Louisiana Clean Hydrogen Task Force February 11, 2025

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Port Corpus Christi :: Primary Functions

- Non-Federal Sponsor of Corpus Christi Ship Channel
- Developer of Maritime Infrastructure
- Land Aggregator and Landlord



Independent political subdivision of State of Texas



Large energy hub and gateway to global markets



Governed by seven commissioners appointed by City of Corpus Christi, Nueces County and San Patricio County



Six Environmental Precepts

Environmental Planning and Compliance



Air Quality

Reduce emissions by 15% in PM, VOCs, NOx, SOx every 3 years



Climate Action

Reduce GHG emissions per cargo ton by 7.5% annually



Water Quality

Reduce AL, Fe, Zn, Pb, TSS by 10% annually



Climate Adaptation

Implement Life Cycle Assessment tool on Port capital projects



Habitat Creation

Create/restore 50 acres of habitat every 3 years



Soils & Sediments

Remediate spills to residential standard



The Energy Port of the Americas

By the Numbers





\$65 Billion in Capital Investment since 2015

(\$12 Billion Foreign Direct Investments)

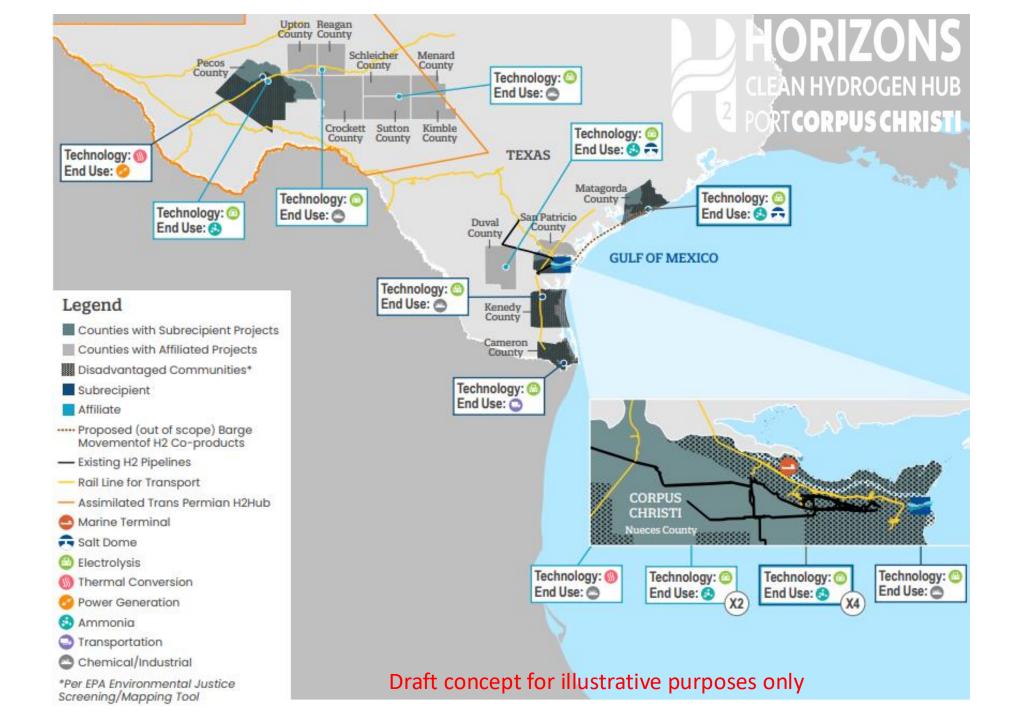


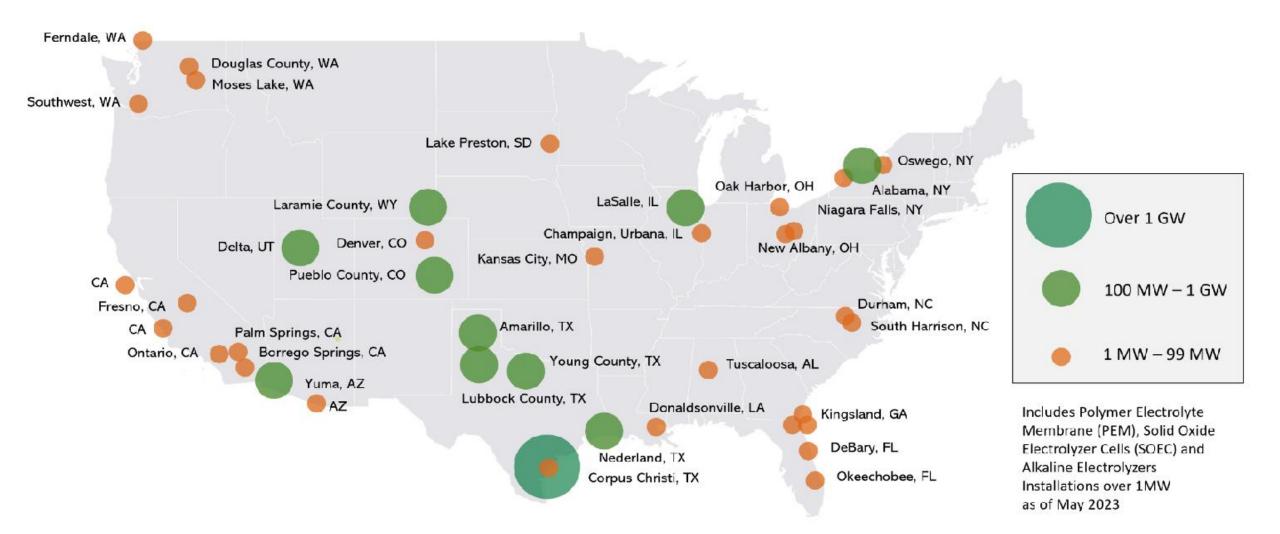


Cornerstone Assets



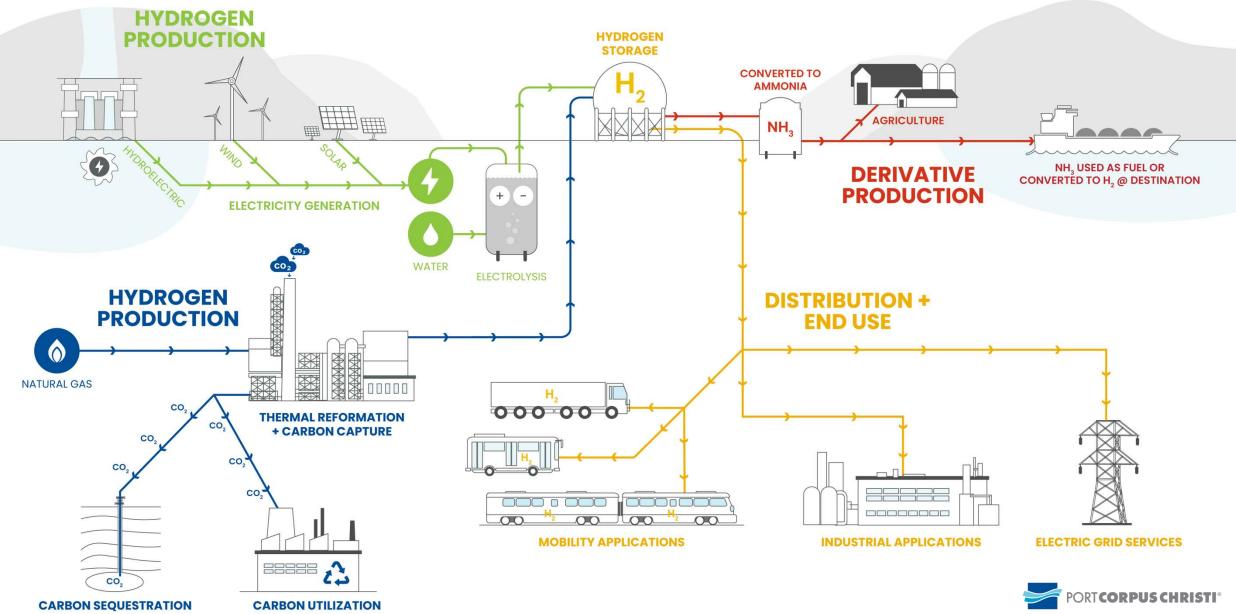
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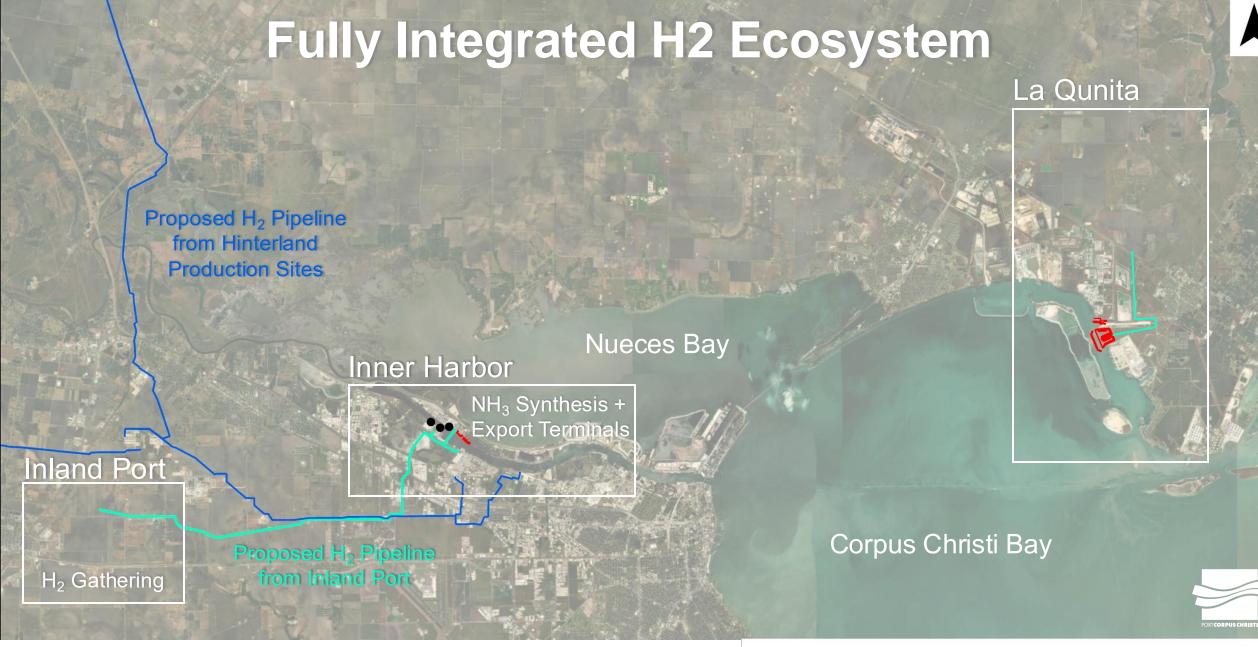




