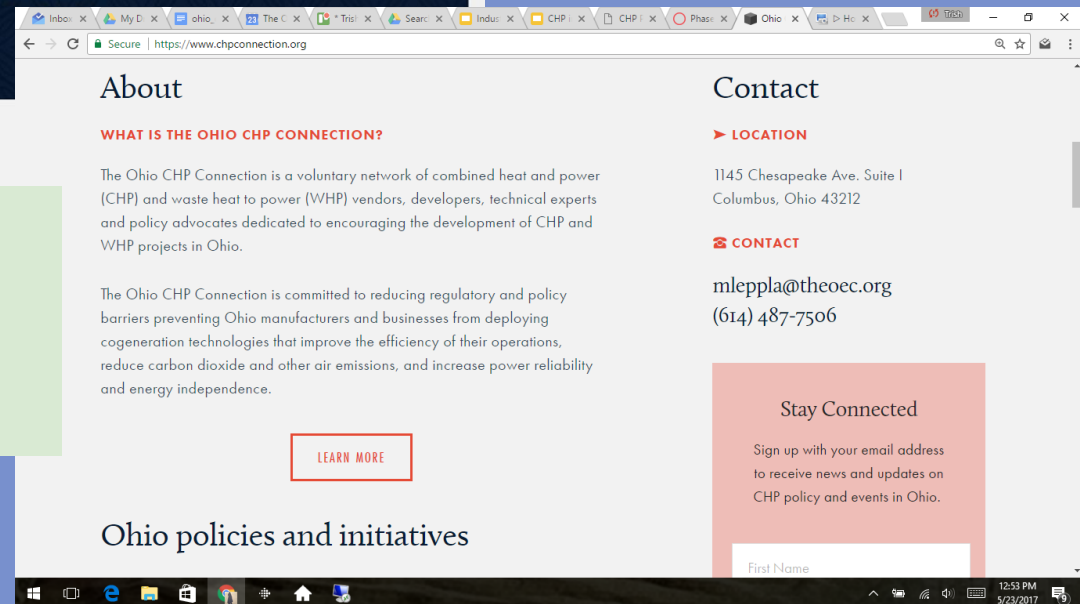
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