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Site Visit

The Applicant and Commission staff will conduct a project site visit beginning at 9 a.m. on May 5, 2005. All interested individuals, NGOs, agencies, and tribes are invited to attend. All participants should meet at Schwarz Park, below the Dorena Lake dam. All participants are responsible for their own transportation to the site. Anyone with questions about the site visit should contact Dianne Rodman, Commission staff, at (202) 502-6077 or Brent Smith of Symbiotics at (208) 742-0834.

Objectives

At the scoping meetings, the staff will: (1) Summarize the environmental issues tentatively identified for analysis in the EA; (2) solicit from the meeting participants all available information, especially quantifiable data, on the resources at issue; (3) encourage statements from experts and the public on issues that should be analyzed in the EA, including viewpoints in opposition to, or in support of, the staff's preliminary views; (4) determine the resource issues to be addressed in the EA; and (5) identify those issues that require a detailed analysis, as well as those issues that do not require a detailed analysis.

Procedures

The meetings will be recorded by a stenographer and become part of the formal record of the Commission proceeding on the project.

Individuals, NGOs, agencies, and tribes with environmental expertise and concerns are encouraged to attend the meetings and to assist the staff in defining and clarifying the issues to be addressed in the EA.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of FERC Commissioner and FERC Staff Attendance at Meeting of Southwest Power Pool Board of Directors and Members Committee, and Meeting of Southwest Power Pool Regional State Committee

April 18, 2005.

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission hereby gives notice that Commissioners and members of its staff may attend the meeting of the Southwest Power Pool (SPP) Board of Directors and Members Committee noted below, and the meeting of the SPP Regional State Committee noted below. Their attendance is part of the Commission's ongoing outreach efforts.

SPP Regional State Committee Meeting—April 25, 2005, 1 p.m.–5 p.m.

Crowne Plaza Austin Hotel, 500 North IH 35, Austin, TX 78701, 512-480-8181.

SPP Board of Directors and Members Committee Meeting—April 26, 2005, 8 a.m.–2 p.m.

Crowne Plaza Austin Hotel, 500 North IH 35, Austin, TX 78701, 512-480-8181.

The discussions may address matters at issue in the following proceedings:

Docket Nos. RT04-1-000 and ER04-48-000, *Southwest Power Pool, Inc.*

Docket No. ER05-109-000, *Southwest Power Pool, Inc.*

Docket No. ER05-652-000, *Southwest Power Pool, Inc.*

Docket No. ER05-562, *Southwest Power Pool, Inc.*

Docket No. ER05-666, *Southwest Power Pool, Inc.*

Docket No. ER05-688, *Southwest Power Pool, Inc.*

Docket No. EL05-52-000, *Entergy Services, Inc.*

Docket No. ER05-576-000, *Southwest Power Pool, Inc.*

These meetings are open to the public.

For more information, contact Tony Ingram, Office of Markets, Tariffs and Rates, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission at (501) 614-4789 or tony.ingram@ferc.gov.

Magalie R. Salas,
Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Adequacy Status of Submitted State Implementation Plans (SIP) for Transportation Conformity Purposes: MOBILE6 Motor Vehicle Emissions Budgets for the Houston-Galveston-Brazoria 1-Hour Ozone Nonattainment Area

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of adequacy determination.

SUMMARY: In this notice, EPA is notifying the public that we have found the on-road motor vehicle emissions budgets contained in the revision to the Houston-Galveston-Brazoria severe 1-hour ozone nonattainment area attainment demonstration SIP adequate for transportation conformity purposes. As a result of our finding, the budgets from the submitted attainment demonstration SIP revision must be used for future conformity determinations in the Houston-Galveston-Brazoria area.

DATES: These budgets are effective May 9, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The essential information in this notice will be available at EPA's conformity Web site: <http://www.epa.gov/oms/transp/conform/adequacy.htm>. You may also contact Ms. Peggy Wade, Air Planning Section (6PD-L), U.S. EPA Region 6, 1445 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75202-2733, telephone (214) 665-7247, E-mail address: Wade.Peggy@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Throughout this document "we," "us," and "our" refers to EPA. The word "budget(s)" refers to the mobile source emissions budget for volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and the mobile source emissions budget for nitrogen oxides (NO_x). The word "SIP" in this document refers to the State Implementation Plan revision submitted to satisfy the commitment of the State of Texas to revise its mobile source budgets for the Houston-Galveston-Brazoria 1-hour ozone nonattainment area with MOBILE6. (MOBILE6 is the most recent emissions factor model, released by EPA on January 29, 2001.)

In December 2004, we received the MOBILE6 SIP revision for the Houston-Galveston-Brazoria 8-county 1-hour ozone nonattainment area. There are two motor vehicle emissions budgets found in this plan for 2007. The emissions budget for VOCs is 89.99 tons/day; the NO_x emissions budget is