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# Itron: Advanced Grid Infrastructure (AGI) Solutions

## Provider

Delivering Technologies that Transform and Optimize the Low-Voltage Distribution Network



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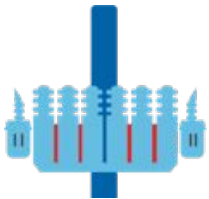
**UTILITY IOT  
SOLUTIONS**



**METERING  
SOLUTIONS (2.0/3.0)**



**CONSUMER  
ENGAGEMENT**



**GRID MANAGEMENT**  
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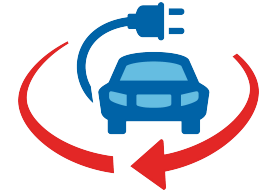
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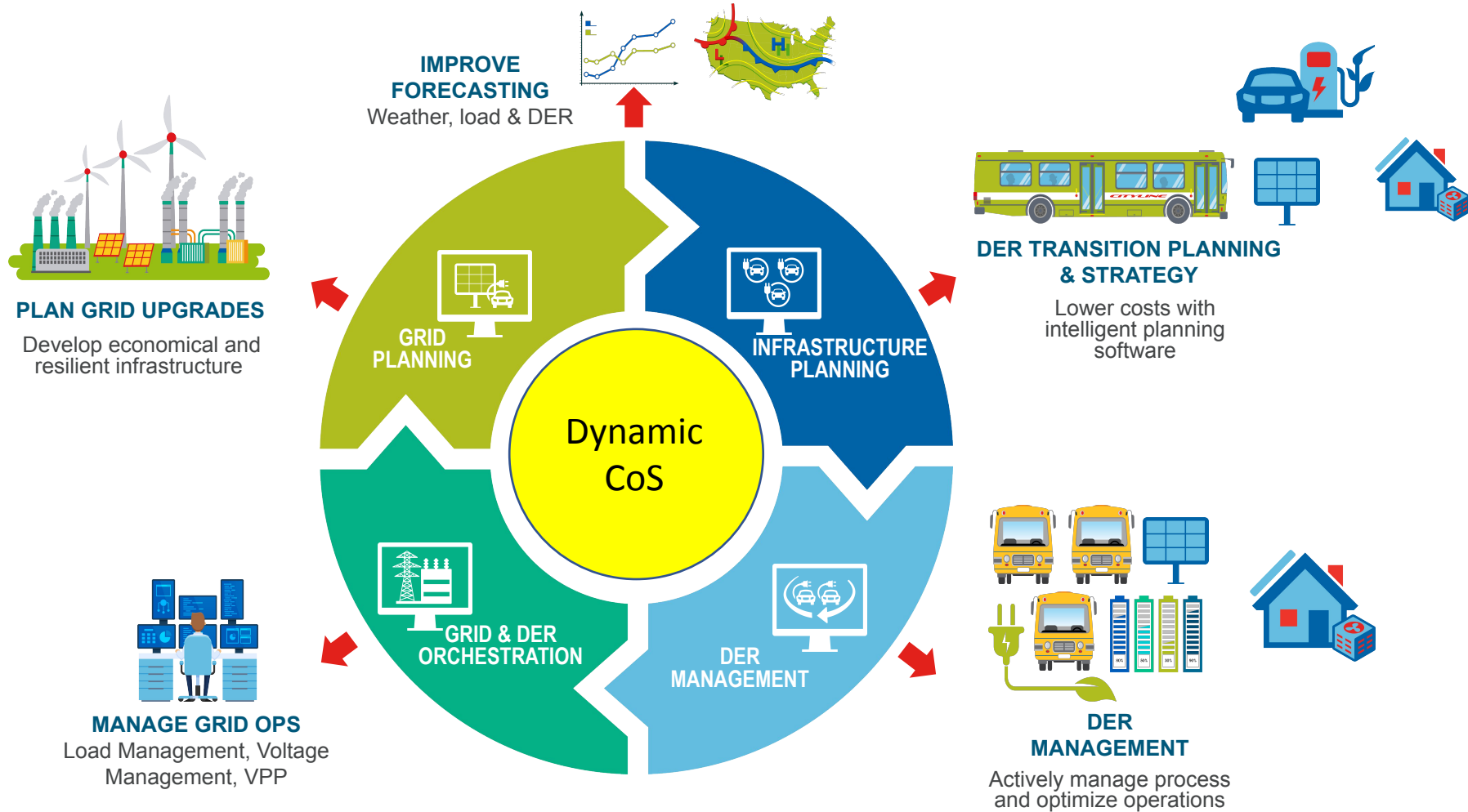


**DISTRIBUTED  
INTELLIGENCE  
APPLICATIONS**



**EV & Deep  
Electrification of  
Transportation**

# Industry Challenge: Static Cost of Service Models Do Not Equitably Allocate Cost of Infrastructure and Service in a Modern Grid Environment



A Dynamic Cost of Service Modeling Solution Can Drive Strategic Grid Modernization and Integrated Grid Management



# Dynamic Cost of Services (CoS)

## Key Obstacles

- Deployment of fine resolution measurement on service points, non meter loads, and key grid sensors
- Complex Integrations across Government, Public, and Private domains
- Regulatory support, i.e. studies, pilots, and reports will have to be completed before general adoption.
- Controlling the narrative

