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Maryland Renewable Portfolio Standard

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Renewable Energy Portfolio



Maryland Goals

- New renewable generation in-state
- New renewable generation in the region
- New wind and solar

Low cost to ratepayers



Before and After

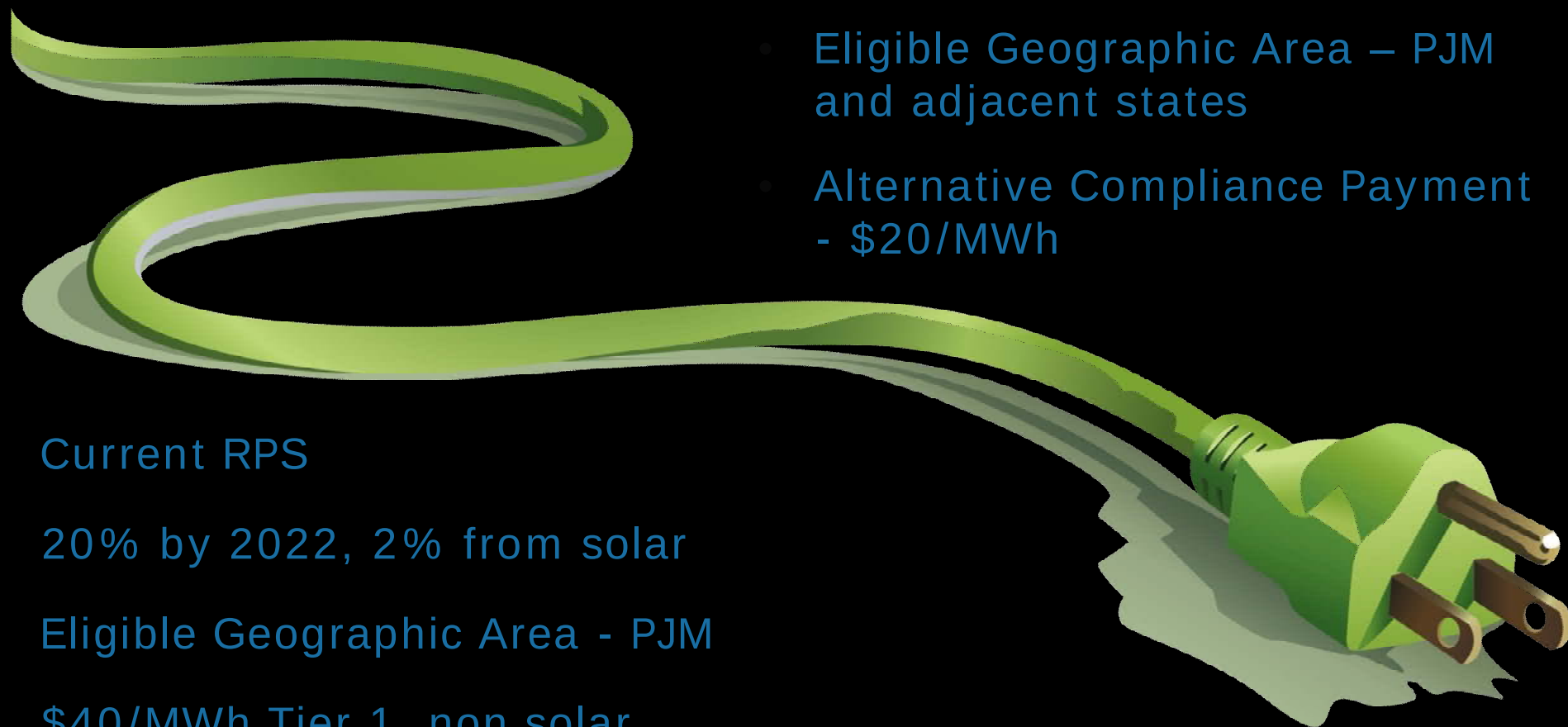
- Original RPS
- 9.5% by 2022
- Eligible Geographic Area – PJM and adjacent states
- Alternative Compliance Payment - \$20/MWh

Current RPS

20% by 2022, 2% from solar

Eligible Geographic Area - PJM

\$40/MWh Tier 1, non solar



The Experience So Far

Still no utility scale projects in Maryland

Solar is thriving



Next Steps:

Long-Term Power Purchase Agreement for
State, University and Local Government
Needs



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