

information for parties can be downloaded from the service list at the eService link on FERC Online. Service can be via email with a link to the document.

All timely, unopposed⁹ motions to intervene are automatically granted by operation of Rule 214(c)(1).¹⁰ Motions to intervene that are filed after the intervention deadline are untimely, and may be denied. Any late-filed motion to intervene must show good cause for being late and must explain why the time limitation should be waived and provide justification by reference to factors set forth in Rule 214(d) of the Commission's Rules and Regulations.¹¹ A person obtaining party status will be placed on the service list maintained by the Secretary of the Commission and will receive copies (paper or electronic) of all documents filed by the applicant and by all other parties.

Tracking the Proceeding

Throughout the proceeding, additional information about the project will be available from OPP at (202) 502-6595 or on the FERC website at www.ferc.gov using the "eLibrary" link as described above. The eLibrary link also provides access to the texts of all formal documents issued by the Commission, such as orders, notices, and rulemakings.

In addition, the Commission offers a free service called eSubscription which allows you to keep track of all formal issuances and submittals in specific dockets. This can reduce the amount of time you spend researching proceedings by automatically providing you with notification of these filings, document summaries, and direct links to the documents. For more information and to register, go to www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp.

Intervention Deadline: 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on February 6, 2026.

(Authority: 18 CFR 2.1)

Dated: January 16, 2026.

Carlos D. Clay,
Deputy Secretary.

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⁹ The applicant has 15 days from the submittal of a motion to intervene to file a written objection to the intervention.

¹⁰ 18 CFR 385.214(c)(1).

¹¹ 18 CFR 385.214(b)(3) and (d).

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 1869-000]

NorthWestern Energy; Notice of Authorization for Continued Project Operation

The license for the Thompson Falls Hydroelectric Project No. 1869 was issued for a period ending December 31, 2025.

Section 15(a)(1) of the FPA, 16 U.S.C. 808(a)(1), requires the Commission, at the expiration of a license term, to issue from year-to-year an annual license to the then licensee(s) under the terms and conditions of the prior license until a new license is issued, or the project is otherwise disposed of as provided in section 15 or any other applicable section of the FPA. If the project's prior license waived the applicability of section 15 of the FPA, then, based on section 9(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 558(c), and as set forth at 18 CFR 16.21(a), if the licensee of such project has filed an application for a subsequent license, the licensee may continue to operate the project in accordance with the terms and conditions of the license after the minor or minor part license expires, until the Commission acts on its application. If the licensee of such a project has not filed an application for a subsequent license, then it may be required, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.21(b), to continue project operations until the Commission issues someone else a license for the project or otherwise orders disposition of the project.

If the project is subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that an annual license for Project No. 1869 is issued to NorthWestern Energy for a period effective January 1, 2026, through December 31, 2026, or until the issuance of a new license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first.

If issuance of a new license (or other disposition) does not take place on or before December 31, 2026, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 18 CFR 16.18(c), an annual license under section 15(a)(1) of the FPA is renewed automatically without further order or

notice by the Commission, unless the Commission orders otherwise.

If the project is not subject to section 15 of the FPA, notice is hereby given that NorthWestern Energy is authorized to continue operation of the Thompson Falls Hydroelectric Project under the terms and conditions of the prior license until the issuance of a subsequent license for the project or other disposition under the FPA, whichever comes first.

For public inquiries and assistance with making filings such as interventions, comments, or requests for rehearing, contact the Office of Public Participation at (202) 502-6595 or OPP@ferc.gov.

(Authority: 18 CFR 2.1)

Dated: January 16, 2026.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Sunshine Act Meetings

The following notice of meeting is published pursuant to section 3(a) of the government in the Sunshine Act (Pub. L. 94-409), 5 U.S.C. 552b:

Agency Holding Meeting: Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

TIME AND DATE: January 22, 2026, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: Room 2C, 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426.

STATUS: Open to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: Agenda.

* *Note*—Items listed on the agenda may be deleted without further notice.

This is a list of matters to be considered by the Commission. It does not include a listing of all documents relevant to the items on the agenda. All public documents, however, may be viewed online at the Commission's website at <https://elibrary.ferc.gov/eLibrary/search> using the eLibrary link.

1132ND—MEETING

[Open; January 22, 2026; 10:00 a.m.]

Item No.	Docket No.	Company
Administrative		
A-1	AD26-1-000	Agency Administrative Matters.
A-2	AD26-2-000	Customer Matters, Reliability, Security and Market Operations.
Electric		
E-1	ER25-2454-002	Midcontinent Independent System Operator, Inc.
E-2	ER25-2296-002	Southwest Power Pool, Inc.
E-3	ER21-59-004	Brookfield Renewable Trading and Marketing LP.
E-4	ER26-498-000	EDF Power Solutions, Inc.
E-5	ER26-535-000	Greenswitch Wind, LLC.
E-6	ER21-58-002	TransAlta Energy Marketing (U.S.), Inc. and TransAlta Energy Marketing (California), Inc.
E-7	EL25-106-000	<i>New England Power Generators Association v. ISO New England Inc.</i>
E-8	ER24-2045-003	PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.
E-9	ER24-2026-001, ER24-2026-002	Southwest Power Pool, Inc.
Hydro		
H-1	P-14861-002	FFP Project 101, LLC.
H-2	P-3571-041	Central Oregon Irrigation District.
H-3	P-2660-038	Woodland Pulp LLC.
H-4	P-2333-094	Rumford Falls Hydro LLC.
H-5	P-4639-035	Ampersand Christine Falls Hydro, LLC.
Certificates		
C-1	CP23-516-003	East Tennessee Natural Gas, LLC.
C-2	CP25-79-000	ANR Pipeline Company.
C-3	CP25-204-000	Northwest Pipeline LLC.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary.
Telephone (202) 502-8400. For a recorded message listing items Stricken from or added to the meeting, call (202) 502-8627.

A free webcast of this event is available through the Commission's website. Anyone with internet access who desires to view this event can do so by navigating to www.ferc.gov's Calendar of Events and locating this event in the Calendar. The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission provides technical support for the free webcasts. Please call (202) 502-8680 or email customer@ferc.gov if you have any questions.

Immediately following the conclusion of the Commission Meeting, a press briefing will be held in the Commission Meeting Room. Members of the public may view this briefing in the designated overflow room. This statement is intended to notify the public that the press briefings that follow Commission meetings may now be viewed remotely at Commission headquarters but will not be telecast.

Issued: January 15, 2026.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. CP26-64-000]

**Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC;
Notice of Request Under Blanket
Authorization and Establishing
Intervention and Protest Deadline**

Take notice that on January 8, 2026, Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC (Columbia), 700 Louisiana Street, Suite 1300, Houston, Texas 77002-2700, filed in the above referenced docket, a prior notice request pursuant to sections 157.205 and 157.216(b) of the Commission's regulations under the Natural Gas Act (NGA), and Columbia's blanket certificate issued in Docket No. CP83-76-000, for authorization to abandon the injection/withdrawal storage Well 4646, associated pipeline, and appurtenant facilities located at the Victory A Storage Field in Wetzel

County, West Virginia (Victory A Well 4646 Abandonment Project). Columbia states that Well 4646 contributes a negligible amount to the total deliverability of the Victory A Storage Field. Columbia thus concluded that plugging and abandoning Well 4646 will limit integrity risk in alignment with the guidance of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration Storage Final Rule and will not affect Columbia's ability to maintain the current quality of service to its storage customers. The estimated cost for the project is \$1,054,400, all as more fully set forth in the request which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

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