



## Con Edison's Podcast Explores Power Industry Trends

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### **New Technologies Shape Energy Consumption; #PluggedIn**

NEW YORK, NY -- (Marketwire) -- 04/04/17 -- The energy industry is going through a significant evolution. There is a growing switch to renewables such as solar, battery and other distributed energy resources, and in some cases, a new business model for the energy industry as well.

Con Edison's podcast, called "Plugged-In," takes an insider's look into several trends: the transition of central power generation, batteries, electric vehicles, stagnant electric demand, and consumer consumption. [Listen to our Energy Trends podcast here.](#)

In the podcast, Con Edison's Matt Ketschke, vice president of Distributed Resource Integration, talks about these major trends and what they mean.

"Our company and industry are in a rapid transformation, as technology gives us ways to offer our customers new products and service," said Ketschke. "Solar energy, energy efficiency, storage, and other non-traditional tools are helping us create a future that will be cleaner, efficient, and more focused on the customer. Con Edison wants to be a leader in working with customers to give them access to these choices while maintaining a reliable, resilient grid."

In NYC, Con Edison customers recently surpassed the 100-megawatt mark for solar generation at their homes and businesses. That's enough to power 15,000 homes. In addition, Con Edison has paid more than \$280 million to customers who made energy efficiency upgrades to their lighting, HVAC, control systems and other equipment.

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