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Dear NJBPU

Take 2 years before publishing an initial IEP and make people assigned to the IEP as a project now and for the 30-year duration of the transformation program. It should also include assigned representatives from NJ-DEP, NJ-DOT, and NJ-EDA at the very least.

Get NJ high schools and universities engaged via competitions every 6 months – this raises public awareness, engages the residents of NJ and will produce working pilots based on currently available cost-effective solutions.

Make the 30-year EMP a project program and request for Governor Murphy to create the EMP Transformation Program (EMPTP) Office. This is the only way the program will operate over the next 30 years with continuity and management support.

Most importantly, engage NJ Agencies, partners and people sending in comments to create the first IEP blueprint by 2022. This isn’t something to be outsourced to one organization (RMI) who then subcontracts to another organization (EER). This is for NJ and should be by NJ working with other states, countries and even research being performed by energy.gov, NREL, EIA and IEA.

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Best Regards,

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