

## SPP RE Transition

# Notice of Proposed Transfer Regional Entities

21-Day Comment Period: 12-1-2017 through 12-22-2017

On July 27, 2017, NERC issued a letter to entities registered in Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Regional Entity (SPP RE) footprint that NERC and SPP had mutually agreed to terminate the *Amended and Restated Delegation Agreement between North American Electric Reliability Corporation and Southwest Power Pool, Inc.* As part of the transition of SPP's delegated authority, NERC informed each SPP RE registered entity that it may submit a written request to NERC stating its preference for transfer to another Regional Entity within the Eastern Interconnection. NERC received 122 transfer requests. NERC reviewed and carefully considered each registered entity's transfer request. When reviewing the requests, consistent with Section 1208 of the NERC Rules of Procedure, NERC considered the following:

- (1) the location of the Registered Entity's Bulk Power System facilities in relation to the geographic and electrical boundaries of the transferee Regional Entity;
- (2) the impact of the proposed transfer on other Bulk Power System owners, operators, and users, including affected Reliability Coordinators (RC), Balancing Authorities (BA), and Transmission Operators (TOP), as appropriate;
- (3) the impact of the proposed transfer on the current and future staffing, resources, budgets and assessments to other Load-Serving Entities of the transferee Regional Entity;
- (4) the sufficiency of the proposed transferee Regional Entity's staffing and resources to perform compliance monitoring and enforcement activities with respect to the Registered Entity;
- (5) the Registered Entity's compliance history with SPP RE; and the manner in which pending compliance monitoring and enforcement matters concerning the Registered Entity would be transitioned from SPP to the transferee Regional Entity; and
- (6) any other reasons NERC and the transferee Regional Entity consider relevant.

NERC considered registered entity alignment within a contiguous and interconnected regional boundary to be a critical component of BES reliability because of the planning and operational synergies that would be achieved. Therefore, NERC reviewed the electrical boundaries between SPP RE registered entities and neighboring Eastern Interconnection Regional Entities. NERC's review of major transmission corridors found that placing such paths within a common regional boundary will enhance regional planning coordination and promote efficient and reliable system operations between entities. Moreover, recognizing the importance of interactions between functions to ensure the reliable operation of the BES, NERC considered the functional relationships between registered entities. NERC emphasized maintaining those relationships within a common Regional Entity footprint to promote the efficient and effective administration of BES reliability. In all instances, NERC considered the RC, BA, TOP and Planning Authority / Planning Coordinator alignment, as well as the physical location of the underlying facilities of the Transmission Owners, Generator Owners, Generator Operators, Transmission Planners and Distribution Providers.

Based on these considerations, NERC's proposed transfer Regional Entity for each of the 122 SPP RE registered entities is below. For current SPP RE multi region registered entities, this recommendation does not impact the registrations outside of the SPP RE footprint.

**Submission of Comments**

Comments are due December 22, 2017, and must be submitted electronically to [NERC.Registration@nerc.net](mailto:NERC.Registration@nerc.net). For further information, please contact Ryan Stewart at [Ryan.Stewart@nerc.net](mailto:Ryan.Stewart@nerc.net).

NERC will develop final recommendations to the NERC Board, taking into account its initial analyses and the comments received on the proposed Regional Entity transfers. The final decision on behalf of NERC will be made by the NERC Board, and then provided to FERC for its approval.

