# Report to the LIPA Finance and Audit Committee

November 18, 2020

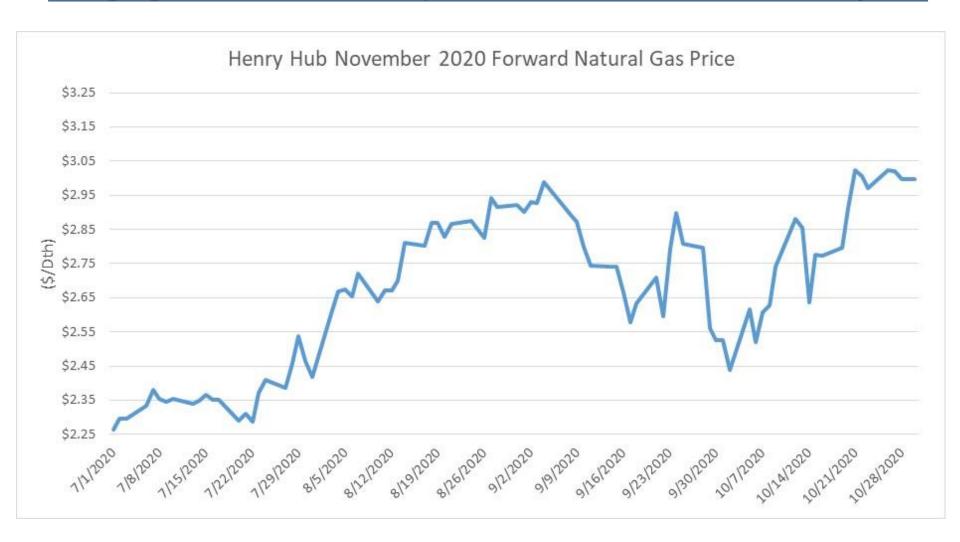
**Power Supply Hedge Update** 



# Agenda

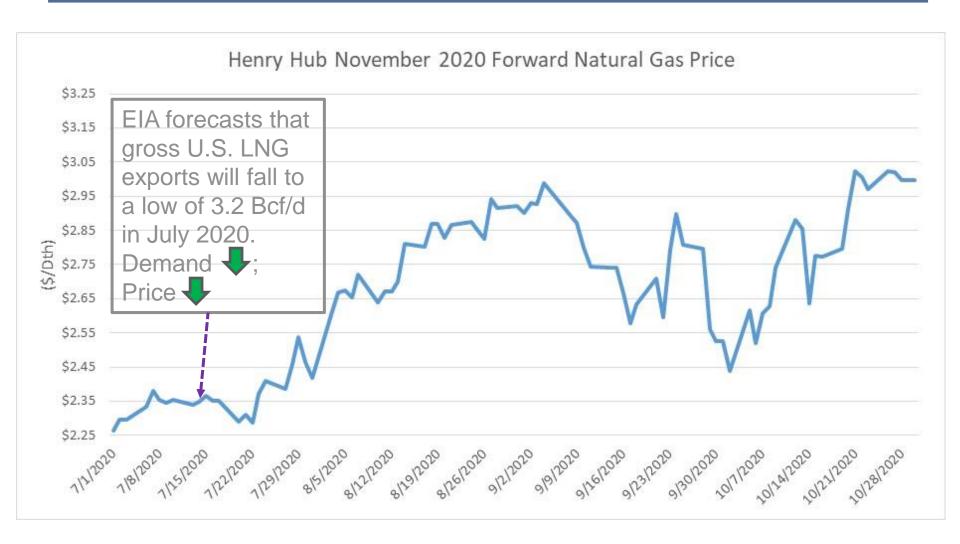
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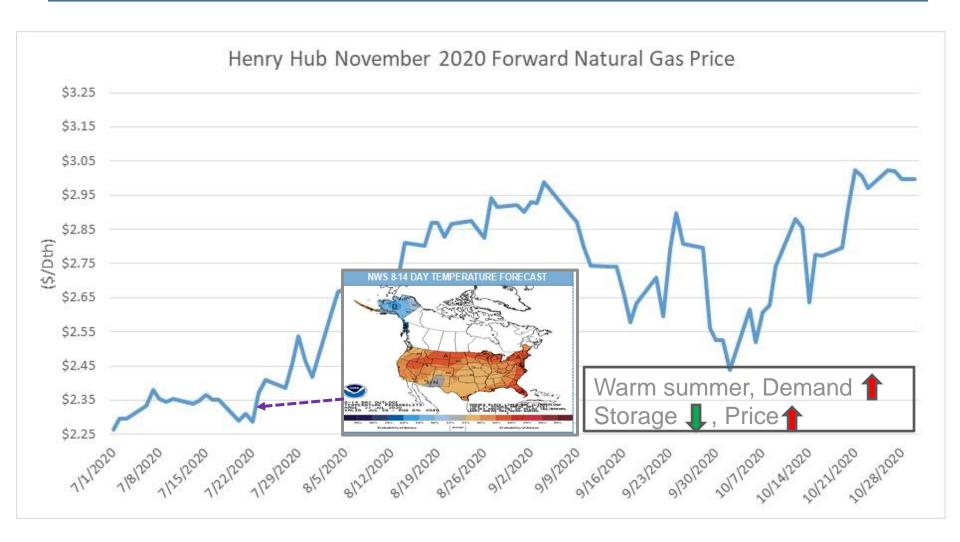


