



# EPA's Clean Power Plan

## And New Mexico's Response

# Agenda

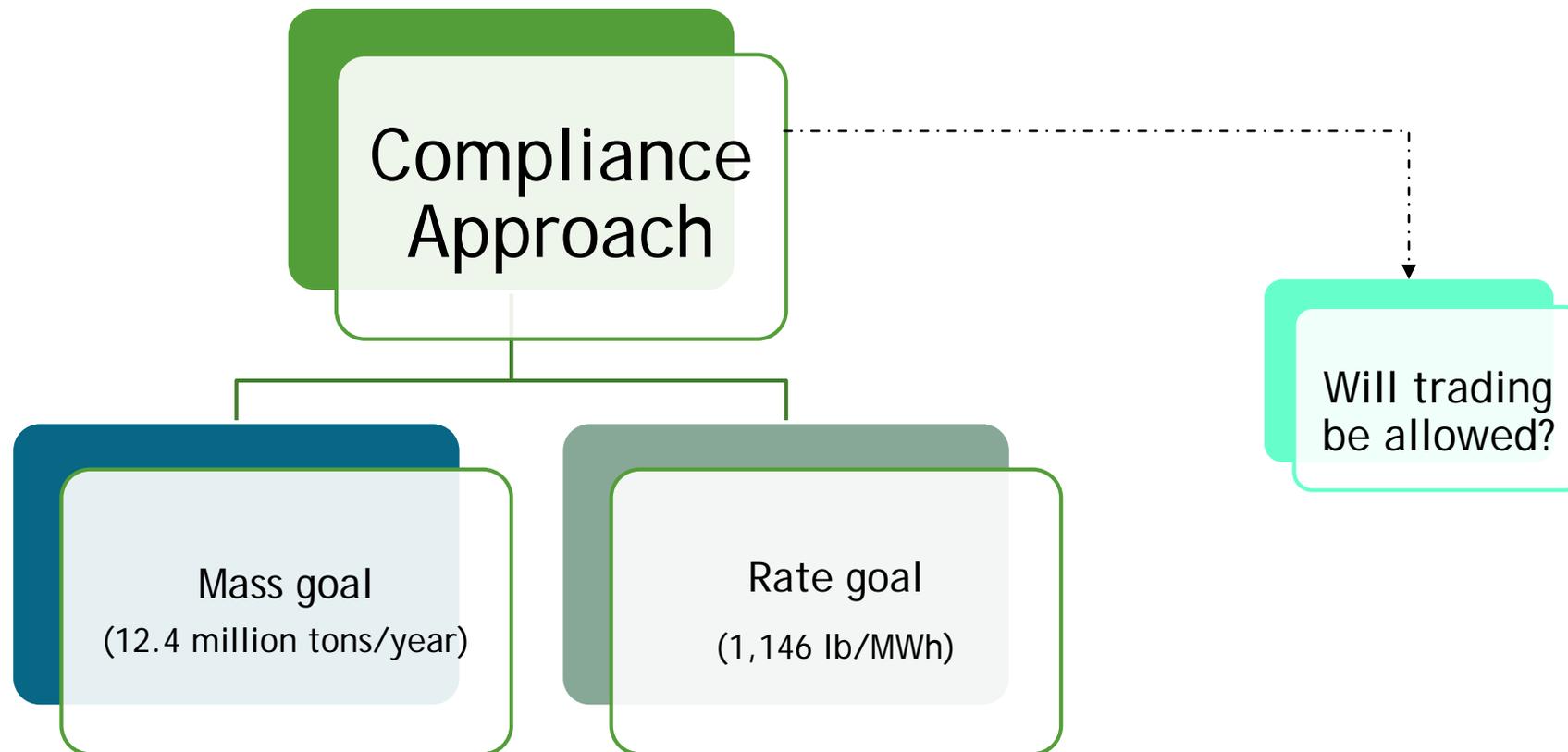
- ▶ What is the Clean Power Plan?
- ▶ What decisions need to be made?
- ▶ What does it mean for New Mexico?
- ▶ What is the process?
- ▶ How can citizens participate?