Installed and planned PEM electrolyzer Capacity over 1MW as of May 2023 Source: U.S. Department of Energy - U.S. National Clean Hydrogen Strategy and Roadmap

Hydrogen Value Chain @ PCCA





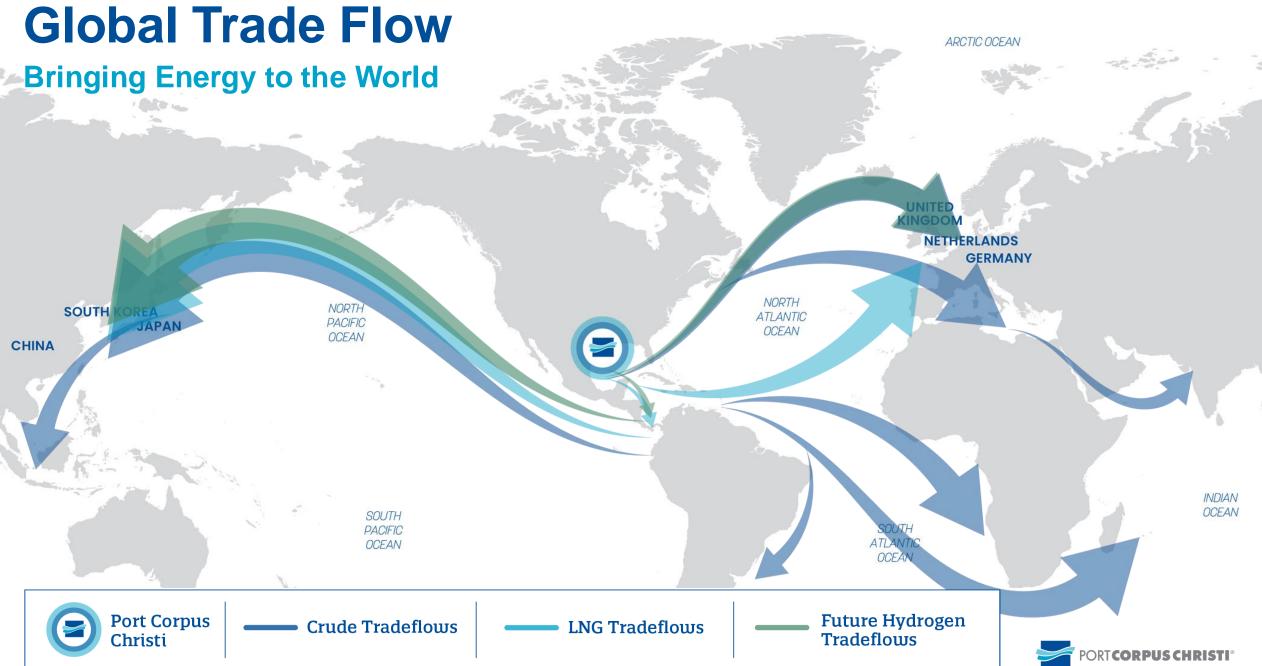
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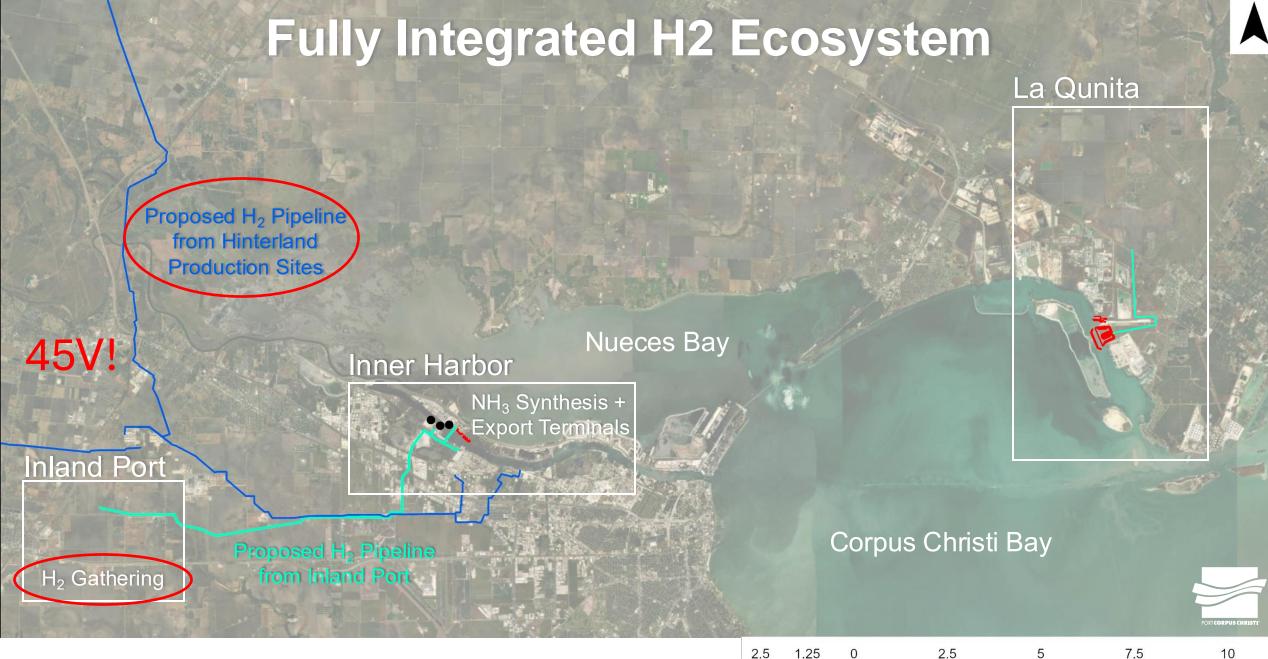
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HYDROGEN ENERGY DEVELOPMENT IN TEXAS

A Report for the 89th Texas Legislature by the Texas Hydrogen Production Policy Council



10 Findings + 10 Recommendations

- F1 Regulatory oversight (and clarity) is critical
- **F9** Strategic/early investment in (centralized) infrastructure will accelerate market liftoff
- **R1** Uphold, with clarification, existing regulatory framework
- **R2** Regs/policy should address H2 infrastructure specifically (+ align with <u>international</u> standards)
- **R3** Cultivate hydrogen champions at relevant state agencies
- R4 State should coordinate and sponsor education/outreach
- **R5** Streamline permitting (at every stage)
- **R6/7** Redouble investment in enabling value chains (natural gas, water resources, renewables, electric grid) *CCS*
- R8 Cultivate an "all of the above" approach to electricity

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