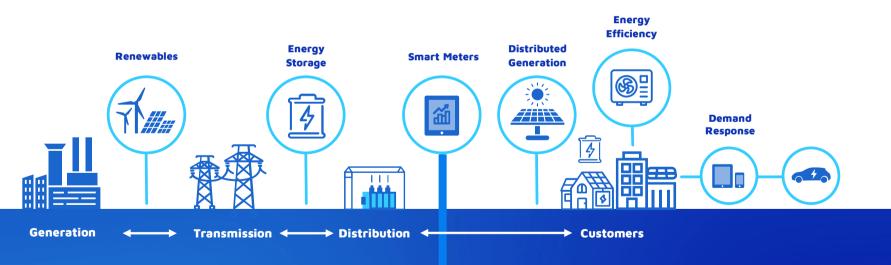
# RECURVE

# The Grid is a Balance of Supply and Demand

# Supply **=** Demand



**Supply:** Energy Resources

**Demand:** Load Modifying Resources

## **Recurve Solutions**



Demand Flexibility
Analytics Platform

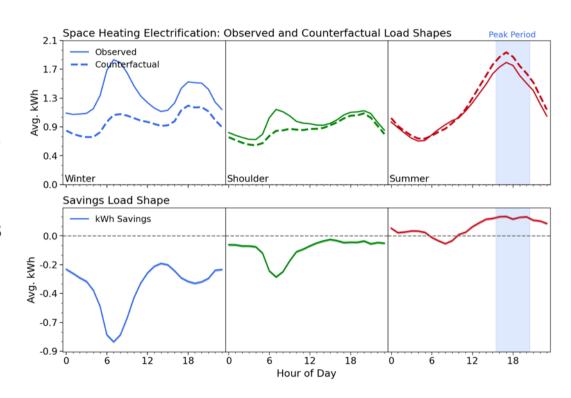


Demand Flexibility
Settlement Platform

Equitable Heat Pump Electrification Analytics

# Electrification Analytics: Overview & Rationale

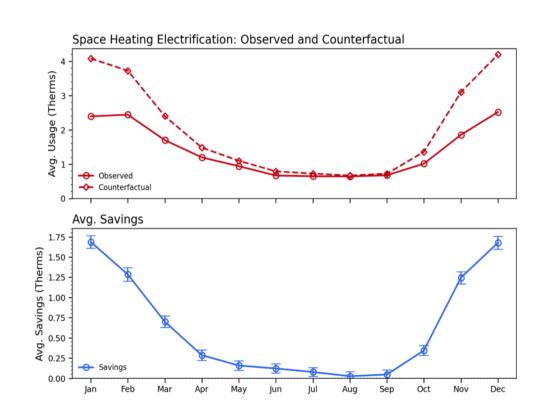
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## Resource Planner

# Meter Level Analysis to Design, Forecast, and Target Electrification

- Weather-sensitive usage analysis to target impacts of electrification opportunities
- Optimize within demographic, geographic and other indicative parameters
- Identify highest value interventions for customers at a site level



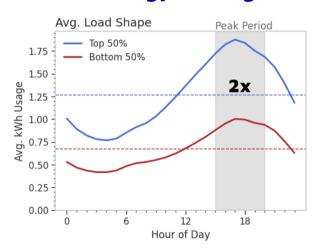


**Problem:** Finding peak savings potential

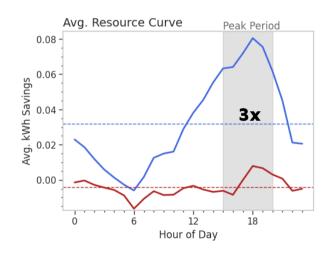
**Solution**: Target customers who will maximize peak period savings

# **SCE:** Customer Targeting

## **Energy Savings**



## Grid Value (TSB)

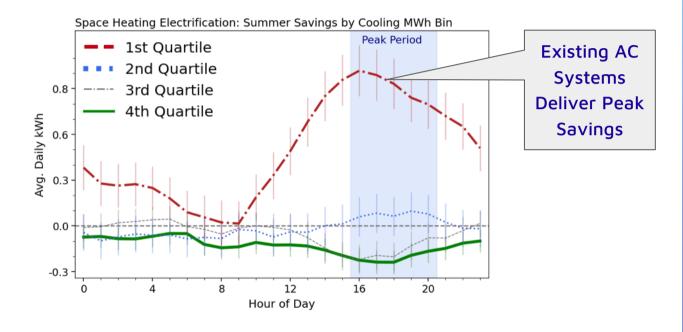




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# Targeting High AC Delivers Peak Savings