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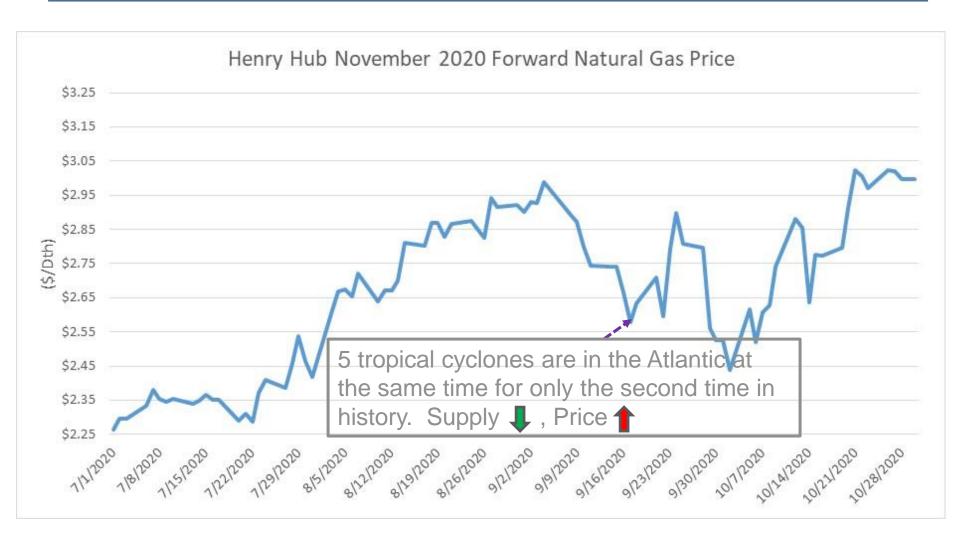


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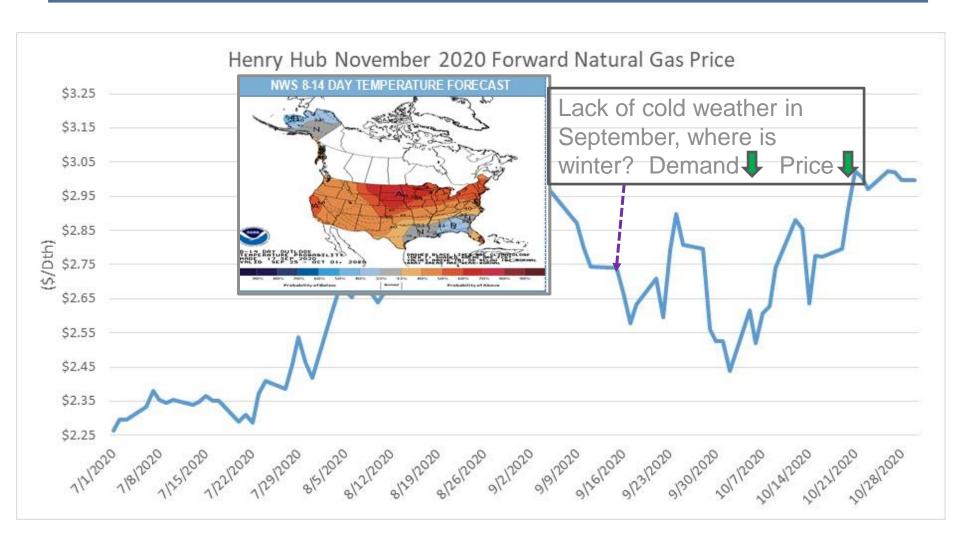


