

the proposed research to the terms of the announcement and the Department's programmatic needs. External peer reviewers are selected with regard to both their scientific expertise and the absence of conflict-of-interest issues. Non-federal reviewers may be used, and submission of an application constitutes agreement that this is acceptable to the investigator(s) and the submitting institution. Applications found to be scientifically meritorious and programmatically relevant will be selected in consultation with DOE and NASA selecting officials depending upon availability of funds in each agency's budget. In the course of the selection process, projects will be identified as addressing DOE requirements, NASA requirements, or both. The selected projects will be required to acknowledge support by one or both agencies, as appropriate, in all public communications of the research results.

The Application

(Please Note Information Below on Page Limits)

Information about the development and submission of applications, eligibility, limitations, evaluation, selection process, and other policies and procedures may be found in the Application Guide for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program and 10 CFR part 605. Electronic access to the Guide and required forms is made available via the World Wide Web: <http://www.science.doe.gov/production/grants/guide.html>. DOE is under no obligation to pay for any costs associated with the preparation or submission of applications if an award is not made.

Adherence to type size and line spacing requirements is necessary for several reasons. No applicants should have the advantage of providing more text in their applications by using small type. Small type may also make it difficult for reviewers to read the application. Applications must have 1-inch margins at the top, bottom, and on each side. Type sizes must be 10 point or larger. Line spacing is at the discretion of the applicant but there must be no more than 6 lines per vertical inch of text. Pages should be standard 8½" x 11" (or metric A4, i.e., 210 mm x 297 mm). Applications must be written in English, with all budgets in U.S. dollars.

Applicants are asked to use the following ordered format:

- *Face Page* (DOE F 4650.2 (10-91)).
- *Project Abstract Page*; single page only, should contain:

- Title,
- PI name,
- Abstract text should concisely describe the overall project goal in one sentence, and limit background/significance of project to one sentence. Short descriptions of each individual aim should focus on what will actually be done
 - *Relevance Statement*; single page only, should identify DOE- or NASA-relevant research that each specific aim is intended to address.
 - *Budget pages* for each year and a summary budget page for the entire project period (using DOE F 4620.1).
 - *Budget Explanation*.
 - Budget pages and budget explanation for each collaborative subproject, if any.
 - *Project Description*, 20 pages or less, exclusive of attachments.
- Applications with Project Descriptions longer than 20 pages will be returned to applicants and will not be reviewed for scientific merit. (Project Descriptions for Glue Grants should not exceed 5 pages.) The Project Description should contain the following five parts:
 - Goals,
 - Background (concisely-stated, relevant),
 - Experimental Approach,
 - Preliminary Studies (or Progress, if this is a renewal application),
 - Statistical Design and Methodologies
 - *Literature Cited*.
 - *Collaborative Arrangements* (if applicable).
 - *Biographical Sketches* (limit 2 pages per senior investigator, consistent with NIH guidelines).
 - *Facilities and Resources* description.
 - *Current and Pending Support* for each senior investigator.
 - *Letters of Intent* from collaborators (if applicable).

The Office of Science, as part of its grant regulations, requires at 10 CFR 605.11(b) that a recipient receiving a grant to perform research involving recombinant DNA molecules and/or organisms and viruses containing recombinant DNA molecules shall comply with the National Institutes of Health "Guidelines for Research Involving Recombinant DNA Molecules", which is available via the World Wide Web at: <http://www.niehs.nih.gov/odhsb/biosafe/nih/rdna-apr98.pdf>, (59 FR 34496, July 5, 1994), or such later revision of those guidelines as may be published in the **Federal Register**.

DOE requirements for reporting, protection of human and animal subjects and related special matters can

be found on the World Wide Web at: <http://www.science.doe.gov/production/grants/Welfare.html>.

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number for this program is 81.049, and the solicitation control number is ERFAP 10 CFR part 605.

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John Rodney Clark,

Associate Director of Science for Resource Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory. The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

DATES: Tuesday, November 19, 2002, 8 a.m.-6 p.m., Wednesday, November 20, 2002, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Public participation sessions will be held on: Tuesday, November 19, 2002, 12:15-12:30 p.m., 5:45-6 p.m., Wednesday, November 20, 2002, 11:45-12 noon, 4-4:15 p.m.

These times are subject to change as the meeting progresses. Please check with the meeting facilitator to confirm these times.

ADDRESSES: West Coast Downtown, 1800 Fairview Avenue, Boise, Idaho 83702, *Reservations:* (208) 344-7691.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Wendy Lowe, Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory (INEEL) Citizens' Advisory Board (CAB) Facilitator, Jason Associates Corporation, 545 Shoup Avenue, Suite 335B, Idaho Falls, ID 83402, Phone (208) 522-1662 or visit the Board's Internet Home page at <http://www.ida.net/users/cab>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of future use, cleanup levels, waste disposition and cleanup priorities at the INEEL.

Tentative Agenda Topics: (Agenda topics may change up to the day of the

meeting. Please contact Jason Associates for the most current agenda or visit the CAB's Internet site at www.ida.net/users/cab/.)

