Filed Date: 12/19/24.

Accession Number: 20241219-5003. Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

Docket Numbers: ER25-760-000. Applicants: American Transmission

Systems, Incorporated.

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: ATSI submits Revised Interconnection Agreement (IA) SA No. 3994 to be effective 2/18/2025.

Filed Date: 12/19/24.

Accession Number: 20241219-5018. Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

Docket Numbers: ER25-761-000. Applicants: Midcontinent

Independent System Operator, Inc. Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: 2024– 12-19 SA 4415 Wolverine Power-Wolverine Power GIA (Burnips) to be

effective 12/11/2024.

Filed Date: 12/19/24.

Accession Number: 20241219-5053. Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

Docket Numbers: ER25-762-000. Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: Amendment to ISA No. 6312; Queue No. AE2-297 to be effective 2/18/2025. Filed Date: 12/19/24.

Accession Number: 20241219-5082. Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

Docket Numbers: ER25-763-000. Applicants: Southwest Power Pool,

Inc.

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: 3552R6 TEA and MEAN Meter Agent Agreement to be effective 12/1/2024.

Filed Date: 12/19/24.

Accession Number: 20241219-5092. Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

Docket Numbers: ER25-764-000. Applicants: Southwest Power Pool,

Description: 205(d) Rate Filing: 607R47 Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. NITSA NOA to be effective 12/1/2024.

Filed Date: 12/19/24.

Accession Number: 20241219-5177. Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

Docket Numbers: ER25-765-000. Applicants: Beowawe Power, LLC.

Description: Initial Rate Filing: Petition for Approval of Initial Market-

Based Rate Tariff to be effective 12/20/ 2024.

Filed Date: 12/19/24.

Accession Number: 20241219-5218. Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 1/9/25.

The filings are accessible in the Commission's eLibrary system (https:// elibrary.ferc.gov/idmws/search/ fercgensearch.asp) by querying the docket number.

Any person desiring to intervene, to protest, or to answer a complaint in any of the above proceedings must file in

accordance with Rules 211, 214, or 206 of the Commission's Regulations (18 CFR 385.211, 385.214, or 385.206) on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the specified comment date. Protests may be considered, but intervention is necessary to become a party to the proceeding.

eFiling is encouraged. More detailed information relating to filing requirements, interventions, protests, service, and qualifying facilities filings can be found at: https://www.ferc.gov/ docs-filing/efiling/filing-req.pdf. For other information, call (866) 208-3676 (toll free). For TTY, call (202) 502-8659.

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Dated: December 19, 2024.

Carlos D. Clay,

Acting Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 15262-001]

CW Bill Young Hydropower Group, Inc.; 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 (TLP).
 - b. Project No.: 15262-001.
 - c. Date Filed: October 31, 2024.
- d. Submitted By: CW Bill Young Hydropower Group, Inc.¹ (CW Bill Young Hydropower).
- e. Name of Project: CW Bill Young Lock and Dam Hydropower Project.
- f. Location: The project would be located on the Allegheny River, at the existing U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) C.W. Bill Young Lock and Dam,

in Harmar Township, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania. The project would partially occupy federal land administered by the Corps.

g. Filed Pursuant to: 18 CFR 5.3 of the

Commission's regulations.

h. Potential Applicant Contact: Jeremy King, CEO; Current Hydro LLC; 3120 Southwest Freeway; Suite 101, PMB 50808; Houston, TX 77098, Email: jeremv@currenthvdro.com; Phone: (706) 835-8516.

i. FERC Contact: Silvia Pineda-Munoz at (202) 502-8388; or email at

silvia.pineda-munoz@ferc.gov.

j. CW Bill Young Hydropower filed its request to use the Traditional Licensing Process on October 31, 2024, and provided public notice of its request on November 3, 2024. In a letter dated December 18, 2024, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved CW Bill Young Hydropower's request to use the Traditional Licensing Process.

k. With this notice, we are initiating informal consultation with 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; and NOAA Fisheries under section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act and implementing regulations at 50 CFR 600.920. We are also initiating consultation with the Pennsylvania State 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 CW Bill Young Hydropower as the Commission's non-federal representative for carrying out informal consultation pursuant to section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act; and consultation pursuant to section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act.

m. CW Bill Young Hydropower 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 may be viewed on the Commission's website (https:// 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, (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659

(TTY).

¹CW Bill Young Hydropower Group, Inc. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Current Hydro LLC, which acts as agent for the applicant.

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o. The applicant states its unequivocal intent to submit an application for an original license for Project No. 15262.

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Dated: December 18, 2024.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2514-209]

Appalachian Power Company; Notice of Availability of Environmental Assessment

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations, 18 CFR part 380, the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for a new license to continue to operate and maintain the Byllesby-Buck Hydroelectric Project (Byllesby-Buck Project). The Byllesby-Buck Project is located on the New River, in Carroll County, Virginia.

The environmental assessment (EA) contains staff's analysis of the potential environmental impacts of the project and concludes that licensing the project, with appropriate environmental protective measures, would not constitute a major Federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

The Commission provides all interested persons with an opportunity to view and/or print the EA via the internet through the Commission's Home Page (https://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 (866) 208–3676, or for TTY, (202) 502–8659.

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Any comments should be filed within 45 days from the date of this notice.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments using the Commission's eFiling system at https://ferconline.ferc.gov/ FERCOnline.aspx. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at https:// ferconline.ferc.gov/ QuickComment.aspx. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support. In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852. The first page of any filing should include docket number P-2514-209.

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For further information, contact Jody Callihan at (202) 502–8278 or by email at *jody.callihan@ferc.gov*.

Dated: December 19, 2024.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Western Area Power Administration

Loveland Area Projects—Rate Order No. WAPA-219

AGENCY: Western Area Power Administration, DOE.

ACTION: Notice of proposed transmission and ancillary services formula rates.

SUMMARY: The Rocky Mountain (RM) region of the Western Area Power Administration (WAPA) proposes new formula rates for the Loveland Area Projects (LAP) transmission and ancillary services for RM's costs to be recovered under the Southwest Power Pool's (SPP) Open Access Transmission Tariff (Tariff) should RM decide to become a member of SPP. The proposed formula rates will become effective on the latter of RM's membership date or the go-live date of the expansion of the SPP Regional Transmission Organization (RTO) into the Western Interconnection (scheduled for April 1. 2026, as of the date of this notice) and will remain in effect for five years from the effective date, which with an effective date of April 1, 2026, will be March 31, 2031, or until superseded. **DATES:** A consultation and comment period will begin December 27, 2024 and end March 27, 2025. RM will present a detailed explanation of the proposed formula rates and other modifications at a public information forum that will be held on February 19, 2025, at 11 a.m. MST to no later than 12 noon MST. RM will also host a public comment forum on February 19, 2025, at 12:15 p.m. MST to no later than 1 p.m. MST. The public information forum and the public comment forum will be conducted virtually. Instructions for participating in the forums will be posted on RM's Rates website at least 14 days prior to the public information and comment forums at:www.wapa.gov/ about-wapa/regions/rm/rm-rates/2026rate-adjustment-rto-trans-and-anc-sycs.

RM will accept comments any time during the consultation and comment period.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and requests to be informed of Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) actions concerning the proposed formula rates submitted by WAPA to FERC for approval should be sent to: Barton V. Barnhart, Regional Manager, Rocky Mountain Region, Western Area Power Administration, 5555 East Crossroads Boulevard, Loveland, CO 80538–8986, or email LAPTransAdj@wapa.gov. RM will post information about the proposed formula rates and