

contains Commission staff's analysis of the probable environmental effects of the proposed action and concludes that approval of the proposal would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

The EA may be viewed on the Commission's website at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "elibrary" link. Enter the docket number (P-5737) in the docket number field to access the document. At this time, the Commission has suspended access to the Commission's Public Reference Room, due to the proclamation declaring a National Emergency concerning the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), issued by the President on March 13, 2020. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at 1-866-208-3372, or for TTY, (202) 502-865.

Any comments should be filed within 30 days from the issuance date of this notice. The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. If unable to be filed electronically, documents may be paper-filed. Paper filings made using the U.S. Postal Service should be mailed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-5737-007. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments.

Dated: October 1, 2020.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. EL17-89-000; EL19-60-000]

American Electric Power Service Corporation v. Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc. Southwest Power Pool, Inc.; City of Prescott, Arkansas v. Southwestern Electric Power Company Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc.; Notice of Technical Conference

By order dated August 27, 2020,¹ the Commission directed Commission staff to convene a technical conference regarding issues raised in these dockets about the extent of overlapping congestion charges assessed on pseudotie transactions at the Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc. (MISO)/Southwest Power Pool, Inc. (SPP) interface and possible measures that could be taken to eliminate any such overlapping charges. Take notice that Commission staff will hold this technical conference remotely, as further described below, on Tuesday, November 10, 2020, beginning at 9:00 a.m. (Eastern Time). Commissioners may participate in the technical conference.

The conference will include discussions between Commission staff, MISO, SPP, American Electric Power Service Corporation, and the City of Prescott, Arkansas. These parties should be prepared to discuss the record in this proceeding, particularly the questions posed in the August 2020 Further Briefing Order and the briefs responding thereto. If time permits, there may be an opportunity for attendees to the technical conference to submit questions for discussion among the parties during the technical conference. Following the technical conference, parties to these proceedings may submit written post-technical conference comments on or before December 8, 2020, which will be included in the formal record of the proceeding.

Further details of this technical conference, including an agenda, will be provided in a supplemental notice after receipt of the briefs directed in the August 2020 Further Briefing Order. Procedures to be followed at the technical conference and any changes to the proposed agenda will be announced by staff at the opening of the technical conference. The technical conference will be transcribed.

¹ *Am. Elec. Power Serv. Corp. v. Midcontinent Indep. Sys. Operator, Inc.*, 172 FERC ¶ 61,163 (2020) (August 2020 Further Briefing Order).

The technical conference is open to the public. Representatives of those parties identified above and other individuals wishing to attend the technical conference must register no later than noon on October 30, 2020, at the following link: <https://ferc.webex.com/ferc/onstage/g.php?MTID=ea7efc32ce32813a883c638047dce4471>. Information on joining the technical conference will be posted on the Events Calendar on the Commission's website available at <https://www.ferc.gov/news-events/events>.

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For more information about this technical conference, please contact Yasmine Jamnejad, yasmine.jamnejad@ferc.gov for technical information, and Colin Beckman, colin.beckman@ferc.gov, for legal information. For information related to logistics, please contact Sarah McKinley, 202-502-8368, sarah.mckinley@ferc.gov.

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Western Area Power Administration; Notice of Filing

Take notice that on September 29, 2020, Western Area Power Administration submitted tariff filing: Extension of Western Area Power Administration Formula Rates for Central Arizona Project Transmission Service—Rate Order No. WAPA-193 to be effective 1/1/2021.

Any person desiring to intervene or to protest this filing must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214). Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceeding. Any person wishing to become a party must file a notice of