

President's Report

January 19, 2023





December Baseload Generation

- Nebraska City Unit 1 Capacity Factor: 41.1%
- Nebraska City Unit 2 Capacity Factor: 72.9%
- North Omaha Unit 4 Capacity Factor: 31.4%
- North Omaha Unit 5 Capacity Factor: 43.3%



December Balancing Generation

- Cass County Capacity Factor 7.5%
- Jones Street Capacity Factor 3.4%
- North Omaha Unit 1 Capacity Factor 0%
- North Omaha Unit 2 Capacity Factor 0%
- North Omaha Unit 3 Capacity Factor 0%
- Sarpy County Capacity Factor 4.9%



December Renewables

- Renewable energy contributed 36.4% of OPPD's retail energy sales
- Wind capacity factor of 50.4%
- Capacity Factor for Community Solar 10.9%



Son GREENER TOGETHER Program

OPPD.com/GTPdashboard

Whispering Roots

\$50,000.00 Awarded

Project

Support sustainability, STEM and agricultural fields of study through building raised garden beds with under-served students using plastic lumber made from plastic waste that has been diverted from the landfill

Benefits

- Educates students on many aspects of environmental sustainability, from growing food sustainably to the responsible use of resources, waste management and the circular economy
- Utilizes hard-to-recycle plastics

Habitat for Humanity

\$80,000.00 Awarded

Project

Pilot solar energy as a way to reduce utility costs for households with low income

Benefits

- Reduce nonrenewable electricity needs
- Energy savings translates to significant cost reductions to ensure successful homeownership
- Provides access to solar energy for homeowners who would not otherwise be able to afford it, increasing equitable access to renewable solutions



New winter peak – Winter Storm Elliott

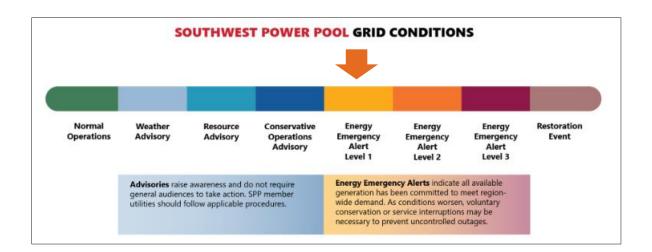
- OPPD set a new record winter peak load on Dec. 22, 2023, as a result of an arctic outbreak with extreme cold temperatures and gusty winds (Winter Storm Elliott).
- Load reached 2,091 MWs between 5 and 6 p.m., compared to previous record of 1,824 MWs during Winter Storm Uri on Feb. 14, 2021.
- The **15% increase** was a result of colder conditions and load growth throughout the service territory

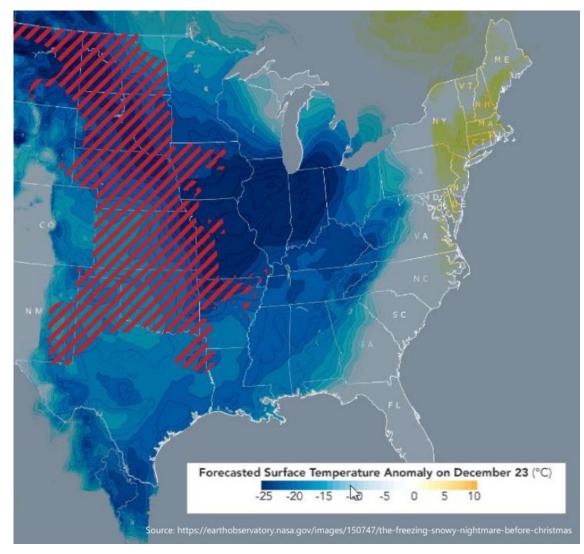
Winter Storm Elliott Dec. 22, 2022
High: -2°F Low: -14°F Average: -8°F 2,091 MWs
Winter Storm Uri Feb. 14, 2021
High: -1°F Low: -10°F Average: -5°F 1,824 MWs



Winter Storm Elliott

- SPP twice declared an Energy Emergency Alert Level 1 on Dec 23
 - All SPP generation committed to serve load and at risk of not meeting operating reserves



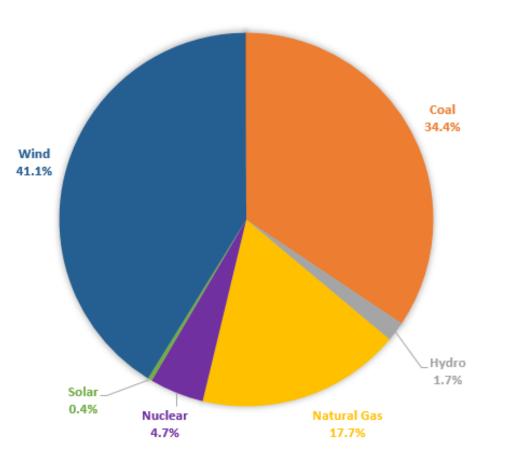




Maintaining Reliability

- Diverse resource mix and planning efforts provided preparedness for this type of event.
- Power with Purpose will further increase diversity and overall resources
- Future planning efforts will continue to ensure reliability through resource diversity and capability during these types of extreme events in all seasons.

SPP RESOURCE MIX, 12-22-2022 18:00





Honor Our Community

Month of Giving





Awards



Photo courtesy of Philippe Nobile Photography. From left, Vivek Arora (SAM Companies), Joyce Cooper (OPPD), and McKell Purnell (OPPD).



OPPD-Douglas County SOLUS Grant Awarded

- Awarded \$3,460,000 by the Nebraska Environmental Trust for OPPD-Douglas County SOLUS (Solar On Landfills Utility Scale)
- OPPD received the largest award of the 23 projects funded
- 1st utility-scale solar installation on a capped landfill in Nebraska
- 3-year project with 2 phases
 - \circ Year 1 Feasibility Study
 - $\circ~$ Years 2 and 3 Design and Construction
- Located at the closed Douglas County landfill (12608 State St.)
- Project features a public-public partnership with Douglas County
- Grant funding will support the cost difference between a typical ground-mounted solar project and landfill solar, which is higher due to the design and construction complexities





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16th Annual Run & Walk for Warmth

Registration is open!

When: March 4

Where: Aksarben Village and a virtual option; you choose when and where to participate

Cost: \$40 – 5-mile, \$35 – 5k, \$30 – untimed run/walk

Register: <u>HeatTheStreetsOmaha.com</u>



100% of fund the raised go to energy assistance programs!



In Memoriam Remembering those we lost

Mike Wright Underground Construction Worker January 6, 2023

