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# Success Stories: Tomakomai and the Illinois Basin – Decatur Project

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# Industrial CCUS Sites



**Illinois Industrial Sources CCS**

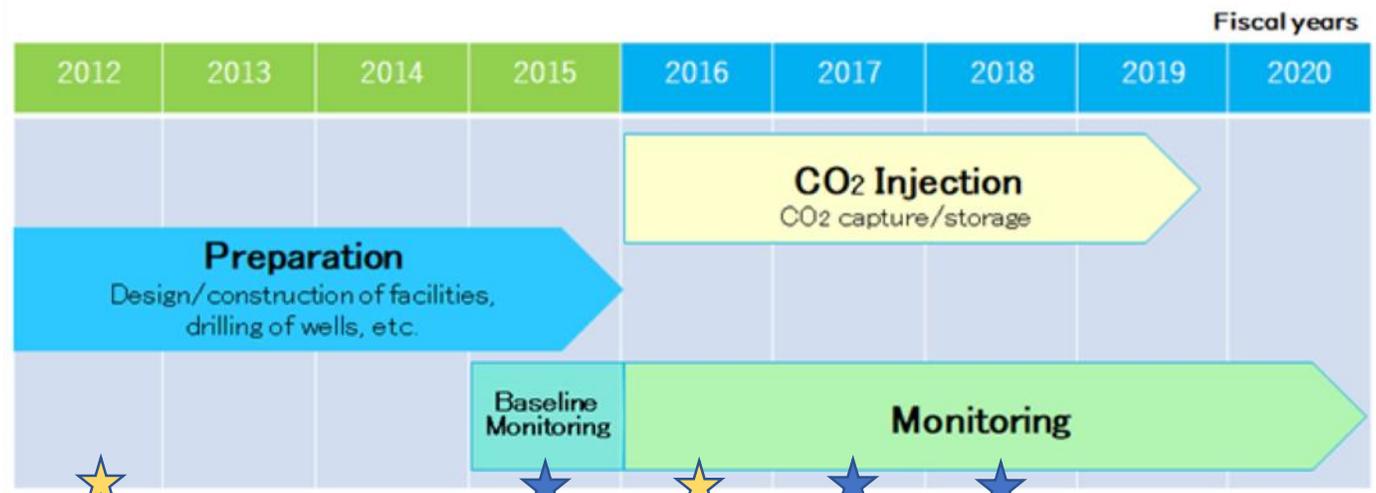
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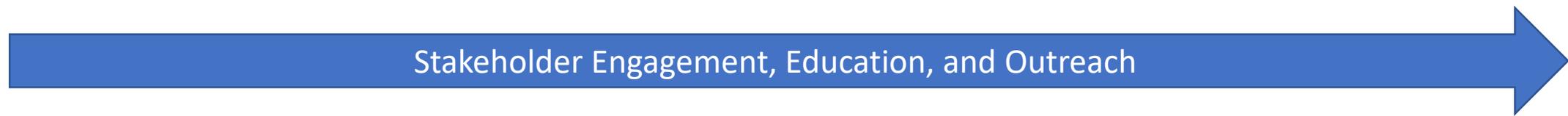
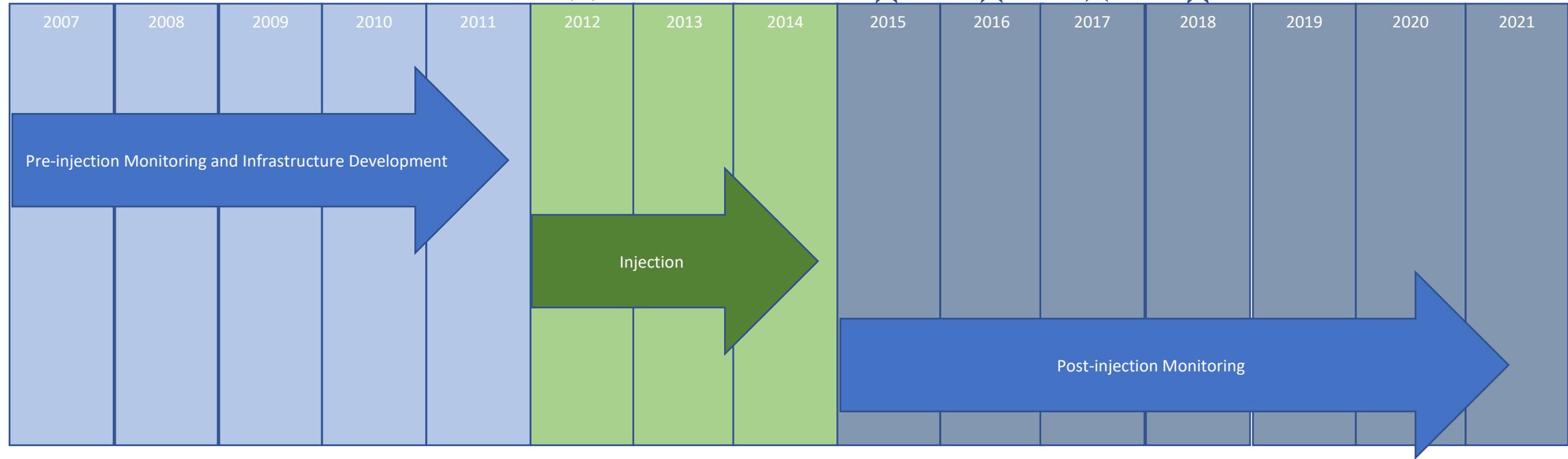
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- ★ Collaboration Points
- ★ Tomakomai Site visits