Registered Entity	NERC Compliance Registry ID#	Proposed Regional Entity
AE Power Services LLC (AEPS)	NCR11645	MRO
AEP as Agent for AEP OK Transco., PSCO, and SWEPCO (AEPW)	NCR01056	MRO
AES Shady Point, LLC (AESSP)	NCR01055	MRO
Arbuckle Mountain Wind Farm LLC (AMWF)	NCR11570	MRO
Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation (AECC)	NCR01060	MRO, SERC
Avangrid Renewables (AVNR)	NCR10259	MRO
Balko Wind, LLC (BALKO)	NCR11548	MRO
Blue Canyon II Windpower LLC (BCWII)	NCR06040	MRO
Blue Canyon Windpower LLC (BCWI)	NCR06041	MRO
Blue Canyon Windpower V, LLC (BCWV)	NCR03048	MRO
Blue Canyon Windpower VI, LLC (BC6)	NCR11201	MRO
Board Of Public Utilities (Kansas City KS) (BPU)	NCR01061	MRO
Board Of Public Utilities, City Of McPherson, Kansas (MCPHER)	NCR10319	MRO
Borger Energy Associates, LP (BOEA)	NCR01062	MRO
Boston Energy Trading and Marketing LLC (EMMT)	NCR00769	MRO
Buckeye Wind Energy, LLC (BEWE)	NCR11563	MRO
Buffalo Dunes Wind Project, LLC (BDWP)	NCR11407	MRO
Canadian Hills Wind, LLC (CHW)	NCR11354	MRO
Caney River Wind Project, LLC (CRWP)	NCR11230	MRO
Caprock Wind LLC (CAPROCK)	NCR05059	MRO
Carthage Water & Electric Plant (CAWEP)	NCR01067	MRO
Central Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. (CVEC)	NCR06043	MRO
Chisholm View Wind Project, LLC (CHISHOLM)	NCR11291	MRO
Cimarron Bend Wind Project, LLC (CBW)	NCR11693	MRO
Cimarron Windpower II, LLC (CIMW)	NCR11240	MRO
City Of Abbeville (ABBEVLA)	NCR06033	SERC
City Of Alexandria (ALEXLA)	NCR01068	SERC
City Of Clarksdale, Mississippi (CCM)	NCR01071	SERC
City Of Ottawa (OTTAWA)	NCR10227	MRO
City Utilities Of Springfield, MO (SPRM)	NCR01081	MRO
City Water & Light - Jonesboro, Arkansas (CWL)	NCR01082	SERC
Cleco Corporate Holdings LLC (CLECO)	NCR01083	SERC
Cloud County Wind Farm, LLC, (CCWF)	NCR10302	MRO
Coffeyville Municipal Light & Power (CMLP)	NCR11151	MRO
CPV Keenan II Renewable Energy Company, LLC (KREC)	NCR11081	MRO
Dempsey Ridge Wind Farm, LLC (DRWF)	NCR11179	MRO
Dogwood Power Management, LLC (DPM)	NCR11250	MRO
Drift Sand Wind Project LLC (DRIFTSAND)	NCR11670	MRO
Duke Energy Renewables Services, LLC (DEGS)	NCR11241	MRO

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East Texas Electric Cooperative Inc. (ETEC)	NCR01227	MRO
Eastman Cogeneration Limited Partnership (EASTMAN)	NCR01092	MRO
EDP Renewables North America LLC (EDPR NA)	NCR11662	MRO
Exelon Wind 4, LLC (EXWD4)	NCR10122	MRO
Farmers' Electric Cooperative, Inc. Of New Mexico (FARMCOOPNM)	NCR06046	MRO
Flat Ridge 2 Wind Energy LLC (FRWEII)	NCR11314	MRO
Flat Ridge Wind Energy, LLC (FRWE)	NCR10312	MRO
Frontier Windpower, LLC (FRONTIER)	NCR11692	MRO
Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc. (GSEC)	NCR10020	MRO
Golden Spread Panhandle Wind Ranch, LLC (GSPWR)	NCR11153	MRO
Goodwell Wind Project, LLC (GOODWELL)	NCR11574	MRO
Grand River Dam Authority (GRDA)	NCR01101	MRO
Great Western Wind Energy, LLC (GWWE)	NCR11687	MRO
Green Country Energy, LLC (GREENCOGO)	NCR01103	MRO
Green Country Operating Services, LLC (GREENCOGOP)	NCR01104	MRO
Independence Power & Light (Independence, Missouri) (INDN)	NCR01072	MRO
Invenergy Services LLC (INVENERGY)	NCR11718	MRO
Ironwood Windpower, LLC (IRONWOOD)	NCR11257	MRO
ITC Great Plains, LLC (ITCGP)	NCR10400	MRO
Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL)	NCR01107	MRO
Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. (KEPC)	NCR01109	MRO
Kingfisher Wind, LLC c/o Apex Wind Asset Management (KING)	NCR11617	MRO
Kiowa Power Partners, LLC (KIOWAPP)	NCR01113	MRO
KODE Novus I, LLC (KODE)	NCR11329	MRO
Lafayette Utilities System (LAFA)	NCR01114	SERC
Lea County Electric Cooperative, Inc. (LCEC)	NCR06047	MRO
Lea Power Partners, LLC (LEAPP)	NCR10301	MRO
Llano Estacado Wind, LP (LLANOEWIND)	NCR10226	MRO
Louisiana Energy & Power Authority (LEPA)	NCR01116	SERC
Lubbock Power And Light (LPLTX)	NCR06048	MRO
Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc. (MISO)	NCR00826	SERC
Midwest Energy, Inc. (MIDW)	NCR01118	MRO
MISO-MBHydro Contingency Reserve Sharing Group (MRSG)	NCR03044	MRO
Mississippi Delta Energy Agency (MISSDEA)	NCR06050	SERC
NAES Corporation - Dogwood (NAESDOGW)	NCR06054	MRO
NAES Corporation - Goodman Energy Center (NAESGEC)	NCR11236	MRO
NAES Corporation - Oklahoma Cogeneration, LLC (NAESOKC)	NCR11451	MRO
NextEra Energy Resources, LLC (NEER)	NCR10019	MRO
Noble Great Plains Windpark, LLC (NOBLEGP)	NCR11070	MRO
Northeast Texas Electric Cooperative - HCPP (NTEC-HCPP)	NCR11607	MRO
Northeast Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc (NTEC)	NCR01124	MRO
NRG Energy Services - Golden Spread (NRGGS)	NCR11642	MRO
NRG Energy Services-Panhandle Wind Ranch (GOP) (NRGPWR)	NCR11730	MRO

