

**SPP-NTC-200459**

**SPP  
Notification to Construct**

July 11, 2017

Mr. Mike Risan  
Basin Electric Power Cooperative  
1717 E. Interstate Ave.  
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RE: Withdrawal of Notification to Construct for Transmission Service Request resulting from Aggregate Transmission Service Study SPP-2016-AG1-AFS-3

Dear Mr. Risan,

Pursuant to Section 3.3 of the Southwest Power Pool, Inc. ("SPP") Membership Agreement and Attachments O and Y of the SPP Open Access Transmission Tariff ("OATT"), SPP provides this Notification to Construct ("NTC") directing Basin Electric Power Cooperative ("BEPC"), as the Designated Transmission Owner, to construct the Network Upgrade(s).

On April 28, 2017, SPP concluded that the Network Upgrade(s) listed below should be withdrawn and informed the Project Cost Working Group of the withdrawal on July 5, 2017.

**Withdrawal of Upgrades**

**Previous NTC Number:** 200426  
**Previous NTC Issue Date:** 1/16/2017  
**Project ID:** 31109  
**Project Name:** XFR - Blaisdell 230/115 kV Transformer

**Network Upgrade ID:** 51681  
**Network Upgrade Name:** Blaisdell 230/115 kV Transformer  
**Network Upgrade Description:** Install second 230/115 kV transformer at Blaisdell.  
**Reason for Change:** SPP concluded that the Network Upgrade(s) are no longer needed for SPP-2016-AG1-AFS-3.

**Previous NTC Number:** 200426  
**Previous NTC Issue Date:** 1/16/2017  
**Project ID:** 31174  
**Project Name:** XFR - Neset 230/115 kV Transformer

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**Network Upgrade ID:** 51817

**Network Upgrade Name:** Neset 230/115 kV Transformer Ckt 1

**Network Upgrade Description:** Upgrade Neset 230/115 kV transformer Ckt 1.

**Reason for Change:** SPP concluded that the Network Upgrade(s) are no longer needed for SPP-2016-AG1-AFS-3.

**Withdrawal of Network Upgrade**

This letter is the formal notification to stop any further work on this Network Upgrade(s), collect any cost associated with the Network Upgrade(s), and provide this information to SPP.

All terms and conditions of the SPP OATT and the SPP Membership Agreement shall apply to this Project, and nothing in this NTC shall vary such terms and conditions.

Don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions or comments regarding these instructions. Thank you for the important role that you play in maintaining the reliability of our electric grid.

Sincerely,



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