

***The Evolving Landscape for Energy
Storage***

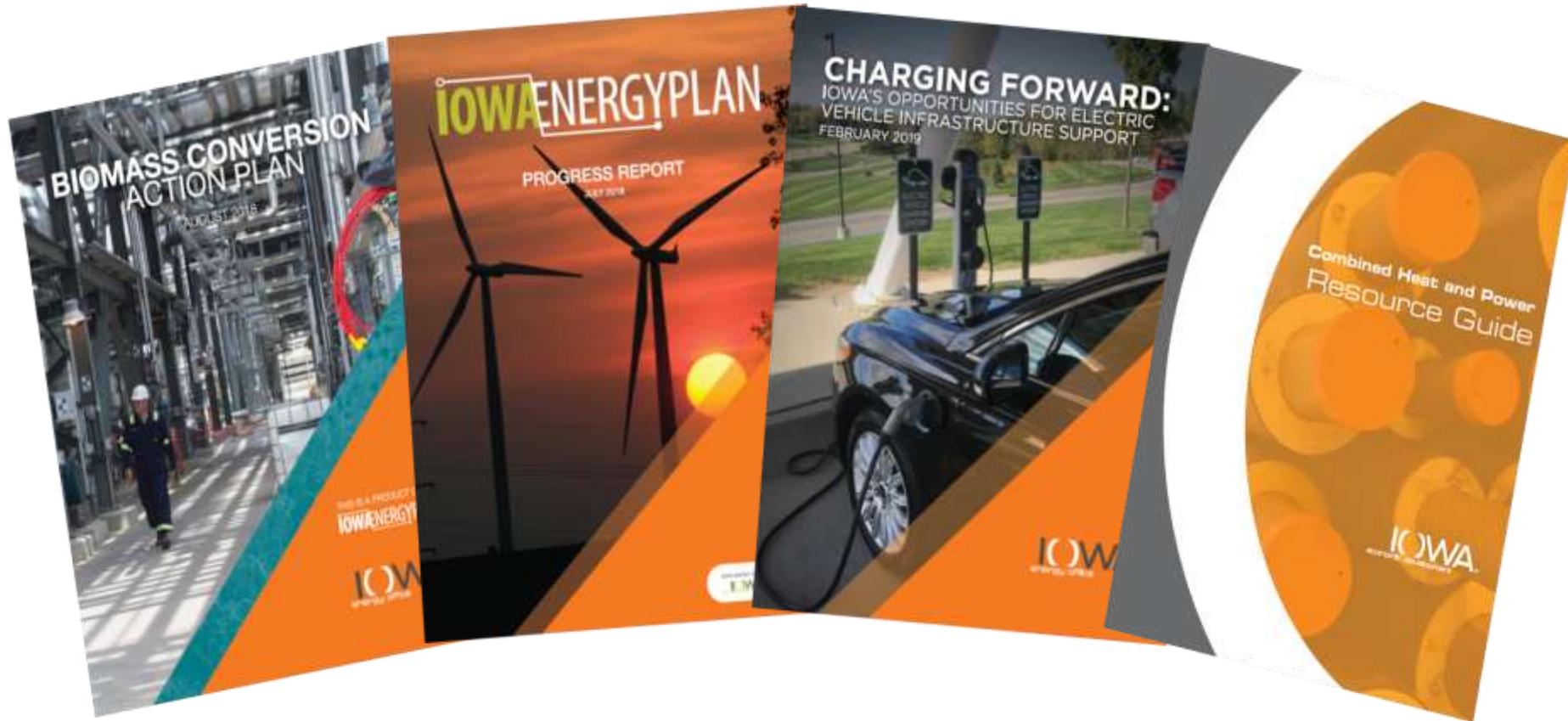
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Iowa Energy Office

- **Division of the Iowa Economic Development Authority (IEDA)**
 - Coordinates the Iowa Clean Cities Program / Coalition
- **Manage a diverse mix of state, federal & utility-funded programs & initiatives**
 - Programs & initiatives that provide energy-economic benefits for Iowa's citizens, businesses & organizations
- **Led the development of policy reports / action plans:**
 - December 2016 – *Iowa Energy Plan*
 - August 2018 – *Biomass Conversion Action Plan*
 - February 2019 – *EV Infrastructure Report*
 - May 2019 – *Energy Storage Action Plan*

Iowa Energy: What's New and Next



Energy Storage Activities

- **2018, IEDA formed the *Iowa Energy Storage Committee***
 - Diverse group of 17 energy stakeholders
 - Committee's charge; garner input & recommendations how Iowa should embrace storage
 - May 2019, IEDA released *Iowa Energy Storage Action Plan*
- **IEDA supporting pilot-scale & replicable energy storage projects**
 - 2018, provided grant funds for large-scale solar + battery storage projects in Fairfield (university & industrial)
 - 2018, provided grant funds for research project on MiEnergy Cooperative's residential battery project
 - Numerous other energy storage projects under consideration for IEDA support
 - IEDA agnostic to storage technologies, applicants, etc. Rather, **we see a multitude of benefits.**

Energy Storage Activities...continued

- **Midwestern Gov.'s Association – Grid Initiative**

- Gov. Reynolds - 2019 MGA Chair / MN Gov. Walz Vice Chair
- Chair's Agenda - creating a more secure & modern electric grid in the Midwest
- Amongst numerous topics, Iowa will encourage storage to be considered during the regional collaboration

- **ETA early fall – IEDA expected to issue RFP** for consultant services to develop an economic value of storage assessment

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