

5. *Anticipated Permits, Other Authorizations, and Other Directives:*

While the development and implementation of the System Plan would not require any permits, the PEIS will identify any permits or authorizations that would likely be required for any tiered projects that are constructed in accordance with the System Plan.

6. *Schedule for the Decision-Making Process:* The USACE is currently in the process of evaluating the alternatives. The USACE anticipates that a draft System Plan with integrated PEIS will be released for public review in July 2025. The USACE anticipates that this public review period will last for 45 days. The USACE anticipates that it will finalize the System Plan with integrated PEIS by May 2026.

7. *Scoping Process/Public Involvement:* Public scoping meetings and other engagement opportunities are being conducted by a combination of in-person meetings held across the lower Missouri River and quarterly webinar presentations. The USACE hosted a series of public scoping meetings across the lower Missouri River in 2023 and 2024. The public was informed of this study and was given the opportunity to submit comments and questions in multiple ways. Comments could be submitted by filling out a comment sheet that included prompts for specific feedback as well as general comments. The USACE received approximately 35 comments in this manner. The USACE also provided the public with maps of the lower Missouri River and invited the public to mark these maps with location-specific comments. The USACE received approximately 115 comments in this manner. The locations of the previous in-person scoping meetings were selected to facilitate public involvement throughout the study area. The locations and dates of these meetings are listed here:

- Atchison, Kansas. First Meeting: 20 July 2023. Second Meeting: 8 April 2024.
- Council Bluffs, Iowa. First Meeting: 17 July 2023. Second Meeting: 11 April 2024.
- Jefferson City, Missouri. First Meeting: 19 July 2023. Second Meeting: 25 April 2024.
- Marshall, Missouri. 30 April 2024.
- Missouri Valley, Iowa. 11 April 2024.
- Mound City, Missouri. 1 April 2024.
- Nebraska City, Nebraska. 18 July 2023.
- Percival, Iowa. 10 April 2024.
- St. Joseph, Missouri. 9 April 2024.

- Washington, Missouri. 24 April 2024.

Quarterly webinars are currently held every third Wednesday of January, April, July, and October to provide study updates and opportunities to ask questions. These webinars will continue during the duration of the study. Links to these webinars, including recordings of previously held webinars, are available on the study's web page. This web page includes a submission form for comments and questions, answers to frequently asked questions, and an interactive map of the lower Missouri River that allows users to submit location-specific comments. The web page is available at this link: <https://www.nwk.usace.army.mil/Missions/Civil-Works/Civil-Works-Programs-And-Projects/Lower-Missouri-River-Basin/>.

Cooperating agencies for the System Plan include the Environmental Protection Agency, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Natural Resources Conservation Service, and United States Fish and Wildlife Service. Participating agencies for the System Plan include the Iowa Department of Natural Resources, Iowa Department of Transportation, Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Kansas Department of Transportation, Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks, Missouri Department of Conservation, Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Missouri Department of Transportation, Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy, Nebraska Department of Natural Resources, Nebraska Department of Transportation, and Nebraska Game and Parks Commission.

The public is invited to identify and comment on issues and effects they believe should be addressed in the PEIS; considerations in developing a System Plan for the Lower Missouri River to address flood risk and resiliency; and any relevant information, studies, or analyses with respect to the development of a System Plan.

8. *Public Disclosure Statement:* The USACE is issuing this notice pursuant to section 102(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.* The USACE believes it is important to inform the public of the environmental review process. To assist the USACE in identifying and considering issues related to the development of the System Plan, comments made during formal scoping and later on the draft PEIS should be as specific as possible. Reviewers should structure their participation in the environmental review of the proposal so that it is meaningful and alerts the USACE to the reviewers' position and contentions. It

is very important that those interested in this System Plan participate by providing comments throughout the study process so that substantive comments and objections are made available to the USACE at a time when they can meaningfully consider and respond to them.

The study team is currently open to receive comments at any time prior to the completion of the draft System Plan with integrated PEIS. Once the draft System Plan with integrated PEIS is published for public comment, a defined public comment period (likely 45 days) will be initiated. If you wish to comment, you can mail or email your comments as indicated under the **ADDRESSES** section. Before including your name, address, phone number, email address, or any other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment, including your personal identifying information, may be made available to the public at any time. While you can request in your comment for us to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Jeffrey D. Hall,

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any

responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so

requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. Each filing may be viewed on the Commission's website 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, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

Docket Nos.	File date	Presenter or requester
<i>Prohibited:</i>		
1. ER25-1674-000	4-09-2025	FERC Staff. ¹
2. P-1904-000	4-17-2025	FERC Staff. ²
P-1855-000		
P-1892-000		
<i>Exempt:</i>		
1. ER25-682-000	4-17-2025	New Jersey Governor Philip D. Murphy.
ER25-785-000		
2. EL22-78-000	4-17-2025	FERC Staff. ³

¹ Written communication dated 04/07/2025 from former FERC Chair/Commissioners James J. Hoecker, Donald F. Santa, Pat Wood, III, Nora Mead Brownell, Joseph T. Kelliher, John R. Norris, Neil Chatterjee, and Rich A. Glick.

² Response to email correspondence from John Ragonese.

³ Email communication dated 04/16/2025 from Paul Cicio of Industrial Energy Consumers of America.

Dated: April 22, 2025.

Carlos D. Clay,

Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings

Take notice that the Commission has received the following Natural Gas Pipeline Rate and Refund Report filings:

Filings Instituting Proceedings

Docket Numbers: RP25-832-000.

Applicants: ANR Storage Company.

Description: Compliance filing: 2025 Operational Purchases and Sales Report to be effective N/A.

Filed Date: 4/22/25.

Accession Number: 20250422-5052.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 5/5/25.

Docket Numbers: RP25-833-000.

Applicants: Bison Pipeline LLC.

Description: Compliance filing: 2025 Operational Purchases and Sales Report to be effective N/A.

Filed Date: 4/22/25.

Accession Number: 20250422-5053.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 5/5/25.

Docket Numbers: RP25-834-000.

Applicants: Blue Lake Gas Storage Company.

Description: Compliance filing: 2025 Operational Purchases and Sales Report to be effective N/A.

Filed Date: 4/22/25.

Accession Number: 20250422-5055.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 5/5/25.

Docket Numbers: RP25-835-000.

Applicants: Great Lakes Gas Transmission Limited Partnership.

Description: Compliance filing: 2025 Operational Purchases and Sales Report to be effective N/A.

Filed Date: 4/22/25.

Accession Number: 20250422-5060.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 5/5/25.

Docket Numbers: RP25-836-000.

Applicants: Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C.

Description: §4(d) Rate Filing: Negotiated Rate Agreements Filing—NextEra and Vitol to be effective 5/1/2025.

Filed Date: 4/22/25.

Accession Number: 20250422-5074.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 5/5/25.

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.

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

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

The Commission's Office of Public Participation (OPP) supports meaningful public engagement and participation in Commission proceedings. OPP can help members of the public, including landowners, community organizations, Tribal members and others, access publicly available information and navigate Commission processes. For public inquiries and assistance with making filings such as interventions, comments, or requests for rehearing, the public is encouraged to contact OPP at (202) 502-6595 or OPP@ferc.gov.

Dated: April 22, 2025.

Carlos D. Clay,

Deputy Secretary.

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