## Timeline

- No immediate deadlines within the next 12 month
- Potential path to justifying deeper investment to equitably harden infrastructure to accommodate EV, and DER

## Comprehensive approach needed

- Real-time system State & Power Flow Analysis
- [End-to-End Grid management solutions](#)
- [Enhanced Connectivity Model](#)
- [Flexible demand management \(Utility, Residential & Commercial\)](#)
- Asset Management
- [VEE and Complex Rates Engine](#)
- Consumer engagement
- Trading environment form management and tracking activity
- [High resolution sensor and/or service point data](#)
- [Asset / Premise level Usage & Supply profiling](#)

## Deep Collaboration Across Industry Silos

- Secure Data sharing path across lines
- Shared Management responsibilities
- Accommodation for facilities, permits & easements
- Rethinking traditional distribution design standards
- Regulatory support (Local Gov, Utility Regulator, and local building authority)



# Benefits of DCoS

- Enables Real-Time Pricing similar to LPM (location marginal pricing) on the transmission network that can be leveraged to provide an accurate DCoS for the consumer and aggregator trading market.
- Accurately characterizes the variable cost to serve of all service points. (Meters, Streetlights, unmetered loads etc.)
- Supports the ability to minimize the cost of infrastructure required to support existing and proposed DER and EV)
- Allows utilities to work with regulators to establish real financial models as it related to energy trading across the Grid, i.e., peer to peer energy trading transactions etc. (*FERC order No. 2222*)
- Establishes a highly accurate and autocorrecting connectivity model
- Drives highly accurate real-time demand KW, energy KWH, and revenue forecasting



# 12-month Collaboration Challenge

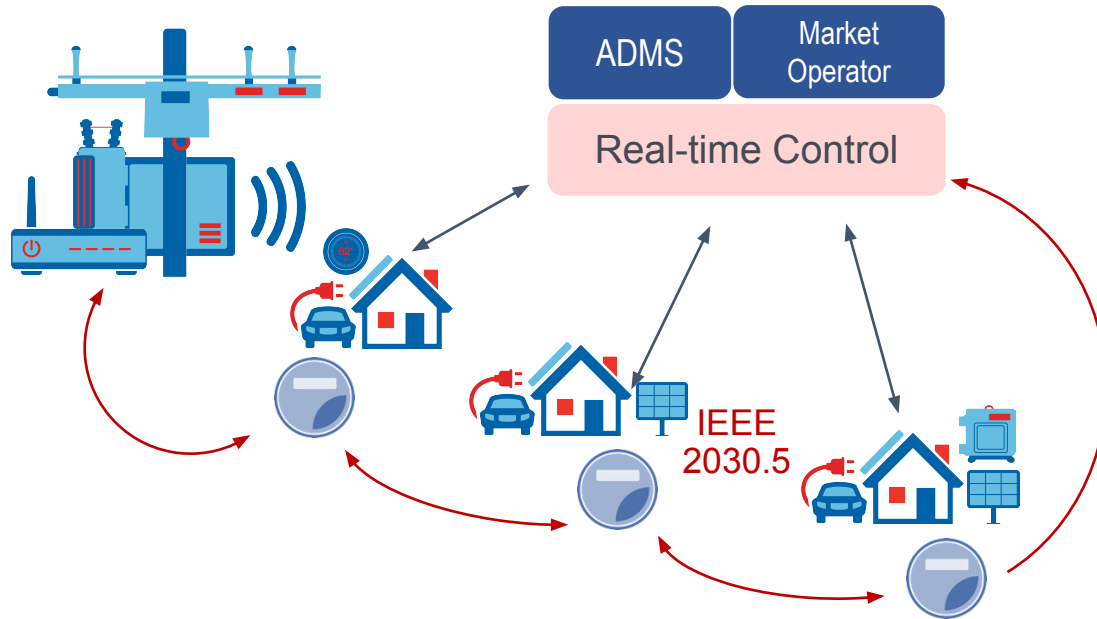
***Regarding Grid Modernization, to achieve Boston's Climate, Health & Equity goals, a critical obstacle to collectively overcome in 12 months is:***

***Developing an integrated dynamic cost of service model solution.***

# Appendix

# Control of Low-Voltage Network with Distributed Intelligence

Management of distribution systems at the edge integrated with ADMS/SCADA



## DIFFERENTIATED APPROACH

Single DI-enabled real-time data analytics & control platform enables solutions to utilities on customer and grid side

## TRANSFORMATIVE RESULTS

Delivering layers of value: visibility, load & charging control, AI driven analytics, market participation, transactional energy

### Smart Meter 2.0

Enhancing AMI use cases

### Grid Edge Operation

Low-voltage grid resiliency, power quality, transformer protection, outage management

### Distributed Energy Resources

Managing multiple behind-the-meter DERs incl. EV, solar, and storage for system reliability, renewable firming

### EV Infrastructure

Highly reliable, secure and flexible EV management for fleet/semi/public

### Consumer Engagement

High-fidelity Load Disaggregation HAN 2030.5