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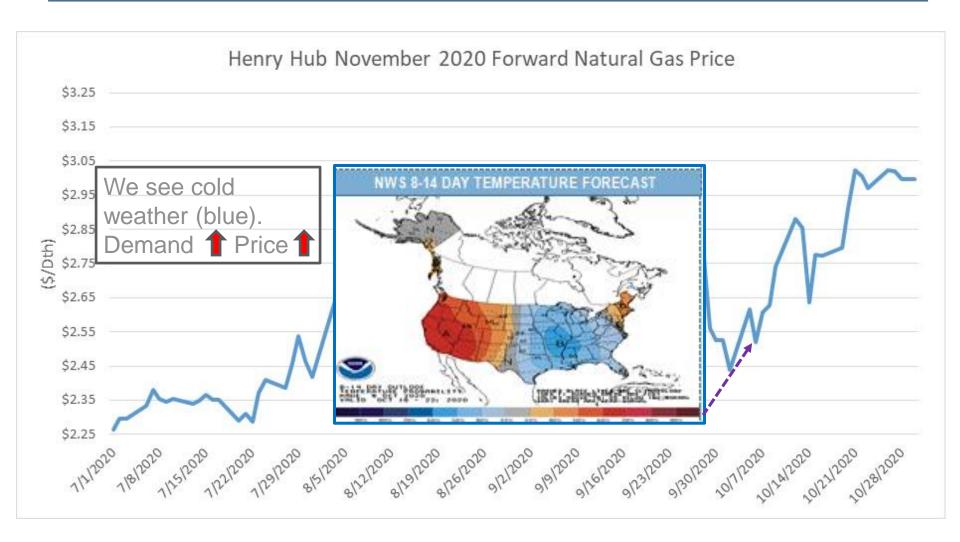


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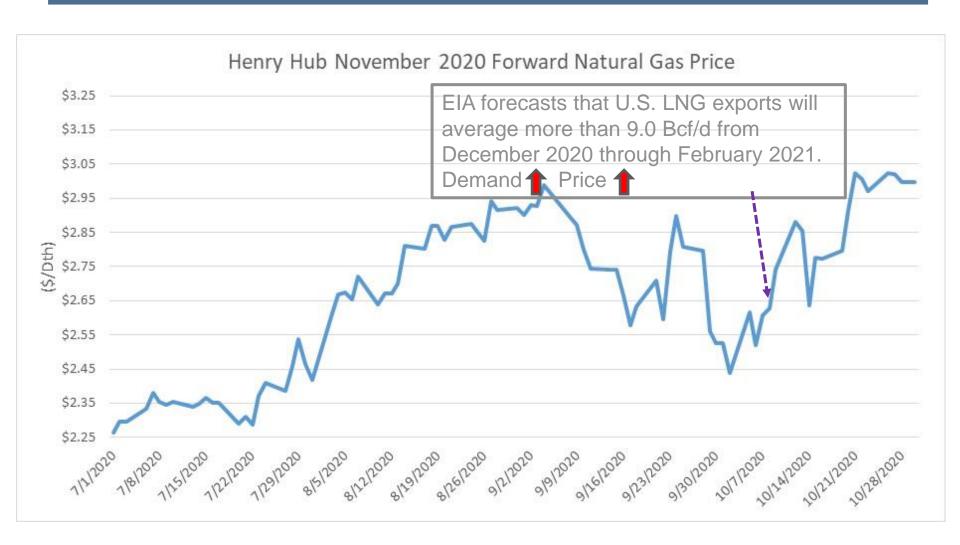


