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OUR MISSION: Increase access to sustainable energy and energy efficiency for more Americans through independent fact-based policy leadership, quality work force development, and consumer empowerment.



Regulatory Reform



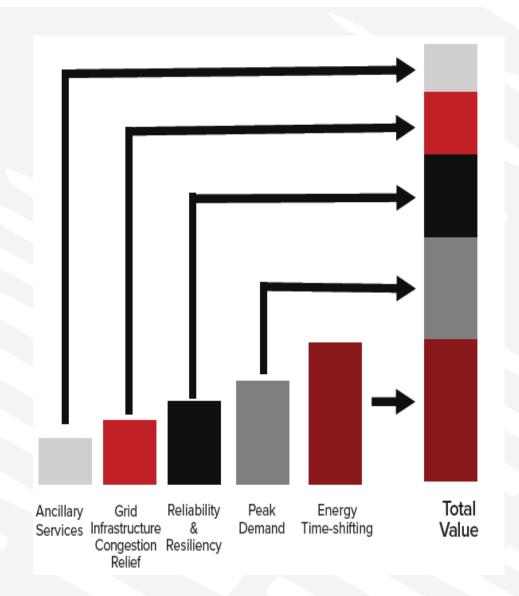
Quality Workforce



Consumer Empowerment



ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLE OF ENERGY STORAGE "VALUE STACKING" CONCEPT



Categories of State Policy Actions on Energy Storage

Energize

States that are encouraging storage market growth through procurement targets, pilot/ demonstration project funding, or other mandates or incentives.

Plan

States that are addressing storage within a broader context when planning for the energy future through long-term resource planning, resource valuation efforts. arid modernization or distribution system planning.

Clarify

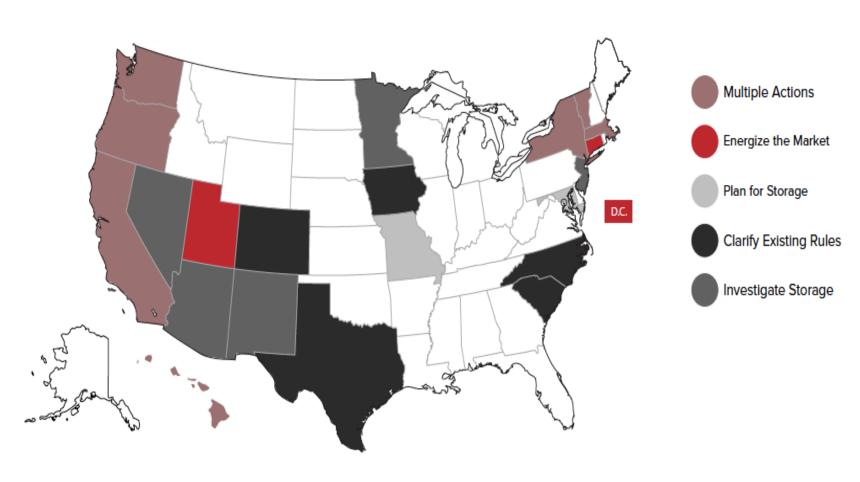
States that are clarifying existing rules as they apply to storage, through revising interconnection, net metering, fire and building codes, and others as applicable.

Investigate

States that have demonstrated an interest in storage through general investigations, workshops, or briefings.



State Policy & Regulatory Actions on Energy Storage



Note: Map is not reflective of all state activities on energy storage. Certain early stage policy/regulatory efforts, grant programs and/or pilot projects may not be reflected herein.



State Energy Storage Policy Foundations

- Numerous policy and market hurdles need to be overcome to advance energy storage.
- Charging Ahead identifies four "high priority" regulatory barriers.
- Informed by interviews with storage companies, regulators, and IREC's participation in regulatory proceedings across the country.







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