Connecticut OceanGrid

Connecticut should pursue independent offshore transmission to support clean energy growth, protect the environment and reduce costs.



THE CLEAN ENERGY FUTURE

Offshore wind will play a critical role in powering Connecticut as the state transitions to a zero-carbon grid, and transmission is needed to achieve necessary scale.



A RENEWABLE ENERGY GRID

Bringing renewable energy to homes and businesses requires a modern resilient power grid. A planned OceanGrid will make efficient use of valuable grid connections and build resilient networks offshore. Routing offshore wind directly to Connecticut will avoid the vulnerability of overland power lines and strengthen reliability.



PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT

Planned transmission will consolidate cables in dedicated corridors offshore and reduce the quantity of cables on the ocean floor. Laying fewer cables in fewer locations will minimize impacts on fisheries, marine ecosystems, and shoreline communities.



JOB CREATION

Routing offshore wind directly to Connecticut will support local construction and investment. Developing an OceanGrid will provide market certainty for offshore wind supply chain companies to establish local operations that capitalize on a skilled workforce and uniquely attractive ports.



CONSUMER SAVINGS

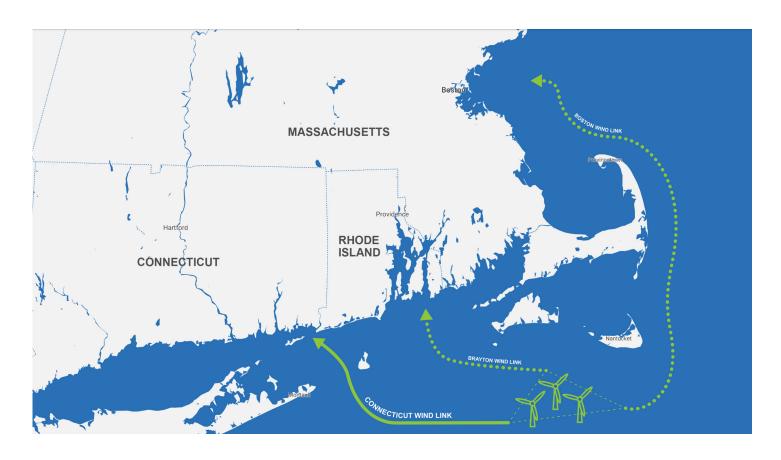
Well-planned transmission will avoid expensive projects to upgrade the onshore grid. Additionally, as seen in Europe, independent transmission drives down prices by reducing risk and increasing competition between offshore wind providers.



DEMONSTRATED SUCCESS

Anbaric has successfully helped spearhead the development of two buried, underwater electricity transmission systems in the Northeast. Both projects connecting New Jersey to New York were completed on time and on budget.

Anbaric's OceanGrid for Connecticut & Southern New England



ABOUT ANBARIC

Anbaric is a majority employee-owned, US-based company focused on planning and scaling offshore transmission. The company is a partnership between the Anbaric partners and the Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan, which as of June 30, 2019, had net assets under management of more than \$152 billion. Anbaric helped spearhead the development of two buried 660 MW HVDC projects between New Jersey and New York: the Neptune and Hudson Projects, which were delivered on schedule and on budget. Anbaric is committed to developing transmission systems for offshore wind in the US with a focus on Southern New England, New Jersey and New York as well as in Canada. For more information visit www.anbaric.com.



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