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Oklahoma Gas And Electric Co. (OKGE)	NCR01130	MRO
Oklahoma Municipal Power Authority (OMPA)	NCR04108	MRO
Oneta Power, LLC (ONETA)	NCR11485	MRO
Origin Wind Energy, LLC (ORGNWE)	NCR11496	MRO
Paragould Light & Water Commission (PARAGOULD)	NCR01135	MRO
Poplar Bluff (POPBLUFFMO)	NCR01137	SERC
Post Rock Wind Power Project, LLC (PRWP)	NCR11264	MRO
Public Service Commission Of Yazoo City (YAZO)	NCR01139	SERC
Rayburn Country Electric Cooperative, Inc. (RCEC)	NCR06010	MRO
Red Dirt Wind Project, LLC	NCR11779	MRO
Red Hills Wind Project, LLC. (RHWP)	NCR10304	MRO
Redbed Plains Wind Farm LLC (REDBED)	NCR11754	MRO
Rock Creek Wind Project, LLC (RCWP)	NCR11762	MRO
Rock Falls Wind Farm, LLC	NCR11780	MRO
Rocky Ridge Wind Project, LLC (ROCKY)	NCR11234	MRO
Roosevelt Wind Project, LLC (RWP)	NCR11560	MRO
Sikeston Board Of Municipal Utilities (SIKESTONMO)	NCR01142	SERC
Slate Creek Wind, LLC (SLATE)	NCR11586	MRO
Smoky Hills Wind Farm, LLC (SMOKY)	NCR11049	MRO
Smoky Hills Wind Project II, LLC (SMOKY2)	NCR10316	MRO
Southern Power Company (SPC)	NCR11616	MRO
Southwest Power Pool (SPP)	NCR01143	MRO
Southwestern Power Administration (SPA)	NCR01144	MRO
Southwestern Public Service Co. (Xcel Energy) (SPS)	NCR01145	MRO
Spearville 3, LLC (SPEAR3)	NCR11322	MRO
Spinning Spur Wind, LLC (SPINSPUR)	NCR11323	MRO
Sunflower Electric Power Corporation (SECI)	NCR01148	MRO
Tenaska Gateway Partners Ltd (TENASGATEW)	NCR00633	MRO
Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Government (TERREBONNE)	NCR01152	SERC
Tex-La Electric Cooperative Of Texas, Inc. (TEXL)	NCR01342	MRO
The Empire District Electric Company (EDE)	NCR01155	MRO
Thunder Ranch Wind Project, LLC	NCR11778	MRO
Transource Energy, LLC (TRANS)	NCR11539	MRO
Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc of Oklahoma (TRICEC)	NCR11231	MRO
USACE - Kansas City District (COEKS)	NCR01357	MRO
USACE - Little Rock District (COELR)	NCR06037	MRO
USACE - Tulsa District (COETULSA)	NCR06038	MRO
Waverly Wind Farm LLC (Waverly)	NCR11577	MRO
Westar Energy, Inc. (WR)	NCR00658	MRO
Western Farmers Electric Cooperative (WFEC)	NCR01160	MRO