## WESTERN ENERGY IMBALANCE MARKET

# Briefing on western energy imbalance market and benefits 

Mark Rothleder
Vice President, Market Policy \& Performance

EIM Governing Body Meeting
General Session
September 16, 2020

$\$ 79$ million gross economic benefits $-20202^{\text {nd }}$ Qtr.


Flexible ramping procurement diversity savings for 2nd Quarter, 2020

|  | January |  | February |  | March |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Direction | Up | Down | Up | Down | Up | Down |
| Average MW saving | 961 | 945 | 966 | 999 | 953 | 988 |
| Sum of BAA |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| requirements | 1,983 | 1,998 | 1,957 | 1,990 | 2,050 | 1,840 |
| Diversity Benefit | $48 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $54 \%$ |
| Estimated Savings | $\$ 3,849$ | $\$ 7,963$ | $\$ 16,169$ | $\$ 47,856$ | $\$ 32,170$ | $\$ 91,041$ |

## 

## Weekly average prices in EIM areas



WESTERN EIM $\mid$ acultmiso

## Weekly average prices in EIM areas

## Weekly average prices in EIM areas



## Estimated wheel through transfers in Q2, 2020



Energy imbalance market helps avoid curtailment


Robust energy transfers in $2^{\text {nd }}$ quarter, 2020


Robust energy transfers in $2^{\text {nd }}$ quarter, 2020


## Robust energy transfers in $2^{\text {nd }}$ quarter, 2020