# Project differences

- Tomakomai

- Onshore to offshore storage
- CO<sub>2</sub> from hydrogen production
- Capture with amine process
- 300,110.3 tonnes stored
- Directional wells into target formations
- Injection into 2 formations
- Injection depth ~1,000 m (Moebetsu Fm) and ~2,400 m (Takinoue FM)

- Illinois Basin – Decatur Project

- Onshore storage
- CO<sub>2</sub> from ethanol production
- Capture direct offtake from ethanol
- 999,217 tonnes stored
- Straight wells into target formation
- Injection into 1 formation
- Injection depth ~2,000 m (Mt. Simon Sandstone)

# Project similarities

- Public/private partnership
- Operated 3 years
- CO<sub>2</sub> stored in sandstone
- Caprock directly overlies injection reservoir
- Extensive public engagement
- Extensive monitoring programs
- Monitoring before, during, and after injection

# Areas of Collaboration



Public Engagement



Monitoring



International Knowledge  
Sharing

# JCCS' Approach to Public Outreach

JCCS core principles:

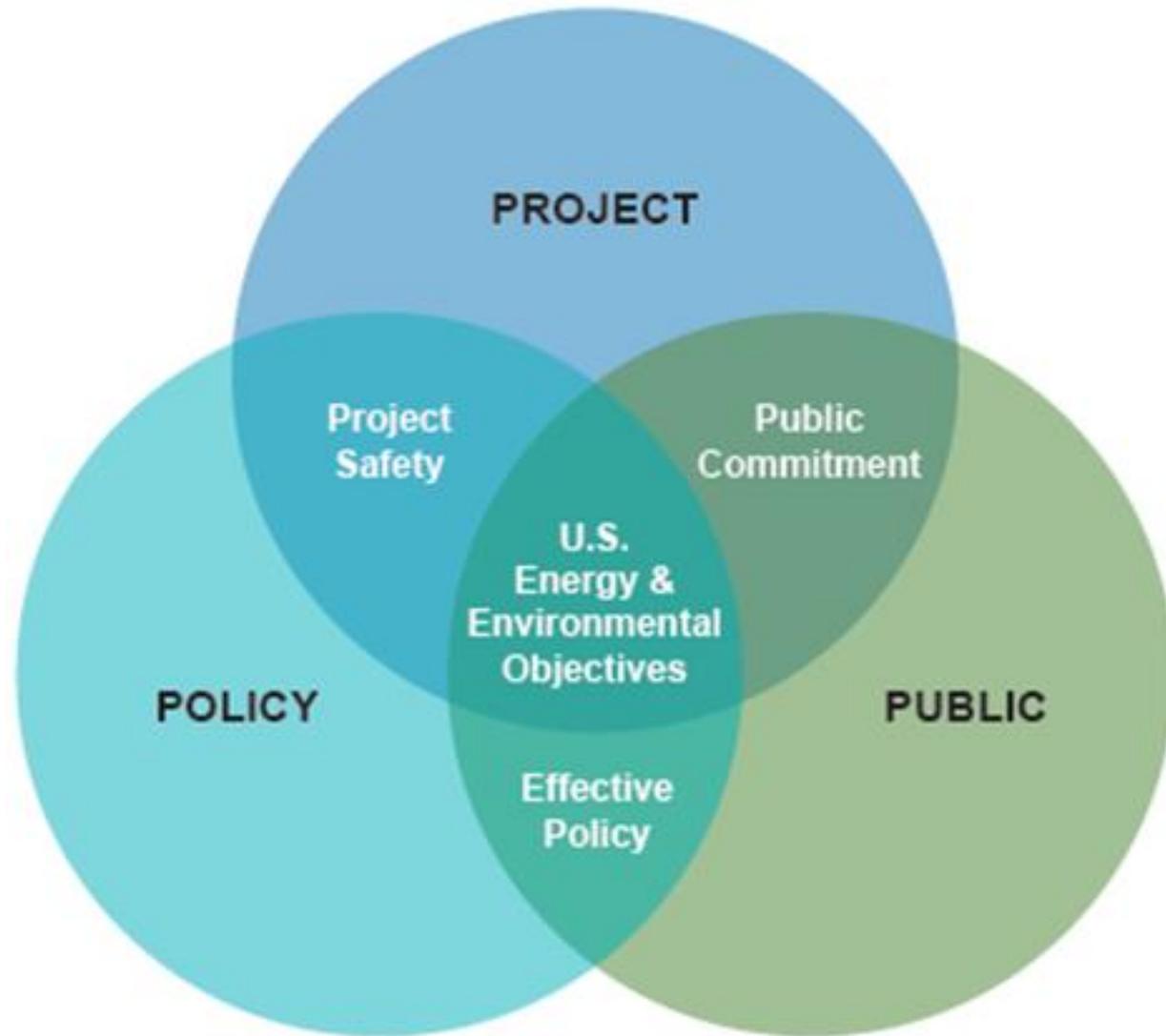
**Building trust**  
**Being creative in connecting with individual audiences**

Implementing our approach by:

- 1. Sharing accurate information***
- 2. Maintaining cooperation***
- 3. Encouraging conversation***
- 4. Creating a personal connection***
- 5. Considering benefits to communities***

Objective:

**Smooth delivery of the  
Tomakomai CCS  
Demonstration project**  
without any opposition from the  
public



#### Project Stakeholder Engagement

1. Conduct projects to demonstrate safety and address gaps in knowledge or experience.
2. Engage local stakeholders, regulators, and project developers.
3. Provide proof of concept.

