j. Northern States filed its request to use the Traditional Licensing Process on November 30, 2020. Northern States provided public notice of its request on December 11, 2020. In a letter dated January 21, 2021, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved Northern States' request to use the Traditional Licensing Process.

k. With this notice, we are initiating informal consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and/or NOAA Fisheries under section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and the joint agency regulations thereunder at 50 CFR, Part 402; and NOAA Fisheries under section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act and implementing regulations at 50 CFR 600.920. We are also initiating consultation with the Wisconsin State Historic Preservation Officer as required by section 106, National Historic Preservation Act, and the implementing regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation at 36 CFR 800.2.

l. With this notice, we are designating Northern States as the Commission's non-federal representative for carrying out informal consultation pursuant to section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and consultation pursuant to section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

m. Northern States filed a Pre-Application Document (PAD); including a proposed process plan and schedule with the Commission, pursuant to 18 CFR 5.6 of the Commission's regulations.

n. A copy of the PAD may be viewed and/or printed on the Commission's website (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. 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, (866) 208–3676 (toll free), or (202) 502–8659

o. The licensee states its unequivocal intent to submit an application for a subsequent license for Project No. 2711. Pursuant to 18 CFR 16.20, each application for a subsequent license and any competing license applications must be filed with the Commission at least 24 months prior to the expiration of the existing license. All applications

for license for this project must be filed by November 30, 2023.

p. Register online at http:// www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ esubscription.asp to be notified via email of new filing and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Dated: January 21, 2021.

Kimberly D. Bose,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings: Docket Number: PR21–16–000.

Applicants: Gulf Coast Express Pipeline LLC.

Description: Tariff filing per 284.123(b),(e)+(g): Estimated Fuel Adjustment to be effective 12/1/2020 under PR21–16.

Filed Date: 1/14/2021.

Accession Number: 202101145036. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 2/4/2021. 284.123(g) Protests Due: 5 p.m. ET 3/ 15/2021.

Docket Numbers: RP21–383–000. Applicants: National Fuel Gas Supply Corporation.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Non-Conforming (Spotlight Amendments) to be effective 2/15/2021.

Filed Date: 1/14/21.

Accession Number: 20210114-5032. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 1/26/21.

Docket Numbers: RP21–384–000. Applicants: Portland Natural Gas Transmission System.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Address Update to be effective 2/16/ 2021.

Filed Date: 1/15/21.

 $\begin{array}{l} Accession\ Number:\ 20210115-5015.\\ Comments\ Due:\ 5\ p.m.\ ET\ 1/27/21. \end{array}$

Docket Numbers: RP21–385–000. Applicants: Boardwalk Storage Company, LLC.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Form(s) of Service Agmt GMS Updates to be effective 3/1/2021.

Filed Date: 1/15/21.

Accession Number: 20210115–5025. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 1/27/21.

Docket Numbers: RP21–386–000. Applicants: Texas Gas Transmission, LLC. Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Form(s) of Service Agmt GMS Filing to be effective 3/1/2021.

Filed Date: 1/15/21.

Accession Number: 20210115–5029. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 1/27/21.

Docket Numbers: RP21–387–000. Applicants: Gulf South Pipeline Company, LLC.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Form(s) of Service Agmt GMS Filing to be effective 3/1/2021.

Filed Date: 1/15/21.

Accession Number: 20210115–5032. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 1/27/21.

Docket Numbers: RP21–388–000. Applicants: Gulf South Pipeline Company, LLC.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Create Bistineau Transportation Service to be effective 3/1/2021.

Filed Date: 1/15/21.

Accession Number: 20210115–5038. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 1/27/21.

Docket Numbers: RP21–389–000. Applicants: TransCameron Pipeline, LLC.

Description: § 4(d) Rate Filing: Baseline new to be effective 3/16/2021. Filed Date: 1/15/21.

Accession Number: 20210115–5120. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 1/27/21.

Docket Numbers: RP21–390–000. Applicants: Algonquin Gas

Transmission, LLC.

Description: Compliance filing Cancellation of Rate Schedule X-1—Docket CP21–10 Compliance Filing to be effective 2/15/2021.

Filed Date: 1/15/21.

Accession Number: 20210115–5194. Comments Due: 5 p.m. ET 1/27/21.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system (https://elibrary.ferc.gov/idmws/search/fercgensearch.asp) by querying the docket number.

Any person desiring to intervene or protest in any of the above proceedings must file in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified date(s). Protests may be considered, but intervention is necessary to become a party to the proceeding.

eFiling is encouraged. More detailed information relating to filing requirements, interventions, protests, service, and qualifying facilities filings can be found at: http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling/filing-req.pdf. For other information, call (866) 208–3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502–8659.

