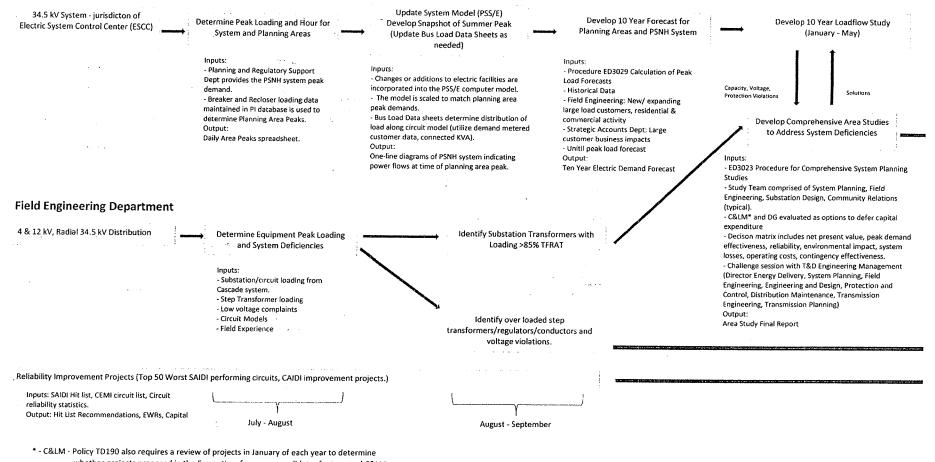
## **PSNH Planning Process**

## System Planning Department

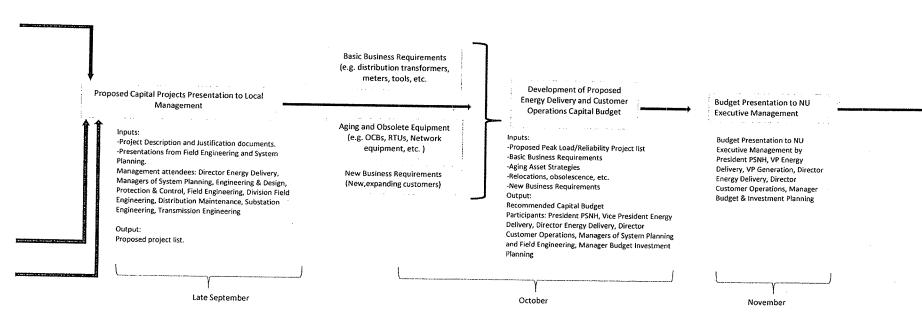
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whether projects proposed in the 5 year time frame are candidates for targeted C&LM. This meeting is attended by Manager Field Engineering, Manager System Planning, and Customer Solutions Program Manager.

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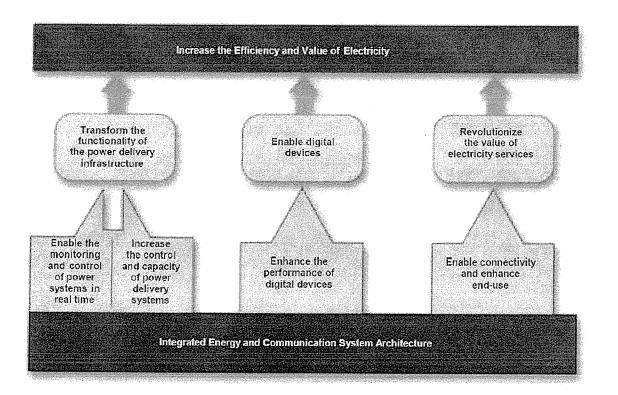
Inputs: -Demand Forecast -Future system upgrades -Procedure ED3002 Distribution System Planning and Design Criteria Guidelines -Basecase and Contingency loadflows Output: Ten year Loadflow Study -Identify violations -Identify confirmed solutions from Comprehensive Area Studies (yrs 1-5) -Identify preliminary solutions (yrs 6-10)

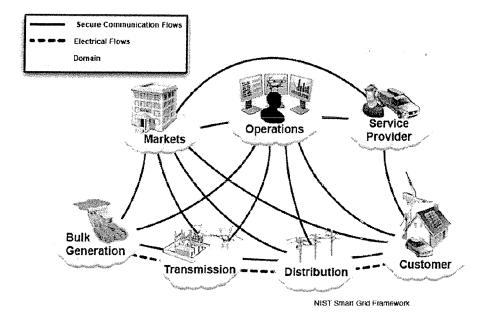


-**Budget Level Confirmed** Final Capital Project List Determined by NU Inputs: Executive Management. -Final Capital Budget \$\$ -Proposed Project List -Project Prioritization Output: -Final Project List Participants: Manager System Planning, Manager Engineering Design, Manager Field Engineering, Director Energy Delivery, Director Customer Operations December December/January

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Figure 3-1. Interaction of Actors in Different Smart Grid Domains through Secure Communication