- 25% deliver nearly all peak savings
- Top % of customers deliver 3/3 of all summer peak savings



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# Top 25% Delivers 5x the Avg. Bill Savings

Median Annual Bill Savings for Market Rate Customers (HVAC Projects only) Current Rate Code Scenario



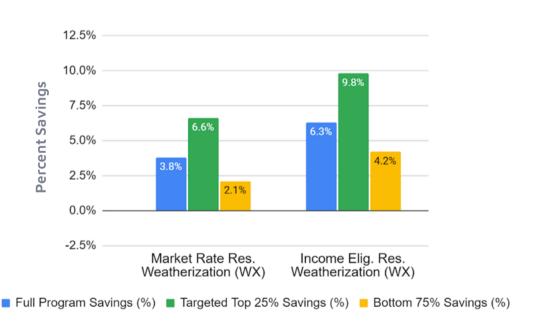


**Problem:** Prove the effectiveness of usagebased targeting to optimize program performance.

**Solution**: Targeting drastically improves savings and grid impact.

# Up to 3x value from top 25% of customers

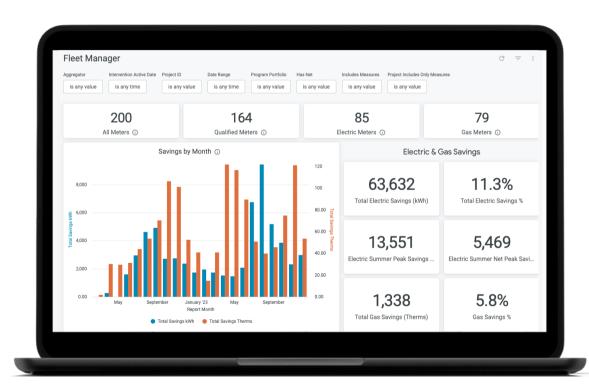
#### **Electricity Percent Savings Improvements with Targeting**



# Fleet Manager

# Track & Monitor **Electrification Impacts**

- On going monitoring of impacts from electrification
- Standardized pre-post measurement for every project
- Site and portfolio-level granularity for program optimization
- Contractor management insights
- Revenue-grade transparency



# Fleet Manager: Channel Manager

#### 1. Real-Time Telemetry:

Track the performance contractors, crews, and projects

### 3. Optimize Quality Assurance:

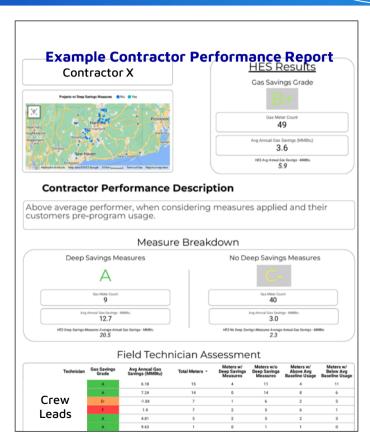
Use performance metrics to focus QA where it counts

#### 4. Benchmark Contractor Performance:

 Benchmark contractor performance against peers to provide support and extra training as needed

#### 5. Performance-Based Lead Flow:

Direct more leads toward top-performing contractors



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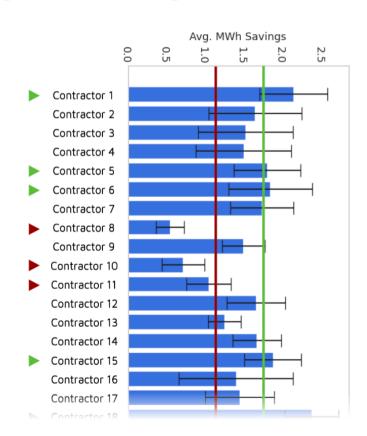
**Problem:** Contractor performance varies and QA is costly to the program and market.

**Solution:** By measuring performance APS can focus QA where it counts and promote high performing contractors.

# Data Driven Program Management

#### **Contractor Scorecard**

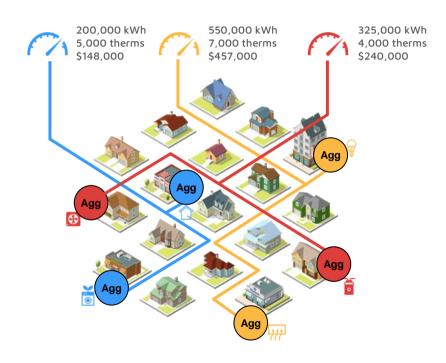
- Reduce QA costs by focusing on contractors and projects that are outliers
- Focus training where it can help the most
- Conduct O&M where it counts
- Send leads to high performers