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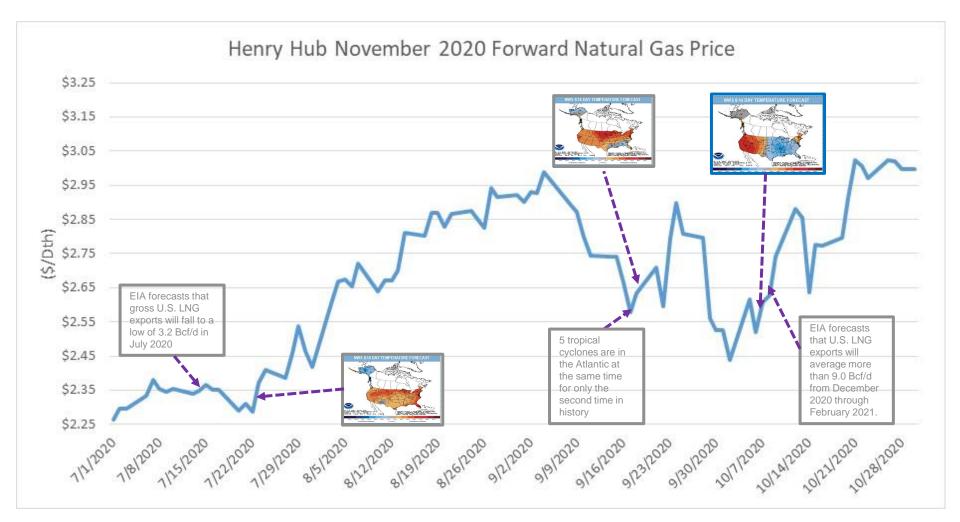


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In four months, we had large prices swing eventually ending at \$3.00/dth.



# **Hedging Is Prudent – Survey of Other Utilities**

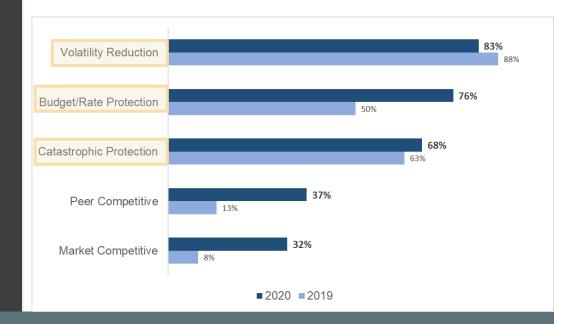
# **Hedge Plan Objectives**

#### **Industry Best Practices**

Top 3 objectives in 2020 mirrored 2019 results:

- Volatility Reduction
- · Budget/Rate Protection
- Catastrophic Price Protection

Budget/Rate Protection moved up to the 2<sup>nd</sup> most important objective, swapping with Catastrophic Price Protection



#### LIPA Hedge Plan Parameter

LIPA's primary program objective is:

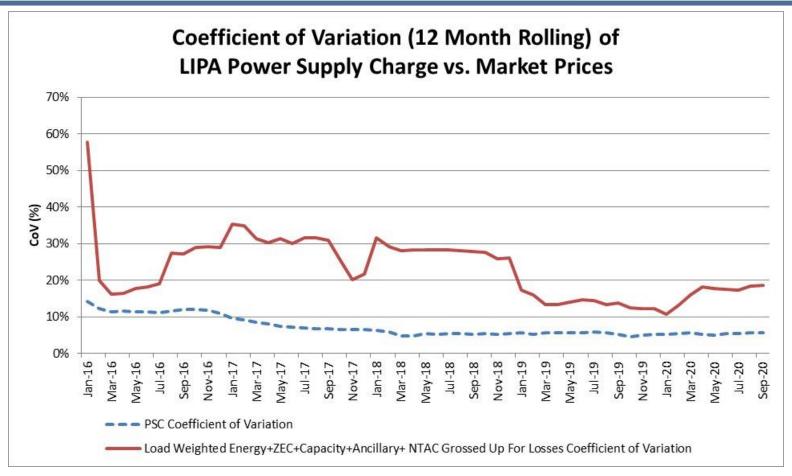
- To implement a framework by which LIPA/PSEG will carry out the Program with the primary objectives of reducing a portion of the volatility
  of energy supply prices in a programmatic & reasonable manner, over what LIPA's customers would experience in the absence of a
  Program
- LIPA also has a Catastrophic Protection element in place
- Per the PRMC, LIPA has used Budget/Rate Protection when entering into longer-term hedges & allowing %'s to go above the defined plan

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# Hedging Is Prudent-Volatility of Power Supply Charge vs. Market



Our hedging activity has led to a continuing decline in customer's price volatility with current volatility levels substantially below wholesale spot market results.

PSC pre 1/1/2017 adjusted up by 2.5 cents/kwh associated with transfer of capacity costs

