

## 2016 ITP Near-Term (ITPNT) Delay in Needs Assessment Posting

The 2016 ITPNT needs assessment posting scheduled for today has been delayed due to modeling discrepancies that SPP staff is researching and evaluating to determine the impact prior to posting the final needs assessment. An update will be posted as soon as the evaluation is complete. Once the evaluation is complete, SPP will disclose the modeling discrepancies along with the new dates for the DPP Transmission Planning Response Window (DPP Window).

In the meantime, please refer to the [Detailed Project Proposal \(DPP\)](#) page, where the updated DPP window dates will be posted once the new dates are determined. This page also contains a link to the updated DPP Submittal Form. SPP staff requests that all DPP and other solution submittals be submitted using this Excel form. This will enable SPP staff to utilize automation to extract the information from the DPP Submittal Form and evaluate solutions more efficiently.

### Helpful Links

- [Transmission Owner Selection Process \(formerly Order 1000\) home page](#)
  - [Order 1000 Documents \(includes previous postings\)](#)
  - [Detailed Project Proposal \(DPP\) page](#)
- [SPP Transmission Planning Page](#)
- All DPPs will be submitted through [SPP RMS](#). Click on this link and then “Register Now” if you are not already registered. Use the “**ITP-DPP Submittal**” Quick Pick.
- [SPP RMS](#) is also the preferred method for receiving all inquiries and solution submittals.