

SPP Clean Power Plan Talking Points

- SPP studies indicate a regional approach to CPP compliance is more cost effective than a state-by-state approach and less disruptive of the reliability and economic benefits provided by SPP's Integrated Marketplace.
- A regional compliance approach does not have to depend upon a single compliance plan for a geographic region, but could be accomplished with compatible state compliance plans that rely on market-based solutions.
- States are encouraged to develop plans, even if litigating, rather than waiting for EPA's Federal Plan to be imposed on them.
- SPP is responsible for planning and operating the electric transmission system across its 14-state region and is best equipped to assess reliability impacts of state compliance plans to the SPP region.
- SPP can best assess reliability impacts to its region by performing a consolidated review of the compliance plans for the states operating in SPP.
- SPP stands ready to assist any way that it can to ensure a reliable, cost effective approach to compliance.