

## Ontario Power Generation

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**Net Annual Energy** 

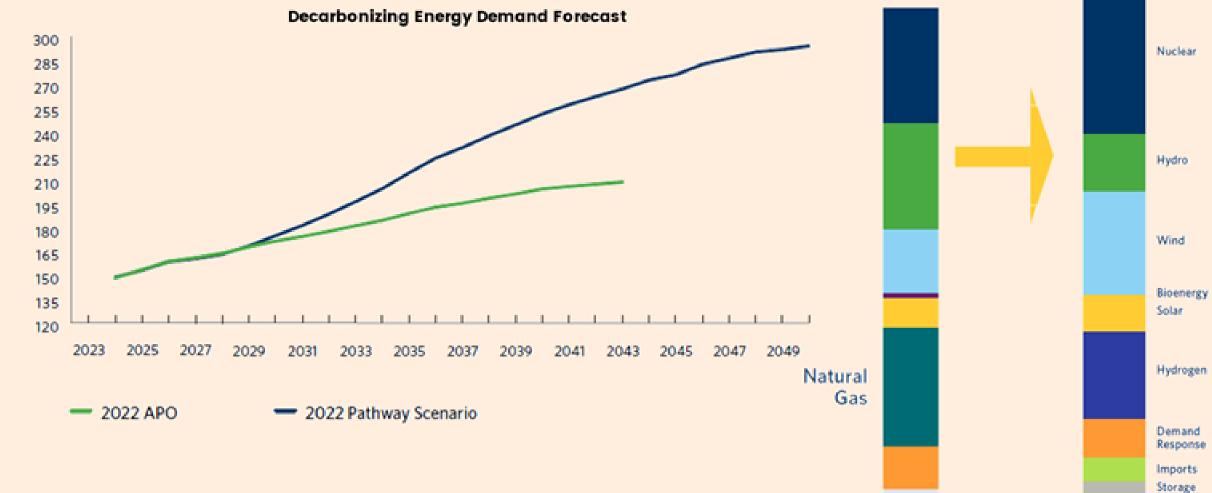
### Decarbonizing Ontario's electricity System

System Capacity Today

Pathways to Decarbonization 2050 Scenario

42,000 MW

88,000 MW



#### **Darlington Nuclear**

- One of the world's top-performing nuclear stations.
- Four-unit station generates 3,512 megawatts.
- 20% of Ontario's electricity or enough power for about 2 million homes.
- Gold Level certification from the Wildlife Habitat Council (WHC).
- Recognized for performing to exceptionally high levels of safety, operational performance and equipment reliability by the World Association of Nuclear Operators (WANO).
- Only site in Canada licensed for new nuclear build with completed and accepted environmental assessment.

#### **Isotope Production**

The unique design of Darlington's CANDU reactors allow isotopes to be removed while the reactor is still online.

- o Co-60
- Molybdenum-99 (Mo-99)
- Helium-3 (He-3)



# Darlington Refurbishment Economic Impact



\$12.8B investment



20-year project: 10 years of planning, 10 years of work. 35-44 months per unit.



14,200 jobs per year.



\$89.9B dollars into Ontario's GDP.



96% of expenditures spent within Ontario.

With support from across Durham Region, local suppliers are helping to ensure the success of the 12.8B Darlington Refurbishment; Canada's largest clean energy project:

Durham-based companies include:

- Acklands Grainger Inc.
- Badger Daylighting Inc.
- B&D Tractor Services
- Black & McDonald
- Crosby Dewar Inc
- Dewar Industrial Services
- Worley Parsons Canada Services Inc.
- A&C Tool Inc
- Coco Paving Ltd.
- Detox Environmental Services Ltd.
- Dufferin Construction Co.
- Peacock Lumber Ltd
- Hertz Equipment Rental Ltd