Performance-Based
Demand Flexibility Platform

## Overview & Rationale

- Illinois efficiency and peak load goals can be synergized
- A performance-based market could drive incremental impacts
- A pilot could demonstrate combined effects of DERs and include embedded M&V
- **IRA-HOMEs** could leverage the pilot to support deployment



Demand Flexibility Settlement Platform

# Virtual Power Plants Align Demand and Supply









EV Load Shift

Behavior & Control

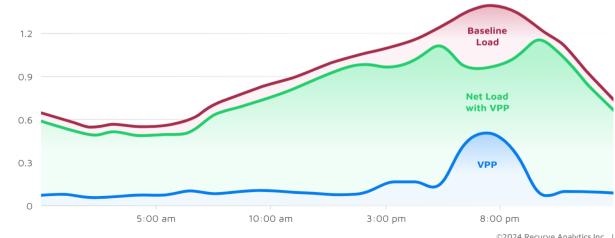
Shell Upgrades

HVAC & Electrification

Energy Storage

All DERs behind-the-meter shift or shape demand

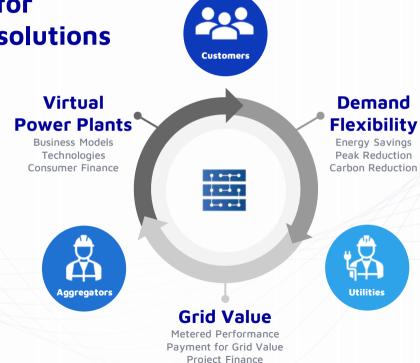
- Long-term EE is
   Long-Term Capacity
- Dispatchable DR is Peak
   Energy Resource



## Settlement and FLEXmarket

# Settlement Platform for technology-agnostic solutions

- Applies to all DERs, DERMs, and VPPs
- Third party settlement
- ow transaction cost
- Market engagement
- Cost-effective by design



#### **Planning**

Forecast DERs for every meter on the grid



#### Aggregation

Eligibility, Value, QA and Enrollment



#### Fleet Manager

Track and Manager Operating Assets



## **FLEX Ledger**

Resource and Payment Management



#### Compliance

Regulator Reporting and Auditing





# Align Incentives on Performance Value

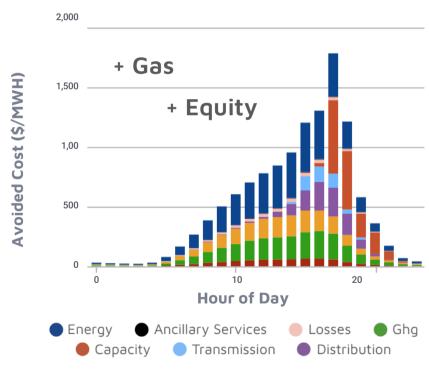
## **FLEXmarket Platform**

Pay for delivered flexibility at the cost-effective based on Time and Locational price.

### Complete VPP:

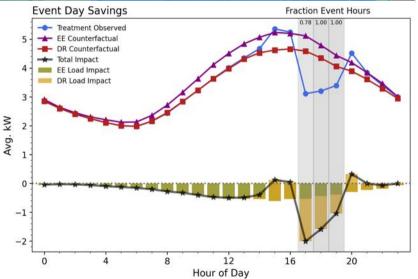
- Long-Term Energy Efficiency
- Event Demand Response

## **Hourly Electric Avoided Costs**



# Measure Impacts with Open-Source Advanced M&V

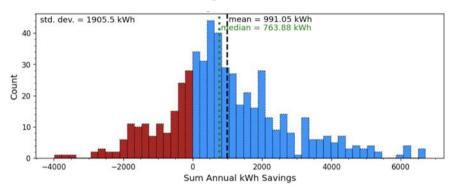
# **JLF**ENERGY OPENEEMETER



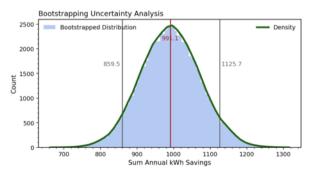
**Energy Efficiency** 365 Day Baseline

**Demand Response** 60 Day Event Baseline

#### Distribution of kWh Savings



#### **Quantifiable Confidence**



#### Predictable Results:

There is 90% confidence that running this program ran again will result in Annual kWh savings between 860 and 1126 kWh.