Dated: January 19, 2021.

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr.,

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Deputy Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP21-29-000]

Gas Transmission Northwest, LLC; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization and Establishing Intervention and Protest Deadline

Take notice that on January 13, 2020, Gas Transmission Northwest, LLC (GTN), 700 Louisiana Street, Suite 700. Houston, Texas 77002-2700, filed in the above referenced docket, a prior notice request pursuant to sections 157.205 and 157.208(b) of the Commission's regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA) and GTN's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP82-530-000, for authorization to construct and operate one (1) new compressor station, the Coyote Springs Compressor Station in Morrow County, Oregon (Coyote Springs Compressor Station Project), all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

In addition to publishing the full text of this document in the Federal Register, the Commission provides all interested persons an opportunity to view and/or print the contents of this document via the internet through the Commission's Home Page (http:// ferc.gov) using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits 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 at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call toll-free, (886) 208-3676 or TYY, (202) 502-8659

Any questions regarding this prior notice request should be directed to Richard Bralow, Senior Legal Counsel, Gas Transmission Northwest LLC, 700 Louisiana Street, Suite 700, Houston, Texas 77002–2700, at (832) 320–5177 or by email to richard_bralow@tcenergy.com.

Public Participation

There are three ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project: You can file a protest to the project, you can file a motion to intervene in the proceeding, and you can file comments on the project. There is no fee or cost for filing protests, motions to intervene, or comments. The deadline for filing protests, motions to intervene, and comments is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on March 22, 2021. How to file protests, motions to intervene, and comments is explained below.

Protests

Pursuant to section 157.205 of the Commission's regulations under the NGA,¹ any person ² or the Commission's staff may file a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed or if a protest is filed and then withdrawn within 30 days after the allowed time for filing a protest, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request for authorization will be considered by the Commission.

Protests must comply with the requirements specified in section 157.205(e) of the Commission's regulations,³ and must be submitted by the protest deadline, which is March 22, 2021. A protest may also serve as a motion to intervene so long as the protestor states it also seeks to be an intervenor.

Interventions

Any person has the option to file a motion to intervene in this proceeding. Only intervenors have the right to request rehearing of Commission orders issued in this proceeding and to subsequently challenge the Commission's orders in the U.S. Circuit Courts of Appeal.

To intervene, you must submit a motion to intervene to the Commission in accordance with Rule 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure ⁴ and the regulations under the NGA ⁵ by the intervention deadline for the project, which is March 22, 2021. As described further in Rule 214, your motion to intervene must state, to the extent known, your position regarding

the proceeding, as well as your interest in the proceeding. For an individual, this could include your status as a landowner, ratepayer, resident of an impacted community, or recreationist. You do not need to have property directly impacted by the project in order to intervene. For more information about motions to intervene, refer to the FERC website at https://www.ferc.gov/resources/guides/how-to/intervene.asp.

All timely, unopposed motions to intervene are automatically granted by operation of Rule 214(c)(1). Motions to intervene that are filed after the intervention deadline are untimely and may be denied. Any late-filed motion to intervene must show good cause for being late and must explain why the time limitation should be waived and provide justification by reference to factors set forth in Rule 214(d) of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies (paper or electronic) of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties.

Comments

Any person wishing to comment on the project may do so. The Commission considers all comments received about the project in determining the appropriate action to be taken. To ensure that your comments are timely and properly recorded, please submit your comments on or before March 22, 2021. The filing of a comment alone will not serve to make the filer a party to the proceeding. To become a party, you must intervene in the proceeding.

How To File Protests, Interventions, and Comments

There are two ways to submit protests, motions to intervene, and comments. In both instances, please reference the Project docket number CP21–29–000 in your submission.

(1) You may file your protest, motion to intervene, and comments by using the Commission's *eFiling* feature, which is located on the Commission's website (www.ferc.gov) under the link to Documents and Filings. New eFiling users must first create an account by clicking on "eRegister." You will be asked to select the type of filing you are making; first select "General" and then select "Protest", "Intervention", or "Comment on a Filing"; or 6

¹ 18 CFR 157.205.

² Persons include individuals, organizations, businesses, municipalities, and other entities. 18 CFR 385.102(d).

^{3 18} CFR 157.205(e).

^{4 18} CFR 385.214.

^{5 18} CFR 157.10.

⁶ Additionally, you may file your comments electronically by using the eComment feature, which is located on the Commission's website at www.ferc.gov under the link to Documents and Filings. Using eComment is an easy method for