

1. How much renewable energy will be operational in Michigan by the end of 2015? What is the total dollar amount of Michigan renewables investment to date and expected when the 10% goal is reached in 2015?

By the end of 2015, over 2,200 MW of renewable energy is expected to be online in Michigan. This includes approximately 770 MW of renewable energy that existed prior to the passage of Michigan's renewable standard.

Staff estimates electric providers and independent power producers have invested \$1.79 billion in 895 MW of new renewable energy projects through 2012. Through 2015, the total investment is expected to be \$2.90 billion.

Source:

MPSC REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE P.A. 295 RENEWABLE ENERGY STANDARD AND THE COST-EFFECTIVENESS OF THE ENERGY STANDARDS - http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mpsc/implementation_of_PA295_renewable_energy_411615_7.pdf