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Resiliency at the State Level

- Generation Fuel Redundancy
- Pipelines Generation Nexus & Retail
- Transmission Asset Hardening
- Distribution System Management & Self Healing
- DER Integration thereof and Management
- DER Town Center/Campuses Islanded & Black Start
- DER Cybersecurity Standards

And...Energy, Water, Telco nexus

State Level Initiatives for Distribution Systems

Some by Statute; Many by Commission Action

- Enhanced Capital Investments Riders or Clauses
- Grid Modernization
- Distribution Automation
- AMI and DER
- Microgrids
- Cybersecurity

New Jersey Perspective

- All Hazards Approach
- 2000s Pipeline Replacement
- Superstorm Sandy
 - Infrastructure Investments & Upgrades
 - Rate Structures for Enhanced Investments
 - Microgrid Development
 - Transit Grid
- Pipeline Orders & Redundancy Exercises
- Cybersecurity Orders & Industry Engagement

NARUC Perspectives

- Best Practices in Generation, T & D, Gas and Water
 - Energy Markets
 - Infrastructure Enhancement Programs
 - Pipelines
- Cybersecurity
 - Resource Repository
 - Cybersecurity Primer, Supplement & Implementation Manual (USDOE Support)
- Rate Structures for Enhanced Investments & "Resilience"

What is the cost, value and, rate structure?

Rates and Recovery of Costs

- What are the increments & how accounted for ?
- What is Rate Base ?
- Is it "used and useful"?
- Is that incremental cost "prudent"?

Possible Methodologies & Approaches

- NARUC Resolution on Cloud Computing -Summer 2016
- National Academy Sciences 2017
- NARUC DER Rate Manual 2016
- EPRI
- Possible Collaborative of States and Federal Agencies