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September 3, 2010

Via: UPS #1Z2635WF0392383022

Bruce A. Rew
Vice President, Engineering
Southwest Power Pool
415 North McKinley Street, Suite 140
Little Rock, Arkansas 72205

Re: SPP-NTC-20101

Dear Bruce:

Pursuant to Attachment O, Section VIII.6 of the SPP OATT and to Notice to Construct (NTC) letter; SPP-NTC-20101, dated June 30, 2010, Sunflower Electric Power Corporation (Sunflower) is providing notice that it is accepting the commitment and obligation to construct the following project.

Project ID: 944

Project Name: Spearville - Comanche County - Medicine Lodge - Wichita 345-kV double circuit transmission line

Estimated Cost for Project: \$356,300,000 (cost for entire project, including all entities)

Network Upgrade ID: 11250, 11251

Network Upgrade Description:

- Build 345 kV double circuit transmission; 3,000 amps or greater capacity for each circuit, from the Spearville substation to the MKEC interception point from the new Comanche County substation. The total mileage of this Spearville-Comanche County line is 55 miles.
- Upgrade the Spearville substation with the necessary breakers and terminal equipment.

Estimated In-Service Date for Network Upgrade: 12/31/2014

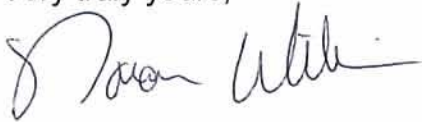
Estimated Cost for Network Upgrade (current day dollars): The project participants are currently working with local stakeholders, environmental groups, including state and local wildlife agencies, to develop an acceptable routing for the transmission lines in southwest-south central (Clark, Comanche, Barber and Kiowa counties) along with an acceptable location of the Comanche County Substation. Upon completion of this effort, the Transmission Owners / Project Participants will provide the SPP with an update to the cost estimate and project schedule.

Sunflower is also providing notice to SPP pursuant to Attachment O of the SPP OATT that we are designating ITC Great Plains, LLC (ITC Great Plains) to construct and own our portion of Project 944. This designation of the Sunflower portion of project 944 is consistent with the Stipulation and Agreement approved by the Kansas Corporation Commission (KCC) in Docket No. 08-ITCE-936-COC, 08-ITCE-937-COC, 08-ITCE-938-COC and 08-PWTE-1022-COC on July 28, 2010 and the Co-Development Agreement between Sunflower and ITC.

As part of this designation, Sunflower is requesting a release of the obligation to construct upon approval of a Novation Agreement. As such, Sunflower and ITC Great Plains will provide a draft Novation Agreement within the next few weeks.

Please contact me if you have questions or need to discuss this request.

Very truly yours,



Noman Williams
Vice President, Transmission Policy

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