## **FLEXmarket Model Reduces Friction**

Utility / Market Home and Aggregators LSE Manager **Building Owners** CLEAResult<sup>®</sup> Sealed **BRIGHT POWER** BLOC POWER Contract Contract Flexibility GridPoint Purchase Agreements **SBUDDERFLY** 

Program Administrator Open-source advanced M&V Platform

OPENEEMETER

Install innovative projects to reduce energy use

Receive comfortable homes buildings and lower utility bills

# Sample Aggregator Journey

Enroll Onboard **Target** Track Acquire, enroll, and Effectively target Track savings and Sign Flexibility implement projects and identify highreceive payments Purchase Agreement in the Recurve using the Recurve potential projects (FPA) Platform Platform and estimate project value in the Recurve Onboard into Platform Platform



# Sample Customer Journey

Outreach

**Solution Development** 

Contracting

Installation

**Energy Savings** 



Aggregator connects with customer through service call or outreach.



Aggregator meets with customer and determines optimal measure set.



Aggregator and customer agree on the project and sign the contract.



Aggregator installs measures.



Customer saves on their bill and the overall community benefits.



# Market Access

**Problem:** Summer reliability constraints led to a need for incremental load and system benefits.

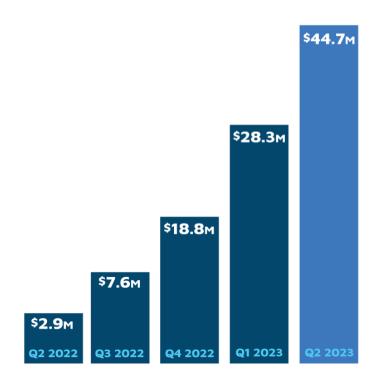
Solution: By implementing an open-market solution aggregators quickly brought meaningful projects to help address the gap.

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## Performance-Driven Market

# LIFETIME TOTAL SYSTEM BENEFIT GAS AND ELECTRIC COMBINED TSB FORECAST VALUE





38%
INCREASE TO CALIFORNIA
COMMERCIAL TSB

2X TSB/MWh

\$88 FLEXMARKET TSB/MWh SAVED

\$40 CA COMMERCIAL EE TSB/MWh SAVED

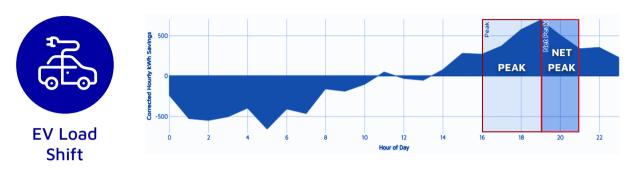
102%
PERFORMANCE/
REALIZATION RATE



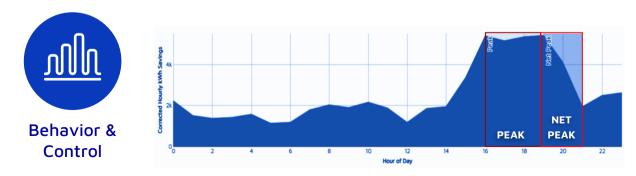
Problem: Market exposure and reliability issues during summer peak periods

Solution: Deploy a complete FLEXmarket paying for long-term and peak savings

**EV** Charge management load shifts out of the evening peak



Smart Tstats reduce across all hours but increases during peak



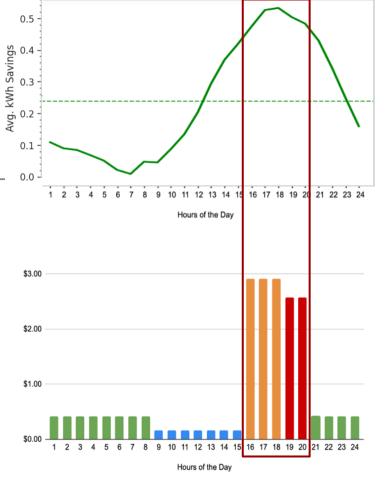
# IRA HOMES: Measured Performance

**Problem:** Fixed incentives for home performance programs can mis-align motivations.

**Solution:** Leverage the measured path to align incentives, mobilize the market to capture customer and grid value

Weight hourly savings incentives to grid value and time of use:

Monthly Payable Value	Market	LMI
Monthly kWh Rate	\$0.51	\$1.01
Monthly Therms Rate	\$14.86	\$29.73
Hourly Payable	Market	LMI
Gross Peak	\$2.91	\$5.81
Net Peak	\$2.57	\$5.15
Midday	\$0.16	\$0.32
Off Peak	\$0.42	\$0.84



Avg. Summer Resource Curve



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