

NT Redispatch Project

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Project Overview & Drivers

- Under the NT Redispatch project, BPA is developing protocols and procedures for the provision of NT Redispatch from Federal and non-Federal designated Network Resources (DNR).
 - Expansion of NT Redispatch program to include non-Federal DNRs.
- Project Drivers
 - Reduction in FCRPS flexibility to provide redispatch.
 - Proactive expansion of resource pool to provide NT Redispatch and maintain reliable service to NT loads.

Customer Comments

- To the extent that additional, or more economical, resources for NT Redispatch may be available, BPA should ensure that they are dispatched within their physical constraints according to economic dispatch principles.
 - *NT Redispatch will be provided on a least cost basis, as required under the Tariff. BPA will consider the resource's physical constraints and ability to provide redispatch, in addition to its costs.*
- The initial list of DNR criteria for NT Redispatch constitutes a reasonable list of physical and economic constraints. The elements of pricing, compensation, and deployment appear to be absent however.
 - *In future discussions with customers, BPA will seek customer input and review of the elements of NT Redispatch compensation and deployment procedures.*

Customer Engagement Plan

- BPA will adopt the proposed timeline for NT Redispatch.
 - NT Redispatch FERC filing planned for June 2014, and engage customers in review of protocols and procedures.
- BPA will commence engaging NT Customers in review and technical discussions January 2014.
 - This will provide customers with an ability to focus on other, more immediate, BPA projects.