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North Dakota State Public Service Commission
600 E Boulevard, Dept. 408
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Subject: NDCC 49-22-04, Ten Year Plan, PU-06-312

Dear Mr. Lein,

In accordance with NDCC 49-22-04, FPL Energy Oliver Wind I, LLC hereby submits its 2014 Ten Year Plan.

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Submittal

Section A: Energy Conversion Facility

The FPL Energy Oliver Wind I Energy Center (“Oliver Wind”) is located approximately 20 miles Northwest of Bismarck in Oliver County, ND. Oliver Wind consists of 22 Siemens Mk II wind turbines and has been in production since December 2006. Oliver Wind contributes approximately 50.6 MW of renewable energy to the power grid. The project is not expected to retire in the next ten years—a Power Purchase Agreement is in place with Minnesota Power through the end of 2031.

Section B: Energy Conversion Facilities under Construction

1. Description: None
2. Status and Timetable: None

Section C: Proposed Energy Conversion Facilities on Which Construction is Intended Within the Ensuing Five Years

1. Location: None Contemplated
2. Size and Type: None Contemplated
3. Proposed Timetable: None Contemplated

4. Pollutants: None Contemplated

Section D: Proposed Energy Conversion Facilities During the Next Ten-Year Time Period

1. Location: None Contemplated
2. Size and Type: None Contemplated
3. Proposed Timetable: None Contemplated

Section E: Existing Transmission Facilities (Electric)

The Oliver Energy Center includes an electrical collection system that transports energy from the 22 turbine feeders to the wind project collector substation owned by FPL Energy Oliver Wind I, LLC. Oliver interconnects with the 230 kV transmission line owned by Square Butte Electric Cooperative at the Square Butte substation.

1. Commenced Commercial Operations December 2006
2. Projected Retirement Date: PPA through 2031, although useful life is projected to extend beyond that date

Section F: Existing Transmission Facilities (Pipeline)

1. Location: N/A
2. Type and Capacity: N/A
3. In service dates: N/A
4. Projected Retirement Dates: N/A

Section G: Proposed Transmission Facilities on Which Construction is Intended Within the Ensuing Five Years (Electric)

1. Location: None Contemplated
2. Geographic Service Area: None Contemplated
3. Facility Description: None Contemplated
4. Proposed Timetable: None Contemplated

Section H: Proposed Transmission Facilities on Which Construction is Intended Within the Ensuing Five Years (Pipeline)

1. Location: N/A
2. Geographic Service Area: N/A
3. Facility Description: N/A
4. Proposed Timetable: N/A

Section I: Proposed Transmission Facilities During the Next Ten-Year Time Period (Electric and Pipeline)

1. Location: None Contemplated
2. Probable Type: None Contemplated
3. Proposed Timetable: None Contemplated

Section J: Regional Coordination

1. Oliver Wind has a nameplate capacity of 50.6 MW and sells the output to Minnesota Power under a long-term power purchase agreement to meet the needs of their customers and member cooperatives.
2. N/A
3. N/A
4. N/A

Section K: Environmental Information

1. Oliver Wind conducted multiple environmental studies prior to construction of the facility and met all environmental requirements of the NEPA EA process. Ashtabula Wind is also committed to environmental compliance during project operation.
 - a. A comprehensive Wildlife Response and Reporting Manual is in place to record any avian fatalities and/or injuries that are found within the wind plant boundaries.
 - b. An Adaptive Management Plan was developed for both construction activities and post-construction operations. Appropriate responses for various types of avian sightings are detailed within.
 - c. Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure Plan specifies processes for dealing with all chemical, hazardous, and oil spills that may occur on the property.

Section L: Projected Demand for Services

1. Ten-year historical growth and forecast: N/A
2. Meet projected needs: N/A
3. Identify load centers, fuel sources: N/A

If you have any questions or require further information please do not hesitate to contact:



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