

**SPP-NTC-210593**

**SPP  
Notification to Construct**

February 10, 2021

Mr. Ryan Houk  
Transource Missouri, LLC  
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Columbus, OH 43215

RE: Notification to Construct Approved Economic Network Upgrades

Dear Mr. Houk,

On October 29, 2019, the Southwest Power Pool, Inc. ("SPP") Board of Directors ("Board") approved the Network Upgrade listed below to be constructed as part of the 2019 Integrated Transmission Planning ("ITP") Assessment. The Network Upgrade was deemed to be a Competitive Upgrade in accordance with Section I of Attachment Y of the SPP Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT") which requires the selection of a Designated Transmission Owner ("DTO") through the Transmission Owner Selection Process ("TOSP") in Attachment Y of the SPP OATT. On October 27, 2020, the Board concluded the Transmission Owner Selection Process for the Network Upgrade by selecting Transource Missouri, LLC ("TSMO") as the DTO. On November 3, 2020, SPP issued Notification to Construct ("NTC") 210558 to TSMO for the construction of the Network Upgrade. TSMO accepted the NTC on November 18, 2020.

On January 26, 2021, the SPP Board approved the assignment of the Network Upgrade from TSMO to Transource Oklahoma, LLC, ("TSOK") in accordance with Section VII of Attachment Y of the OATT. Accordingly, pursuant to Section 3.3 of the SPP Membership Agreement and Attachments O and Y of the SPP OATT, SPP provides this NTC directing TSOK to construct the Network Upgrade.

**SPP-NTC-210593****Network Upgrades****Project ID:** 81561**Project Name:** Multi - Sooner - Wekiwa 345 kV and Sand Springs - Sheffield 138 kV**Need Date for Project:** 1/1/2026**Estimated Cost for Project:** \$107,368,091 (this project cost contains Network Upgrades not included in this NTC)**Network Upgrade ID:** 112458**Network Upgrade Name:** Sooner - Wekiwa 345 kV New Line**Network Upgrade Description:** Build a new 345 kV line from Sooner to Wekiwa with a summer emergency rating of 1792 MVA**Network Upgrade Owner:** TSOK**MOPC Representative(s):** Not Applicable**TWG Representative:** Not Applicable**Categorization:** Economic**Network Upgrade Specification:** All elements and conductor must have at least a minimum emergency rating of 1792 MVA, but are not limited to that amount.**Network Upgrade Justification:** Upgrade identified in the 2019 ITP assessment as an economic project**Estimated Cost for Network Upgrade (current day dollars):** \$97,111,851**Cost Allocation of the Network Upgrade:** Base Plan**Estimated Cost Source:** TSOK**Date of Estimated Cost:** 6/3/2020**Commitment to Construct**

TSOK must provide written notification to SPP that it accepts the NTC within seven (7) calendar days of receiving this NTC. By accepting the NTC, TSOK agrees TSOK will complete the Network Upgrade in accordance with the RFP Proposal submitted by TSMO in the TOSP for the Network Upgrade.

**Notification of Commercial Operation**

Please submit a notification of commercial operation for each listed Network Upgrade to SPP as soon as the Network Upgrade is complete and in-service. Please provide SPP with the actual costs of these Network Upgrades as soon as possible after completion of construction. This will facilitate the timely billing by SPP based on actual costs.

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**Notification of Progress**

On an ongoing basis, please keep SPP advised of any inability on TSOK's part to complete the approved Network Upgrade(s). For project tracking, SPP requires TSOK to submit status updates of the Network Upgrade(s) quarterly in conjunction with the SPP Board of Directors meetings. However, TSOK shall also advise SPP of any inability to comply with the Project Schedule as soon as the inability becomes apparent.

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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