

November 16, 2011. Free Flow Power provided public notice of its request on November 16, 2011. In a letter dated January 5, 2012, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved Free Flow Power's request to use the Traditional Licensing Process.

k. With this notice, we are initiating informal consultation with: (a) The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and NOAA Fisheries under section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and the joint agency regulations thereunder at 50 CFR, Part 402; (b) NOAA Fisheries under section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act and implementing regulations at 50 CFR 600.920; and (c) the Pennsylvania Historic Preservation Officer, as required by section 106, National Historic Preservation Act, and the implementing regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation at 36 CFR 800.2.

l. With this notice, we are designating Free Flow Power as the Commission's non-federal representative for carrying out informal consultation, pursuant to section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, section 305 of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, and section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

m. Free Flow Power filed a Pre-Application Document (PAD; including a proposed process plan and schedule) with the Commission, pursuant to 18 CFR 5.6 of the Commission's regulations.

n. A copy of the PAD is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site (<http://www.ferc.gov>), using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCONlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at 1-(866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in paragraph h.

o. Register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp> to be notified via email of new filing and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Dated: January 5, 2012.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project Nos. P-13235-002 and P-13355-001]

Middlebury Electric, LLC; Notice of Intent To File License Application, Filing of Pre-Application Document, and Approving Use of the Traditional Licensing Process

a. *Type of Filings:* Notice of Intent To File License Application and Request to Use the Traditional Licensing Process.

b. *Project Nos.:* P-13235-002 and P-13355-001.

c. *Dates Filed:* May 5, 2011, and June 20, 2011, respectively.

d. *Submitted By:* Middlebury Electric, LLC.

e. *Name of Projects:* Middlebury Upper Hydroelectric Project and Middlebury Upper East Bank Hydroelectric Project, respectively.

f. *Location:* On Otter Creek, in Addison County, Vermont. No federal lands would be occupied by the project works or located within the proposed project boundaries.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* 18 CFR 5.3 of the Commission's regulations.

h. *Potential Applicant Contact:* Alders Holm, Middlebury Electric, LLC, #5 Frog Hollow Alley, Middlebury, VT 05753; (802) 388-7037.

i. *FERC Contact:* John Ramer at (202) 502-8969; or email at john.ramer@ferc.gov.

j. Middlebury Electric, LLC filed its requests to use the Traditional Licensing Process on May 5 and June 20, 2011, for Middlebury Upper Project, P-13235-002 and Middlebury Upper East Bank Project, P-13355-001, respectively. Middlebury Electric, LLC provided public notice of its requests on May 2, 2011, and August 18, 2011, respectively. In a letter dated October 5, 2011, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved Middlebury Electric, LLC's requests to use the Traditional Licensing Process.

k. With this notice, we are initiating informal consultation with: (a) the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service under section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and the joint agency regulations thereunder at 50 CFR part 402; (b) NOAA Fisheries under section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act and implementing regulations at 50 CFR 600.920; and (c) the Vermont State Historic Preservation Officer, as required by section 106, National Historical Preservation Act, and the implementing regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation at 36 CFR 800.2.

l. Middlebury Electric, LLC filed Pre-Application Documents (PADs; including proposed process plans and schedules) with the Commission, pursuant to 18 CFR 5.6 of the Commission's regulations.

m. Copies of the PADs are available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site (<http://www.ferc.gov>), using the "eLibrary" link. For either project, enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCONlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at 1-(866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. Copies are also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in paragraph h.

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[Project No. 13762-001; Project No. 13753-001]

FFP Missouri 15, LLC; FFP Missouri 16, LLC; Notice of Intent To File License Application, Filing of Pre-Application Document, and Approving Use of the Traditional Licensing Process

a. *Type of Filing:* Notice of Intent To File License Application and Request to Use the Traditional Licensing Process.

b. *Project Nos.:* P-13762-001, P-13753-001.

c. *Date Filed:* November 16, 2011.

d. *Submitted By:* Free Flow Power Corporation on behalf of its subsidiary limited liability corporations (listed above and collectively referred to below as "Free Flow Power").

e. *Name of Projects:* Morgantown Lock and Dam Project, P-13762-001; and Opekiska Lock and Dam Project, P-13753-001.

f. *Location:* At existing locks and dams owned and operated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on the Monongahela River in West Virginia

(see table below for specific project locations). The projects would occupy

United States lands administered by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Project No.	Projects	County	City
P-13762	Morgantown Lock and Dam Hydroelectric Project	Monongalia	Morgantown.
P-13753	Opekiska Lock and Dam Hydroelectric Project	Monongalia	Fairmont.

g. Filed Pursuant to: 18 CFR 5.3 of the Commission's regulations.

h. *Potential Applicant Contact*: Ramya Swaminathan, Chief Operating Officer, Free Flow Power, 239 Causeway Street, Boston, MA 02114-2130; (978) 283-2822; or email at rswaminathan@free-flow-power.com.

i. *FERC Contact*: Monir Chowdhury at (202) 502-6736; or email at monir.chowdhury@ferc.gov.

j. Free Flow Power filed its request to use the Traditional Licensing Process on November 16, 2011. Free Flow Power provided public notice of its request on November 16, 2011. In a letter dated January 5, 2012, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved Free Flow Power's request to use the Traditional Licensing Process.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP12-26-000]

CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company, LLC; Notice of Application

Take notice that on December 7, 2011, CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company, LLC (CEGT), P.O. Box 21734, Shreveport, Louisiana 71151, filed an application in the above referenced docket pursuant to section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act (NGA) requesting authority to abandon by sale, to CenterPoint Energy Field Services, LLC (CEFS), approximately 7 miles of 6-inch diameter pipeline and separator facilities, all located in Franklin County, Arkansas. Additionally, CEGT seeks a Commission determination that the facilities, once conveyed to CEFS, will be gathering facilities exempt from the Commission's jurisdiction under Section 1(b) of the NGA, all as more fully set forth in the application which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. This filing is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number excluding the last three digits in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or call

toll-free, (886) 208-3676 or TTY, (202) 502-8659.

Any questions regarding the application should be directed to Michelle Willis, Manager, Regulatory and Compliance, CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company, LLC (CEGT), P.O. Box 21734, Shreveport, Louisiana 71151 or by telephone at (318) 429-3708.

Pursuant to section 157.9 of the Commission's rules, 18 CFR 157.9, within 90 days of this Notice the Commission staff will either: complete its environmental assessment (EA) and place it into the Commission's public record (eLibrary) for this proceeding; or issue a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review. If a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review is issued, it will indicate, among other milestones, the anticipated date for the Commission staff's issuance of the final environmental impact statement (FEIS) or EA for this proposal. The filing of the EA in the Commission's public record for this proceeding or the issuance of a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review will serve to notify federal and state agencies of the timing for the completion of all necessary reviews, and the subsequent need to complete all Federal authorizations within 90 days of the date of issuance of the Commission staff's FEIS or EA.

There are two ways to become involved in the Commission's review of this project. First, any person wishing to obtain legal status by becoming a party to the proceedings for this project should, on or before the comment date stated below, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE., Washington, DC 20426, a motion to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (18 CFR 385.214 or 385.211) and the Regulations under the NGA (18 CFR 157.10). A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties. A party must submit seven copies of filings made in the proceeding with the Commission and must mail a copy to the applicant and to every other party. Only parties to the