Vermont Current and Projected Energy Use
Figure ES-2. Vermont Gross GHG Emissions by Sector, 1990-2030: Historical and Projected (Electricity Supply High-Emission Scenario)

* RCI – direct fuel use in residential, commercial, and industrial sectors. ODS – ozone depleting substance.
Uncertainty Issues to Address

- Prices might go up – prices might go down
- Carbon emissions might be regulated and taxed – or not
- Renewables might get more expensive as good sites are developed, or technology improvements may cause prices to drop.
- Waiting may result in a better deal
- Tax credits might expire – or get better
Vermont Committed Electric Resources

Figure 1.7 Committed Resources, in GWH (as of December 2010)*