

**SPP-NTC-200440**

**SPP  
Notification to Construct**

February 22, 2017

Mr. Nathan McNeil  
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RE: Notification to Construct Approved Reliability Network Upgrades

Dear Mr. McNeil,

Pursuant to Section 3.3 of the Southwest Power Pool, Inc. ("SPP") Membership Agreement and Attachments O and Y of the SPP Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT"), SPP provides this Notification to Construct ("NTC") directing Westar Energy, Inc. ("WR"), as the Designated Transmission Owner, to construct the Network Upgrade(s).

On January 31, 2017, the SPP Board of Directors approved the Network Upgrade(s) listed below to be withdrawn.

**Withdrawal of Upgrades**

**Previous NTC Number:** 200242

**Previous NTC Issue Date:** 2/19/2014

**Project ID:** 30568

**Project Name:** Device - Clay Center Switching Station 115 kV

**Network Upgrade ID:** 50706

**Network Upgrade Name:** Clay Center Switching Station 115 kV Cap Bank

**Network Upgrade Description:** Install 10.8-Mvar capacitor bank at Clay Center Switching Station (Bus No. 533320).

**Reason for Change:** SPP determined the Network Upgrade was no longer required in the 2017 ITPNT.

**Withdrawal of Network Upgrade**

WR has been made aware of all Network Upgrades withdrawn through the expansion plan process. This letter is the formal notification to stop any further work on this Network Upgrade(s), collect any cost associated with the Network Upgrade(s), and provide this information to SPP.

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All terms and conditions of the SPP OATT and the SPP Membership Agreement shall apply to this Project, and nothing in this NTC shall vary such terms and conditions.

Don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions or comments regarding these instructions. Thank you for the important role that you play in maintaining the reliability of our electric grid.

Sincerely,



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