From Used to Useful: Higher Wire's Lithium Battery ReNew Collective

Opportunity

Upstream: Beachhead 79,000 forklift batteries in California, followed by entire U.S. followed by LiFePO4 EVs.

Downstream: Beachheads in Navajo off-grid applications followed by telecom resilient power supplies, with future expansion into other markets.

Innovation

Combining existing battery database and State of Health (SOH) algorithm with a reverse logistics system and incentives for used battery supplies for raw material supply. Field data collected and correlated with cell analysis to maximize reliability and safety.

Benefits

>95% reduction in emissions compared to a new battery

One Higher Wire battery = 200 kg of CO_2 e savings

Partnerships with Purpose Focused 501(c)(3), Diné College, and White Mountain Economic Development for workforce development in local communities.

Plan

- 1. Establish reverse logistics processes with initial focus on CA forklifts (WAIRE Program)
- 2. Grow internal cell database
- 3. Pilot remote monitoring of ESS
- 4. Expand to other LiFePO4 and energy storage as a service

Reduced CO2e, maximized LiFePO4 battery life, and financial and life-enhancing benefits to up and downstream markets.