#### **Darlington New Nuclear Project**









Based on existing technology

Provides safe, reliable, low carbon power

Flexible, scalable and modular

Strong economic benefits

### Building four 300MW SMRs in Ontario:

Create and sustain +2,600 jobs

\$13.7 billion to Ontario's GDP

Reliable power to 1.2 million homes

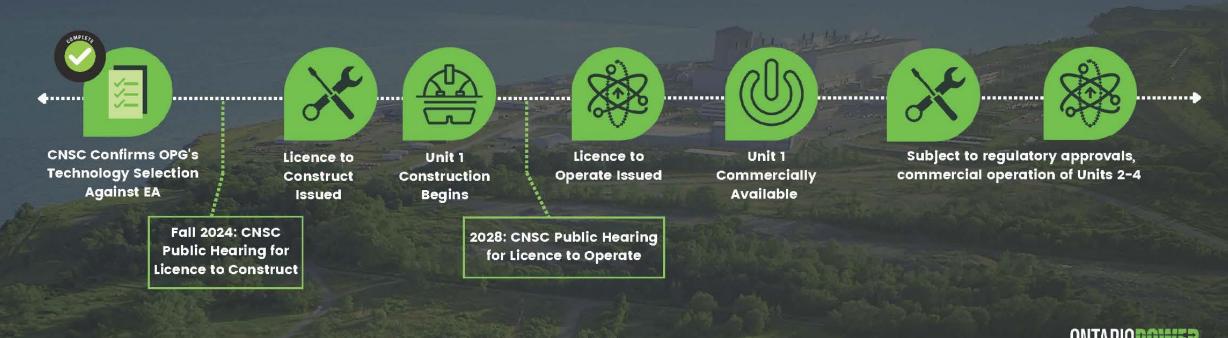
One SMR will offset ~160,000 cars worth of carbon emissions

#### <u>Darlington New Nuclear Roadmap</u>

**BIG** things start small.



2024 2025 2028 2029 2034 2036



\*All dates are estimated based on current project schedules\*

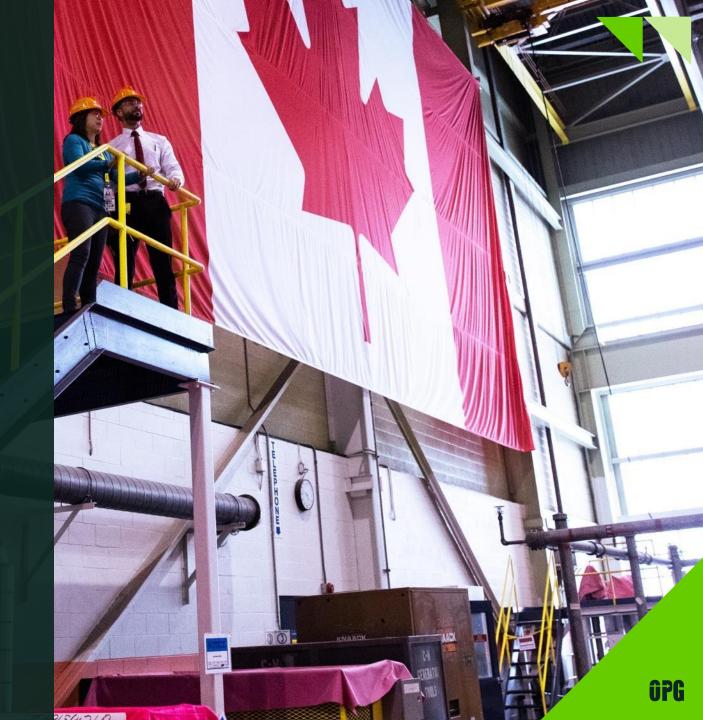
## Pickering Operations

- Pickering Nuclear is one of the world's largest nuclear stations
- Six operating units provide 3,100 MW
- It meets 14% of Ontario's electricity needs
- Supports 4,500 jobs across Durham Region
- Units 1 and 4 will retire at the end of 2024 as planned
- Unit 2 and 3 in safe storage
- Licence Amendment Public Hearing in June 2024
   to operate Units 5 8 to 2026



#### Pickering Refurbishment

- On Jan. 31, 2024, the Ontario
  government announced their support
  for OPG to proceed with the next steps
  toward refurbishing Pickering Nuclear
  Generating Station's "B" units (units 5 8)
- OPG will now proceed with the Project Initiation Phase of refurbishment
- With the support of the Province of Ontario, OPG is planning for the refurbishment of Pickering Nuclear's Units 5 to 8 starting 2028, which will provide many benefits to customers, the economy, and the environment.



### Working with our Community





Trees and shrubs

through community planting initiatives



families

"Tuesdays on the Trail" programming

More than \$248,000 donated to 369 local charities through the employee Charity

Supported

149 non-profit organizations in **Durham Region** through the Corporate Citizenship Program Donated

life-saving equipment local



people attended OPG's

Community **Open House** 



#### Released

Atlantic Salmon

into local streams through the

Bring Back the Salmon initiative

Generously supported the Durham

**Regional Police** Service

Food and **Toy Drive** 

Donated over 100 meals

and winter warmth kits



to local Indigenous

3,000 meals donated by employees for

Donated Canadian Legion Durham : Poppy Campaign

Holiday care packages for local seniors Kids

registered for **Virtual Power** 

# Thank you. Questions?

