to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is October 29, 2009.

The Commission encourages electronic submission of protests and interventions in lieu of paper, using the FERC Online links at http://www.ferc.gov. To facilitate electronic service, persons with Internet access who will eFile a document and/or be listed as a contact for an intervenor must create and validate an eRegistration account using the eRegistration link. Select the eFiling link to log on and submit the intervention or protests.

Persons unable to file electronically should submit an original and 14 copies of the intervention or protest to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First St. NE., Washington, DC 20426.

The filings in the above-referenced proceeding are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system by clicking on the appropriate link in the above list.

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Deputy Secretary.

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

## Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. ER10-1-000]

## High Majestic Wind Energy Center, LLC; Supplemental Notice That Initial Market-Based Rate Filing Includes Request for Blanket Section 204 Authorization

October 9, 2009.

This is a supplemental notice in the above-referenced proceeding of High Majestic Wind Energy Center, LLC application for market-based rate authority, with an accompanying rate tariff, noting that such application includes a request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of

future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest should file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214). Anyone filing a motion to intervene or protest must serve a copy of that document on the Applicant.

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing protests with regard to the applicant's request for blanket authorization, under 18 CFR part 34, of future issuances of securities and assumptions of liability, is October 29, 2009.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

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

October 8, 2009.

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

# SPP Regional State Committee Annual Meeting

October 26, 2009 (1 p.m.–5 p.m.), Doubletree Hotel Warren Place, 6110 South Yale Avenue, Tulsa, OK 74136, 918–495–1000.

## SPP Board of Directors Meeting and Annual Meeting of Members

October 27, 2009 (8 a.m.-3 p.m.), Doubletree Hotel Warren Place, 6110 South Yale Avenue, Tulsa, OK 74136, 918-495-1000.

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

Docket No. ER06–451, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER07–371, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER08–923, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER08–1307, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER08–1308, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER08–1357, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER08–1358, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER08–1419, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–35, Tallgrass Transmission LLC

Docket No. ER09–36, Prairie Wind Transmission LLC

Docket No. ER09–262, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–342, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–659, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–1050, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–1254, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–1255, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–1386–001, Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Docket No. ER09–1397, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER09–1665–000, Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Docket No. ER09–1714–000, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Docket No. ER09–1716–000, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.,

Docket No. ER09–1732–000, Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Docket No. ER09–1733–000,

Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Docket No. ER09–1736–000,

Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Docket No. ER09–1740–000,

Southwest Power Pool, Inc.
Docket No. ER10–13–000, Southwest
Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER10–21–000, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER10–33–000, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. ER08–1419, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. OA08–5 and EL09–40, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. OA08–60, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. OA08–61, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

Docket No. OA08–104, Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

These meetings are open to the public.

For more information, contact Patrick Clarey, Office of Energy Market Regulation, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission at (317) 249–5937 or patrick.clarey@ferc.gov.

## Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

Deputy Secretary.

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# ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-8970-2]

#### Request for Nominations to the Environmental Financial Advisory Board

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) invites nominations of qualified candidates to be considered for appointments to fill vacancies on the Environmental Financial Advisory Board. Nominees should demonstrate experience in any of the following areas: Environmental economics, public utility finance and

management, state revolving loan funds, environmental infrastructure financing, state/local government, Tribal representatives and non-profit environmental group, corporate finance and investment banking, public-private partnerships, bond rating and financing, commercial banking, environmental engineering, accounting and/or auditing, and financial assurance mechanisms. In addition to this notice, other sources may be utilized in the solicitation of nominees. The deadline for receiving nominations is November 10, 2009. Appointments will be made by the Deputy Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency and will be announced during February 2010. EPA values and welcomes diversity. In an effort to obtain nominations of diverse candidates, EPA encourages nominations of women and men of all racial and ethnic groups. Nominations for membership must include a resume describing the professional and educational qualifications of the nominee as well as experience. Contact details should include full name and title, business mailing address, telephone, fax, and email address. A supporting letter of endorsement is encouraged but not required.

#### ADDRESS/FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Submit nomination materials by postal mail, electronic mail or fax to: Pamela Scott, Membership Coordinator, Environmental Financial Advisory Board, EPA, Office of the Chief Financial Officer, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., (2731R), Washington, DC 20460; or e-mail scott.pamela@epa.gov; phone 202–564–6368; or fax 202–565–2587.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Environmental Financial Advisory Board was chartered in 1989 under the Federal Advisory Committee Act to provide advice and recommendations to EPA on the following issues:

• Reducing the cost of financing environmental facilities and discouraging polluting behavior;

- Creating incentives to increase private investment in the provision of environmental services and removing or reducing constraints on private involvement imposed by current regulations;
- Developing new and innovative environmental financing approaches and supporting and encouraging the use of cost-effective existing approaches;
- Identifying approaches specifically targeted to small community financing;
   and
- Increasing the capacity issue of state and local governments to carry out

their respective Environmental programs under current Federal tax laws.

- Increasing the capacity of state and local governments to carry out their respective environmental programs under current Federal tax laws;
- Increasing the total investment in environmental protection of public and private environmental resources to help ease the environmental financing challenge facing our nations.

The Board meets two times each calendar year (two days per meeting) at different locations within the continental United States. Board members typically contribute approximately 1–3 hours per month to the Board's work. The Board membership services are voluntary as we are unable to provide honoraria or compensation. However, you may receive Travel and per diem allowances where appropriate and in accordance with Federal Travel Regulations for invitational travelers.

The following criteria will be used to evaluate nominees:

- Residence in the continental United States:
- Representing the points of view of a group, and has professional knowledge of and experience with, environmental financing activities;
- Senior level-experience that fills a gap in Board representation, or brings a new and relevant dimension to its deliberations:
- Demonstrated ability to work in a consensus-building process with a wide range of representatives from diverse constituencies; and
- Willingness to serve a two-year term as an active-contributing member, with possible re-appointment to a second term.

Dated: October 14, 2009.

#### Joshua Baylson,

Associate Chief Financial Officer, Office of the Chief Financial Officer.

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# ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-8970-5]

Notice of a Project Waiver of Section 1605 (Buy American Requirement) of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) to the Village of Ruidoso/City of Ruidoso Downs, NM

AGENCY: Environmental Protection

Agency (EPA). **ACTION:** Notice.