

Review of Electric Utility Hurricane Preparedness and Restoration Actions

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Comments : I believe we must do more to diversify our energy sources. There should be more solar and wind electric generation and the generation should be spread throughout the service area. More home based solar generation would alleviate and spread out the potential for damage during severe storms. In addition, as battery reserve power is becoming more substantial and efficient, battery reserves would also strengthen the options for recovery. If there were areas that could be independent of the grid for periods of time, the power companies could better focus their efforts on areas which are dependent and severely damaged. Greater use of new technology in local clean energy generation, storage and control should be a priority of our power grid.

Resiliency would be the desirable result of such efforts.