# What is the Clean Power Plan?

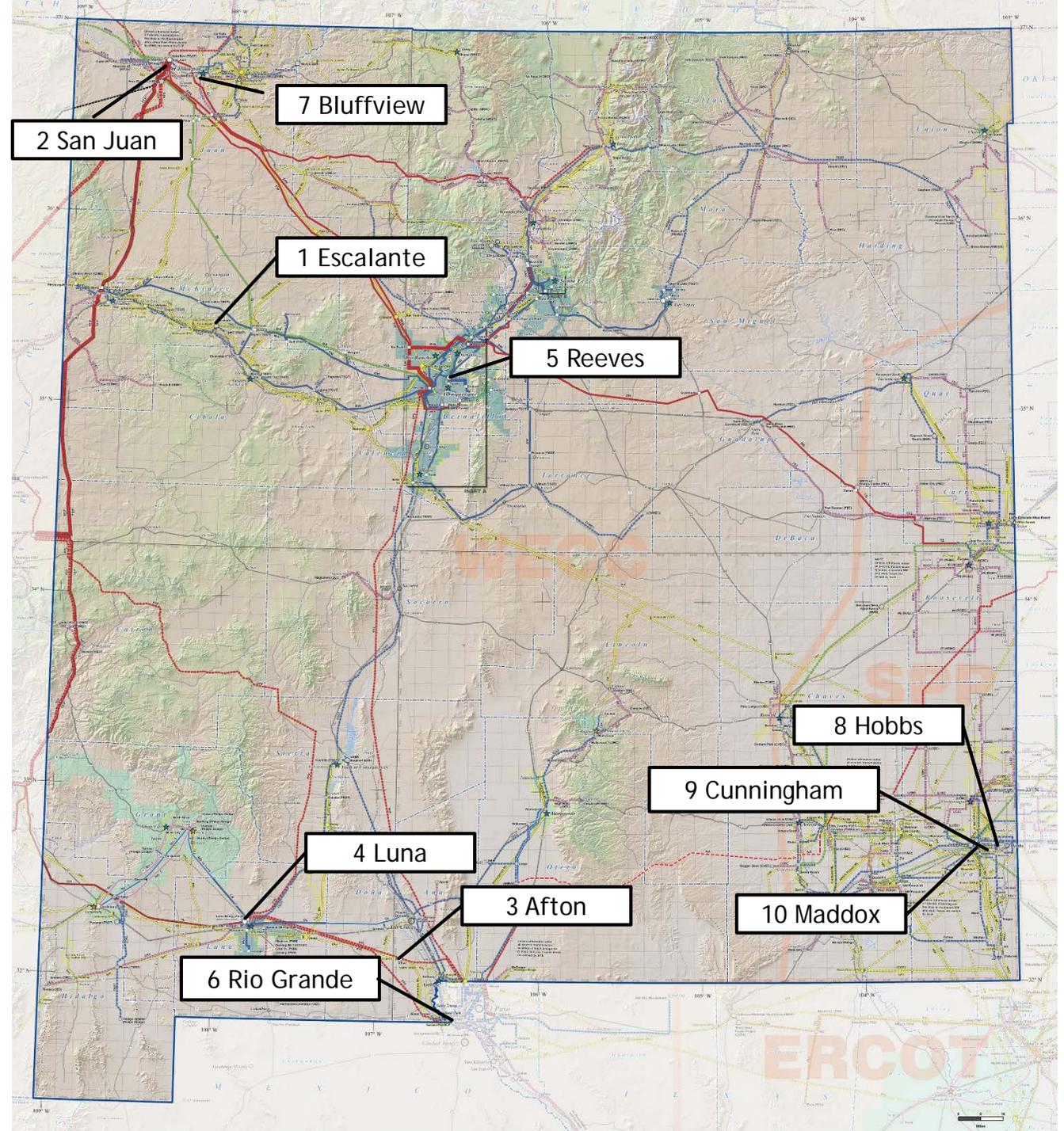
- ▶ U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) rule promulgated under the Clean Air Act, Section 111(d)
  - ▶ Released August 3, 2015
  - ▶ Published October 23, 2015
- ▶ Limits greenhouse gas [carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)] emissions from many existing electric generators that use coal, oil or gas
- ▶ States write plans to comply with EPA's limits
- ▶ States submit those plans to EPA no later than September, 2018\*

