# Portfolio-Based Renewable Solutions | portfolioRE Renewable Energy Supply for Small and Midsize Operations



portfolioRE provides a boldly innovative opportunity to aggregate small and midsize customers with simplified renewable supply options, tailored to fit load profiles and low-carbon objectives.

Through portfolioRE, physical volumes of renewable energy – either wind or solar – are incorporated into traditional retail supply contracts along with renewable energy certificates (RECs). RECs are contracted off the same generation asset. In non-ERCOT markets, environmental attributes are supplemented through Green-e® certified RECs to optimize costs and avoid regulatory premiums.

With an aggregation of customers, the product can be leveraged to support the construction of new, local clean energy facilities. It can also be tailored to supply physical volumes from existing local assets.

Physical transactions support the strongest marketing and sustainability claims that organizations can make to demonstrate their commitment to the environment. Firm volumes and fixed pricing add further value in ensuring predictability in month-to-month costs.

#### WHY consider portfolioRE?

- Significant contribution to sustainability
- Marketing rights to reference specific renewable assets
- Flexible five- to 10-year contracts
- Fixed volume and price for budget certainty
- Simplifed contracting via traditional retail supply agreements

### WHO can benefit from portfolioRE?

From a single-site manufacturing plant to a multisite retailer, any end user with an annual consumption profile greater than 6,000 MWh can take advantage of portfolioRE. Interest runs particularly high in the following sectors:

- Independent school districts
- Colleges and universities
- Data centers

- Commercial property
- Grocery stores
- Hospitality

## portfolioRE At a Glance



## Leverage the Lone Star Advantage: Live Oak Wind Farm



Through portfolioRE, customers in ERCOT can buy directly from Live Oak, ENGIE's 200 MW, 76-turbine wind farm near San Angelo, Texas.

Physical electricity and project-specific RECs are incorporated into traditional retail supply contracts, providing the strongest external claims to demonstrate sustainability commitments. Firm volumes and fixed pricing add further value in ensuring predictability in month-to-month costs.



## **ENGIE Salutes Low-Carbon Leaders**

Leading brands turn to ENGIE for support in the transition to zero carbon. We applaud these Carbon Champions for their commitment to environmental responsibility.



Nestlé Waters North America Signs Renewable Energy Agreement with ENGIE Resources

HOUSTON, Texas - October 22, 2018 - Neatlé Waters North America (NVINA), logother with ENGIE Resources, today nonnounced they have signed a nunevable energy agreement through which ENGIE will supply over 60 percent of the energy needed for NVINA's manufacturing and distribution facilities in Texas. With this agreement, NVINA operations in Travis, M.C. enano, Dallas, and Harties counties with be supplied by remeable wind energy from the Midway Wind Farm in Sam Patricic County, Texas, supporting Nestlé's global goal to transition to 100 percent renewable energy use in its constraions.

NV/NA will use clean, renewable energy to produce sustainably sourced beverage options for Texans, including the company's Ozarial\* Brand Natural Spring Water and Nestel\* Pure Life\* Purfied Water. The agreement will include up to 70,500 renewable energy certificates (RECo) per year from Michaey West, LLC, Based on current electrical usage, by will be reduced by more than 44,000 metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent per year. This is the equivalent of taking 9,500 vehicles off the road for one year.

"At Nestlé Waters North America, we are committed to enhancing quality of life and contributing to a healthier future for individuals and families, communities and the planet. Transitioning our factories to clean, renewable energy is emportant way even anceiven this goad," said Alexander Gregorien, Vice President, Head of Technical and Production at Nestlé Waters North America. "We are proud to partner with ENGIE and Midway Wind, LLC here in Texas, as we continue our journet yourset parking 100 perior threewable energy use in our operations."

Reduce Environmental Impact. Improve Competitive Position.

Studies\* indicate that reducing environmental impact delivers significant benefits, from lower debt ratios and higher mean sales growth to greater returns on assets, profits before taxation, and operational cash flows. Employee loyalty, morale, and recruitment also benefit from sustainable initiatives.

\*Harvard Business Review Ernst & Young

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