

Presentation to:

Massachusetts & Rhode Island Task Force

May 16, 2017

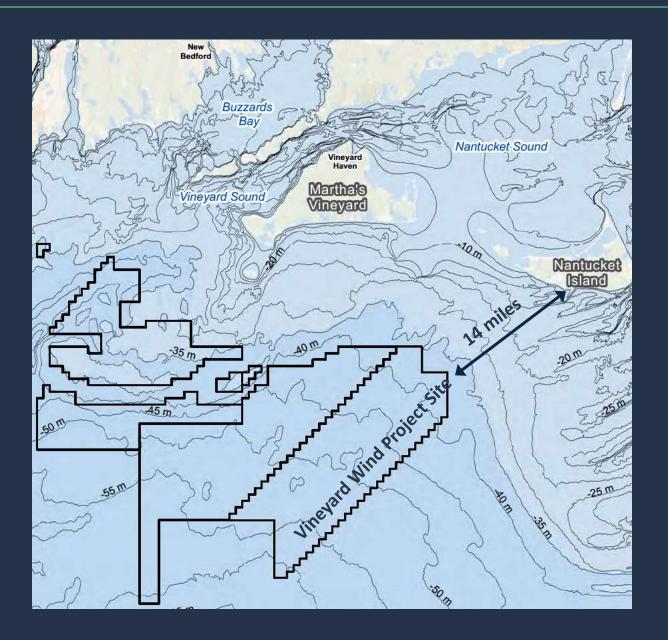


AGENDA

- Introduction
- Overview of Vineyard Wind
- Project status
- Stakeholder Outreach
- Project Mitigation



LEASE AREA OCS-A-501



- Acquired in 2015 through US
 Department of Interior competitive lease auction
- As good as any offshore site in the world:
 - High wind speeds
 - Solid seafloor conditions
 - Multiple grid connection options
- Project sizing/buildout will be influenced by Massachusetts procurement process

COPENHAGEN INFRASTRUCTURE PARTNERS(CIP)





- Well funded, highly experienced investor backing
- A fund managed by CIP acquired 100% of Vineyard Wind in August, 2016
- CIP has long-term investments focus
 - Invests on behalf of 21 institutional investors
 - Some of largest Scandinavian pension funds
 - Early engagement in projects
 - Clean energy project focus
- Today manages over € 5 billion



EXPERIENCED OFFSHORE WIND DEVELOPMENT TEAMS



Veja Mate, 402 MW, Germany
Beatrice, 588 MW, UK (Scotland)
Vineyard Wind, 400-800+ MW, USA
Beothuk, 180 MW, Canada
Early stage: Asia

- A specialized CIP team manages design and construction of offshore projects globally for CIP
- Individuals on team have had key roles on :
 - More than 15 offshore wind projects in Europe
 - 10 of the 15 largest projects to date
 - Strong technical expertise: engaged in offshore wind as early as world's 2nd offshore wind farm, built in 1995
 - Experience in all aspects of offshore wind:

Development - Construction - Operations

- Best practices and innovations readily applied across CIP's offshore wind portfolio
- CIP's European expertise coupled with U.S. team highly experienced in siting and permitting U.S. offshore wind



VINEYARD POWER

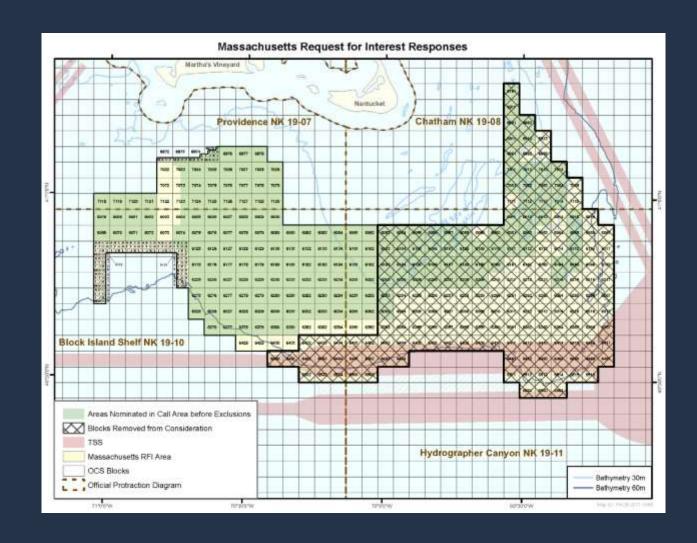


- First and only developer in the US to execute a Community Benefit Agreement with a local, non-profit partner
- Provides meaningful local participation in project
 - 1400 members: 10% of island's utility meters
 - Seasonal, year-round, and small business members
- Closely involved in day-to-day development activities
- Provides guidance regarding important local issues
- Identifies opportunities to benefit local community

HISTORY

- Evolution of our site selection
 - Task force
 - Working groups
- Vineyard Power Partnership
- Request for Interest (RFI), Call for Information (CFI)
- Environmental Assessment (EA) on Massachusetts WEA
- Lease issuance April 1, 2015
- Site Assessment Plan
 - For met/ocean data collection
 - Due April 1, 2016
 - Extended to April 1, 2017
 - 'Departure' can be requested
- Construction and Operations Plan (COP)
 - 'Due' April 1, 2020

MASSACHUSETTS RFI AREA - 2010





PROJECT STATUS

- Geological Surveys conducted in Fall 2017
- SAP Submitted
- Export cable routing on-going
- Planning for export cable survey (for state waters, as well) during Summer 2017



NEXT STEPS

- Export Cable Routing & Survey
 Work
- Massachusetts RFP
- Define Project Envelope
- Federal Permitting
- State Permitting



STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH

- Fisheries
 - Fisheries Representative
 - Flyers and advertisements (including LORAN lines)
 - Thumb drives for chart plotters
 - Scheduled and ad hoc meetings
 - Real time response during surveys
 - Consultation on export cable

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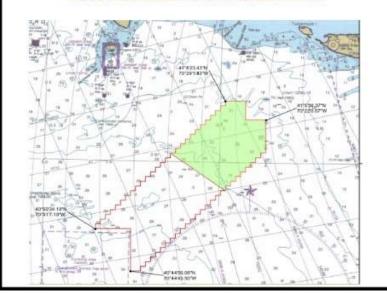
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STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH

- NGOs
 - Ongoing updates and project coordination
 - Compliance with NGO proposed approach to surveys
 - Coordinated industry meetings with American Wind Energy Association (AWEA)
- Tribal consultation underway
- Municipal outreach underway

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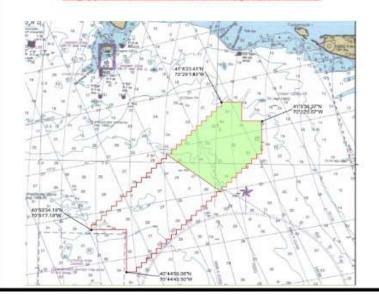
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PROJECT MITIGATION

Marine Mammals & Sea Turtles

- Protected species observers
- Exclusion zones / equipment shut-downs
 - 500m for North Atlantic Right Whale
 - 200m+ for all species
- Passive acoustic monitoring
- Night vision binoculars
- Vessel speed restrictions
- Historic Concerns
 - Oversight from a Qualified Marine Archaeologist
 - Review of geophysical data prior to bottom disturbing activity
 - Ongoing and planned consultations



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