\*If granted a 2 year extension after submitting initial "plan" in 2016

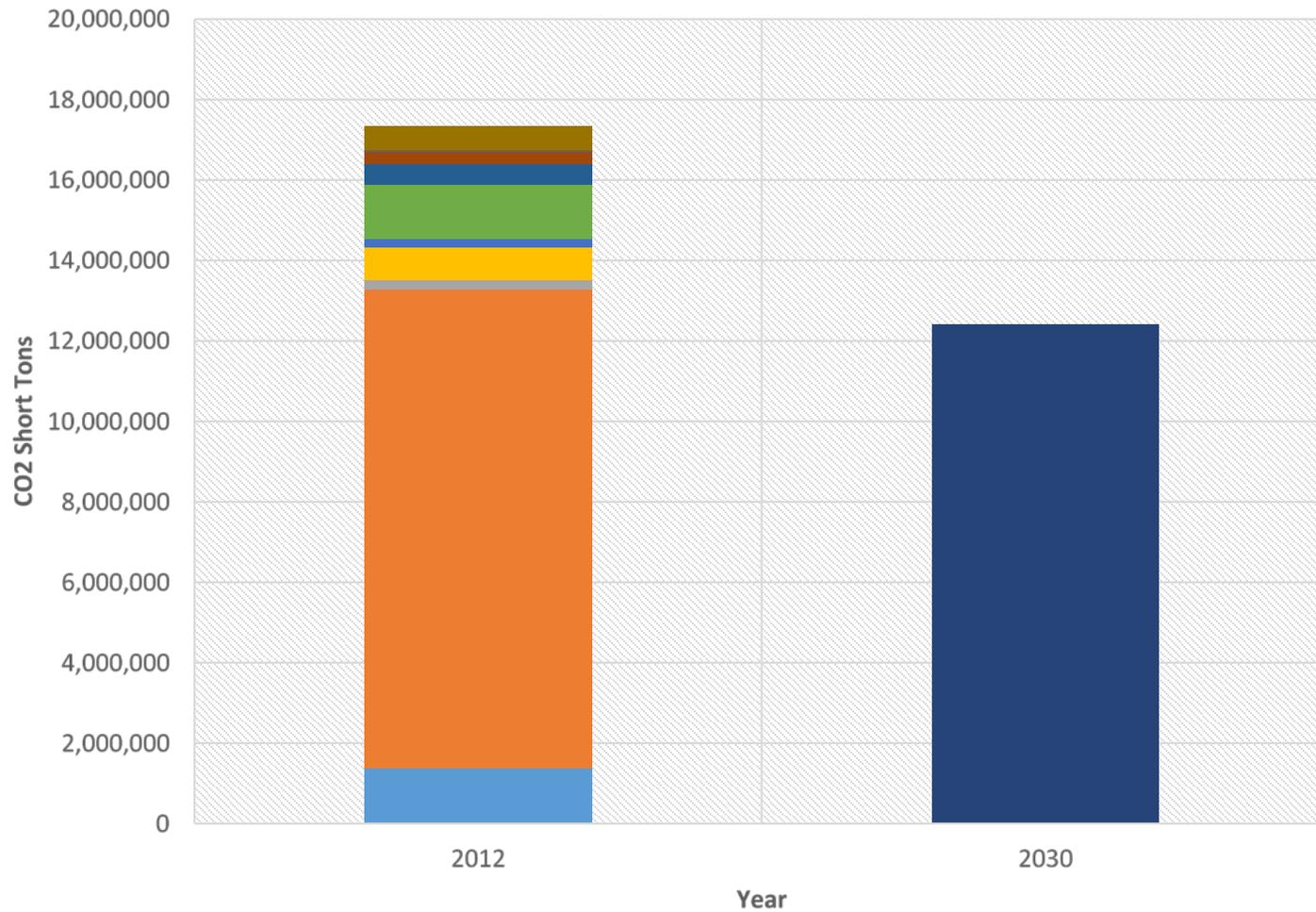
# What decisions need to be made?



# Clean Power Plan Affected NM Generating Stations



# New Mexico CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions



- Escalante
- San Juan
- Afton Generating Station
- Luna Energy Facility
- Bluffview
- Hobbs Generating Station
- Rio Grande
- Maddox
- Reeves
- Cunningham
- Emissions Goal

# What is the process New Mexico will use?

## Timing

- ▶ Fall 2015
- ▶ Fall 2016
  
- ▶ No later than Fall 2018
- ▶ January 2022

## Action

- ▶ Seek initial public comment
- ▶ Initial “plan” submitted to EPA
  - ▶ Seek up to 2 year extension
- ▶ Submit final State Plan to EPA
- ▶ Compliance begins

# How can citizens participate?

November 18	Santa Fe (South Side Library)	4 – 6 pm
November 19	Albuquerque (NMED District 1 Office)	4 – 6 pm

## Tentative Dates/Locations

December 4	Las Vegas	3 – 5 pm
December 7	Roswell	1 – 3 pm
December 8	Las Cruces	9 – 11 am
December 14	Farmington	1 – 3 pm

Your questions and comments

Thank you!