#### Policy Stakeholder Engagement

1. Create effective legal and regulatory mechanisms and policy to support widespread deployment of CCUS.
2. Engage lawmakers, coalitions, policymakers, and industry.
3. Set policy to incentivize CCUS actions and development.
4. Identify common ground and potential opposition points.

#### Public Stakeholder Engagement

1. Create public engagement programs and opportunities.
2. Engage the public to build trust in carbon management.
3. Increase understanding and support.
4. Connect with the "big picture"— economy, climate, creation of jobs.

# Shared Lessons Drive Advancement

Geology is site  
dependent and will  
always remain key  
factor

Pilot and demonstration  
projects provided  
critical insights - allows  
for advancement and  
economy of scale

Stakeholder  
engagement and  
outreach essential

Baseline environmental  
assessments are critical

Flexible and adaptive  
monitoring is necessary

Necessary to  
incorporate technology  
changes into life cycle of  
project

Scientific and  
engineering timeframe  
often not aligned with  
policy

Policy drivers are  
necessary to facilitate  
commercialization

Regulatory, legal, and  
social factors require  
significant time  
investment

# BUILDING ON SUCCESS

- Connection: Social awareness and recognition connected with
  - Detail: Additional Sites for Characterization
  - Assurance: Flexible and Adaptive Monitoring Programs
  - Infrastructure: Integrating Multiple Projects
  - Governance: Regulations, Pore Space
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- Systemic Connections for Technical, Regulatory, Social, and Legal

Thank You

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