

party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

p. *Filing and Service of Responsive Documents:* Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", OR "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

q. *Agency Comments:* Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2354-087]

Georgia Power Company; Notice of Application for Amendment of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

June 29, 2005.

Take notice that the following application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection.

a. *Type of Application:* Amendment of license that would allow the Clayton-Rabun County Water and Sewer Authority (Authority) to increase its water withdrawal from Lake Rabun for municipal water supply from 2.0 million gallons per (mgd) to 3.5 mgd.

b. *Project Number:* P-2354-087.

c. *Date Filed:* June 2, 2005.

d. *Applicant:* Georgia Power Company.

e. *Name of Project:* North Georgia Project (FERC No. 2354).

f. *Location:* Lake Rabun on the Tallulah River, Rabun County, Georgia.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791(a), 825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Scott Hendricks, Georgia Power Company,

241 Ralpy McGill Boulevard NE, Bin 10151, Atlanta, GA 30308.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Mr. John K. Novak at (202) 502-6076, or e-mail address: john.novak@ferc.gov.

j. *Deadline for filing comments and or motions:* 30 days from date of issuance of this notice.

k. *Description of Request:* Georgia Power Company is requesting Commission authorization to permit the Authority to increase its water withdrawal from Lake Rabun from 2.0 mgd to 3.5 mgd to accommodate expected growth in the Authority's service area. The proposal would involve the replacement of the existing 10-inch piping from the intake pumps to the distribution main with 16-inch piping. No significant construction activity would be required within the project boundary.

l. *Locations of the Application:* A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 502-8371. This filing may also be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. You may also register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp> to be notified via e-mail of new filings and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, call 1-866-208-3676 or e-mail FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, for TTY, call (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item (h) above.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.

n. *Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene:* Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, 385.211, 385.214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

o. *Filing and Service of Responsive Documents:* Any filings must bear in all

capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS", "PROTEST", OR "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers (P-2354-087). All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Magalie R. Salas, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington DC 20426. A copy of any motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

p. *Agency Comments:* Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

q. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> under the "e-Filing" link.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

Records Governing Off-the Record Communications; Public Notice

June 29, 2005.

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding.

Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so

requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received in the Office of the Secretary.

The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the eLibrary (FERRIS) link.

Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits, in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, please contact FERC, Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

Docket No.	Date filed	Presenter or requester
Prohibited:		
1. EC05-43-000	6-22-05	Diane Beeney. ¹
2. ER03-563-030; EL04-102-000	6-15-05	Frieda Denenmark.
Exempt:		
1. CP04-36-000; CP04-41-000	6-16-05	Hon. Edward M. Lambert, Jr.
2. CP05-83-000	6-16-05	Laura Turner. ²
3. CP05-83-000	6-22-05	Laura Turner. ³
4. Project No. 12053-00	6-22-05	Jessica Jim; Brandy McDaniels; and Jolee George.

¹ Record of phone call received from Ms. Beeney.

² Record of conference call.

³ Record of phone call.

Magalie R. Salas,

Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7934-7]

Gulf of Mexico Program Office Funding Opportunity

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Announcement of funding opportunity.

SUMMARY: An estimated amount of \$275,000 for one to five cooperative agreements may be awarded under this announcement. Projects must actively involve stakeholders and focus on the reduction of nutrient loads to the lower Mississippi River and its tributaries through innovative partnerships for developing locally led non-point source nutrient management solutions in the sub-basins of the Mississippi River Watershed.

DATES: Deadline for Submissions is 5 p.m., central time, August 17, 2005.

ADDRESSES: Submissions should be sent electronically to car.gloria@epa.gov with the proposal attached. Electronic

messages must use the subject line: GMPO Request for Initial Proposal Submission.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Esther Coblentz, Gulf of Mexico Program Office, at (228) 688-1281 or coblentz.esther@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Overview Information

Federal Agency Name: Environmental Protection Agency, Gulf of Mexico Program Office.

Funding Opportunity Title: EPA Gulf of Mexico Program Office Request for Initial Proposals: Innovative Producer Partnership Initiatives to Reduce Hypoxia in the Gulf of Mexico.

Announcement Type: Initial Announcement.

Funding Opportunity Number: GM2005-1.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 66.475.

Dates: For further information, see Section IV. The deadline for submissions is 5 p.m., central time, August 17, 2005. If you do not have the capability to submit electronically, please contact Esther Coblentz (228) 688-1281 or coblentz.esther@epa.gov for information on how you may apply under this announcement. Initial proposals must be submitted by electronic mail. This announcement will be posted on the Web site at

<http://www.epa.gov/gmpo> and <http://www.fedgrants.gov> and announced in the **Federal Register**. All Initial Proposals must be submitted by the closing date and will not be accepted after that date.

Funding Opportunity Description: An estimated amount of \$275,000 for one to five cooperative agreements may be awarded under this announcement for improving the health of the Gulf of Mexico. Projects must actively involve stakeholders and focus on the reduction of nutrient loads to the lower Mississippi River and its tributaries through innovative partnerships for developing locally led non-point source nutrient management solutions in the sub-basins of the Mississippi River Watershed.

I. Funding Opportunity Description

Background

The Gulf of Mexico Program's (GMP) mission is to protect, restore, and enhance the coastal and marine waters of the Gulf and its natural habitats; to sustain living resources; to protect human health and the food supply; and to ensure the long-term use of the Gulf shores, beaches, and waters. To carry out the GMP mission, we must continue to develop and maintain a partnership of State and Federal agencies, local governments, academia, regional business and industry, agricultural and