- Transition in INEEL's mission to Nuclear Energy
- Possible remedial actions to reduce risks associated with the buried waste at the Radioactive Waste Management Complex
- Performance Management Plan for Accelerating Cleanup and recent activities under the Environmental Management program
- Design for Stage II of the Pit 9 removal action
- Fiscal Year 2003 funding allocation for the INEEL cleanup program
- Final Idaho High-Level Waste and Facilities Disposition Environmental Impact Statement
- Consolidation of spent nuclear fuel into dry storage
- Remediation approach for the V Tanks in Waste Area Group I (Test Area North)
- The Draft Remedial Action Work Plan for the Sorting, Sizing and Staging Treatment Facility and the waste acceptance criteria for the INEEL Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act Disposal Facility
- Status of the Waste Incidental to Reprocessing Determination if the lawsuit has been resolved
- Completion of the 3,100 Cubic Meter Project
- Status of Advanced Mixed Waste Treatment Project
- Values and priorities that should inform decisions related to decontamination and decommissioning of facilities at INEEL
- Possible changes in how the CAB issues press releases proposed by the Public Communications Committee
- Possible evaluation of presentations delivered to the CAB

Public Participation: This meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Board facilitator either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral presentations pertaining to agenda items should contact the Board Chair at the address or telephone number listed above. Request must be received five days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Deputy Designated Federal Officer, Jerry Bowman, Assistant Manager for Laboratory Development, Idaho Operations Office, U.S. Department of Energy, is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Every individual wishing to make public comment will be provided equal time to present their comments. Additional time may be made available for public comment during the presentations. This **Federal Register** notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting date due to programmatic

issues that had to be resolved prior to the meeting date.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Ms. Wendy Lowe, INEEL CAB Facilitator, Jason Associates Corporation, 545 Shoup Avenue, Suite 335B, Idaho Falls, ID 83402 or by calling (208) 522-1662.

Issued at Washington, DC on October 28, 2002.

Belinda G. Hood,

Acting Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. EL03-7-000, et al.]

Cities of Anaheim, et al.; Electric Rate and Corporate Regulation Filings

October 10, 2002.

The following filings have been made with the Commission. The filings are listed in ascending order within each docket classification.

1. Cities of Anaheim, Azusa, Banning, and Riverside, California

[Docket No. EL03-7-000]

Take notice that on October 4, 2002, the Cities of Anaheim, Azusa, Banning, and Riverside, California (Southern Cities) filed a Petition for Declaratory Order, Request for Expedited Procedures, and Request for Waiver of Filing Fee. Southern Cities seek a determination of the propriety of a withdrawal provision in the Transmission Control Agreement that will enable them to participate in the California ISO as Participating Transmission Owners.

Comment Date: October 31, 2002.

2. LMB Funding, Limited Partnership

[Docket No. EL03-8-000]

Take notice that on October 4, 2002, LMB Funding, Limited Partnership (Petitioner) filed a Petition for Declaratory Order Disclaiming Jurisdiction and Request for Expedited Consideration. Petitioner is seeking a disclaimer of jurisdiction in connection with a lease financing involving a generating plant of approximately 600

MW to be located in Lower Mount Bethel Township, Northampton County, Pennsylvania.

Comment Date: November 4, 2002.

3. Westar Generating, Inc.

[Docket Nos. ER01-1305-004]

Take notice that on October 7, 2002, in compliance with the Commission's September 5, 2002 "Order Conditionally Approving Uncontested Settlement," 100 FERC ¶ 61,255 (2002), in the above-referenced dockets, Westar Generating, Inc. (Westar) submitted a new Order 614 designation for the Purchase Power Agreement between Westar and Western Resources, Inc. (Western), and changes to Section 3.2 of Article III of the Settlement Agreement as required by the Order in the above-referenced proceedings.

A copy of this filing was served on every participant to the proceedings.

Comment Date: October 28, 2002.

4. Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

[Docket Nos. ER02-1705-003]

Take notice that on October 7, 2002, Southwest Power Pool, Inc. (SPP) submitted for filing the compliance filing required by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's September 5, 2002 issued in the proceeding listed above. Southwest Power Pool, Inc., 100 FERC ¶ 61,248.

Comment Date: October 28, 2002.

5. Duke Energy Corporations

[Docket No. ER02-2008-002]

Take notice that on October 7, 2002, in compliance with the Commission's order in Docket Nos. ER02-2008-000 and ER02-2008-001 issued September 5, 2002, Duke Energy Corp., 100 FERC 61,251, Duke Energy Corporation, on behalf of Duke Electric Transmission, filed a revised Interconnection and Operating Agreement by and between Duke Electric Transmission and GenPower Anderson, LLC. The Interconnection and Operating Agreement was made effective as of September 9, 2002 by the Commission.

Comment Date: October 28, 2002.

6. New England Power Pool and ISO New England Inc.

[Docket Nos. ER02-2330-001 and EL00-62-052]

Take notice that on October 7, 2002, New England Power Pool and ISO New England Inc. tendered for filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (Commission) a Compliance Filing in response to the Commission's September 20, 2002 Order issued in the above proceedings. Copies of these materials were sent to the NEPOOL