

## 2018 Integrated Transmission Planning Near-Term (ITPNT) Needs Assessment Posting Delayed

The 2018 ITPNT Detailed Project Proposal (DPP) Transmission Planning Response Window (“DPP Window”) was originally scheduled to open tonight at 12:00 a.m. CDT (midnight). Through recent stakeholder communication and subsequent quality assurance checks, SPP staff has identified material modeling issues that need to be addressed prior to posting the needs assessment. At this time, SPP has made the decision to delay the DPP Window.

SPP staff will discuss the issues and impacts with the Transmission Working Group (TWG) during their meeting this [Wednesday, September 20](#), beginning at 8:30 a.m. and request feedback regarding potential changes to the 2018 ITPNT assessment scope and schedule, including updated DPP window dates. An updated TWG agenda will be posted by end of day today, September 18, and materials made available as soon as possible.

### Helpful Links

- [Transmission Owner Selection Process \(formerly Order 1000\) home page](#)
  - [Order 1000 Documents](#)
  - [Detailed Project Proposal \(DPP\) page](#)
- [SPP Transmission Planning Page](#)
  - All notice postings previously on the SPP.org home page are now on this page
  - ITP Postings (formerly in Order 1000 Documents folder) [here](#)
- SPP Request Management System ([SPP RMS](#)) is the preferred method for inquiries and data submissions. Click on this link and then “Register Now” if you are not already registered.
  - Quick Picks to use in RMS:
    - “**ITP-DPP Submittal**” Quick Pick for DPP submissions
    - “**Request TrueShare Access**” Quick Pick for access to TrueShare for models
    - “**ITP – Modeling**” Quick Pick for input regarding modeling
    - “**ITP – Project Inquiry**” Quick Pick for questions/comments regarding projects
- [SPP RMS](#) is the preferred method for receiving all inquiries and solution submittals.