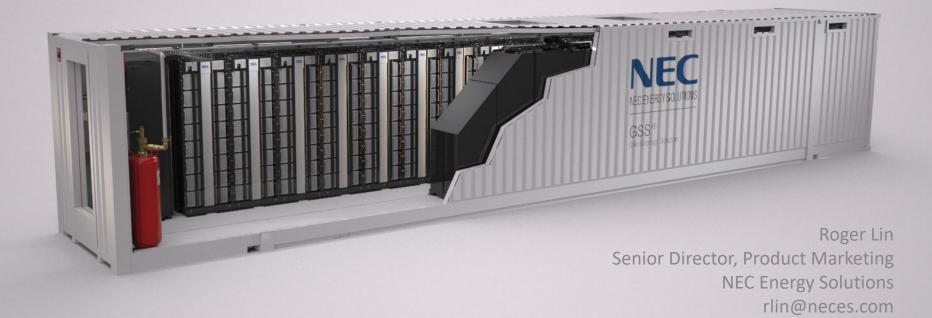


## **Energy Storage For A Municipal Utility**



# The GSS<sup>®</sup> grid storage solution



#### **An Integrated System**

- The GSS<sup>®</sup> grid storage solution is a fully integrated, turnkey, AC energy storage plant ready to interconnect to the grid
  - Configured-to-order from factory-assembled, standard modular components
  - Designed and manufactured by NEC Energy Solutions:
    - AEROS<sup>®</sup> controls, a complete energy storage command and controls software package
    - GBS<sup>®</sup> grid battery systems; energy storage with BMS and controls hardware in outdoor-rated enclosures (standard containerized, but custom enclosures possible)
  - Includes necessary equipment from third-parties, engineered to work with all NEC ES equipment
    - Power conversion hardware (inverters) from leading manufacturers around the world
    - Thermal management units (air conditioning or water chillers) for battery cooling



#### Standard containerized GSS<sup>®</sup> grid storage solution



## **Global GSS<sup>®</sup> Grid Storage Solution Installations**





# **Sterling Energy Storage Project**



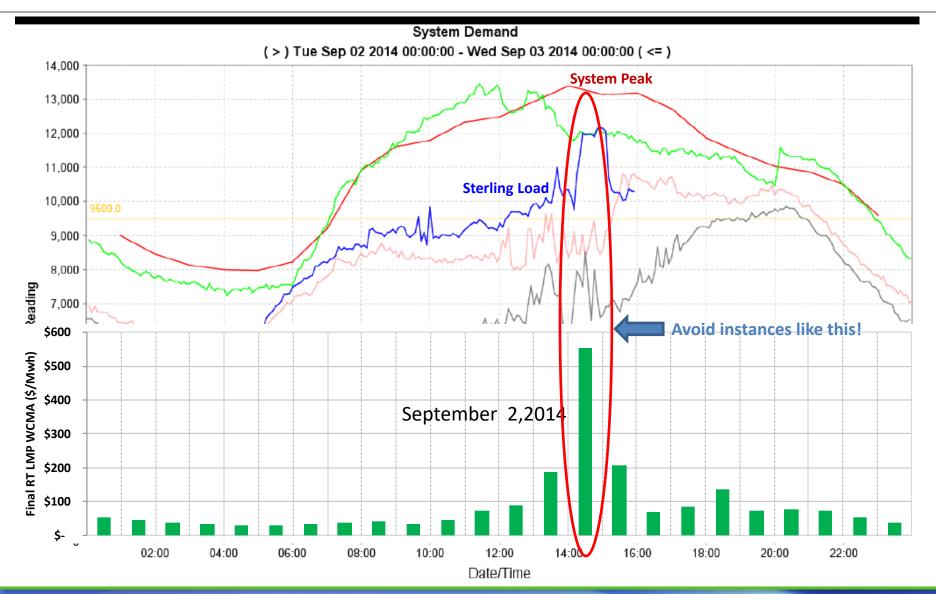
#### **Sterling Energy Storage Project**

- Town of Sterling, Massachusetts
  - Sterling Municipal Light Dept
  - 3MW of PV in Sterling
  - Among highest per capita PV generation in the country
  - Desired additional resiliency and better integration of existing PV
- Now installing energy storage
  - 2MW, 3.9MWh
    GSS<sup>®</sup> grid storage solution
  - Groundbreaking was on Oct 12
- Multiple benefits
  - Provide power for Sterling Police and Dispatch Center during outages
  - Provides electricity cost savings to ratepayers
  - Firms the value of PV
  - Enables future microgrid capability



## **Value to Sterling Municipal**











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Groundbreaking on Oct 12, equipment installation on Nov 14....

Final commissioning expected to be complete this month



Sample NEC Project Portfolio

**Other Real (and Diverse) Energy Storage Projects** 

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#### **Energy Storage in PJM Frequency Regulation**





Located at Laurel Mountain wind farm in West Virginia 32 MW lithium ion energy storage Operational since 2011



## **Energy Storage in Primary Reserve**





Located in Chile, South America 1,400km north of Santiago 20MW lithium ion energy storage facility Operational since 2011

#### **Energy Storage in Ramp Rate Management**





Located on Maui, Hawaii

11MW lithium ion energy storage working with a 21MW wind farm Operational since December 2012



## **Energy Storage in Load Limiting/Peak Shaving**



Located in California distribution grid for improved power reliability 2.5MW lithium ion energy storage in custom enclosure Operational since July 2015

Photo Credit: Southern California Edison

#### **Energy Storage in Microgrid Support**





Located in China installed in pre-existing building with local wind, solar, and thermal generation

500kW lithium ion energy storage

**Operational since March 2014** 



## **Other Energy Storage Case Studies**

#### Other applications...

Frequency Regulation in PJM? Primary Reserve in Chile? Ramp Rate Management (Wind) in Hawaii? Load Limiting (Peak Shaving) in California? Microgrid Support in China? Other applications not mentioned?



#### Thank you! Roger Lin

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