## ERCOT TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC) MEETING

ERCOT Met Center / 7620 Metro Center Drive, Austin, Texas 78744 **January 29, 2020; 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.** 

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Meeting Number: 624 034 920 Meeting Password: TAC

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1.	Antitrust Admonition	ERCOT Staff	9:30 a.m.
2.	Election of 2020 TAC Chair and Vice Chair (Vote)	ERCOT Staff	
3.	Approval of TAC Meeting Minutes (Vote)  November 20, 2019	TAC Chair	9:40 a.m.
4.	December Board Update	TAC Chair D. Maggio	9:45 a.m.
5.	Confirmation of 2020 Subcommittee Leadership (Vote)	TAC Chair	9:55 a.m.
6.	2020 TAC Goals and Strategic Initiatives (Possible Vote)	TAC Chair	10:00 a.m.
7.	OBDRR017, Related to NPRR987, BESTF-3 Energy Storage Resource Contribution to Physical Responsive Capability and Real-Time On-Line Reserve Capacity Calculations (Vote)		10:10 a.m.
8.	PRS Report (Vote)  NPRR826 Mitigated Offer Caps for RMR Resources	M. Henson	10:15 a.m.

- NPRR826, Mitigated Offer Caps for RMR Resources
- NPRR838, Updated O&M Cost for RMR Resources
- NPRR955, Define Limited Impact Remedial Action Scheme (RAS)
- NPRR963, **Base** Point Deviation Settlement and Deployment Performance Metrics for Energy Storage Resources (Combo Model)
- NPRR964, Improvement of RMR Process and Removal of Synchronous Condenser Unit and Agreement
- NPRR967, Remove the 10 MW Limit from the Definition of Limited Duration Resource (LDR)
- NPRR970, Reliability Unit Commitment (RUC) Fuel Dispute Process Clarification
- NPRR971, Replacing the Real-Time Average Incremental Energy Cost
- NPRR974, Capacity Insufficiency Operating Condition Notice (OCN) Transparency
- NPRR977, Create MIS Posting for RUC Cancellations
- NPRR978, Alignment with Amendments to PUCT Substantive Rule 25.505
- NPRR980, Accounting for NSO Forced Outages and GINR Inactive Projects in the Report on the Capacity, Demand and Reserves in the ERCOT Region
- NPRR982, Alignment of Block Load Transfer (BLT) Requirements Between Protocols and Nodal Operating Guide
- NPRR985, Modify Forward Adjustment Factors to Include Pricing for the Current Operating Day
- NPRR986, BESTF-2 Energy Storage Resource Energy Offer Curves, Pricing, Dispatch, and Mitigation - URGENT

- NPRR988, Correction to Conditions for DAM Award Eligibility for PTP Obligations with Links to an Option – URGENT
- SCR806, Adding QSE and DME Information to Disclosure Reports
- Notice of Withdrawal
  - NPRR938, Distribution Voltage Level Block Load Transfer (BLT) Compensation
  - NPRR946, Allow TDSPs to Use 814\_28, Complete Unexecutable Transactions for 814\_03 Switch Transactions Involved In A Mass Transition Event
  - NPRR976, Provisions for Resource Entities to Act as a Virtual QSE or Emergency QSE
- 9. Reliability and Operations Subcommittee Report (Vote)

• NOGRR183, Remedial Action Scheme (RAS) Submittal and Review Requirements

K. Bunch 10:40 a.m.

- 10. Retail Market Subcommittee Report
- Wholesale Market Subcommittee Report (Vote)
   VCMRR026, Related to NPRR970, Reliability Unit Commitment (RUC) Fuel Dispute Process Clarification
- E. Blakey 11:00 a.m.

11:20 a.m.

11:40 a.m.

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M. Mereness

- 12. Real-Time Co-optimization Task Force (RTCTF) Report (Vote)
  - KP1.1 subsections (2), (6), (7), and (8) Ancillary Service Demand Curves and Current Market Price Adders
  - KP1.2 subsection (3) System-Wide Offer Cap and Power Balance Penalty Price
  - KP1.3 subsections (11) and (14) Offering and Awarding Ancillary Services in Real-Time
  - KP1.4 subsections (3) and (4) Systems/Applications that Provide Input into the Real-Time Optimization Engine
  - KP1.5 subsections (14)-(16) Process for Deploying Ancillary Services
  - KP 1.6 subsection (5) Ancillary Service Imbalance Settlement
  - KP3 subsections (13) through (20) Reliability Unit Commitment
  - KP5 subsections (2)(a), (7)(b), and (7)(j) Day-Ahead Market
  - KP6 Market-Facing Reports
  - KP7 Performance Monitoring

13. Battery Energy Storage Task Force Report (Vote)

• Consolidated version of Key Principles

- K. Ragsdale 12:25 p.m.
- KTC-1 Definitions and Registration for Energy Storage Resources
- KTC-3 ESR Dispatch, Pricing and Mitigation
- KTC-5 Performance
- KTC-6 ESR Options to Maintain Desired Level of State of Charge
- KTC-7 Settlement

15. ERCOT Reports

- KTC-8 Wholesale Storage Load Treatment
- KTC-10 ESR Study & Capacity Assumptions
- 14. Distributed Generation Resource (DGR) Update

B. Blevins 12:45 p.m.

• Southern Cross Transmission Directive #7, Determination as to How M. Mereness to Manage Congestion Caused by DC Tie (Vote)

1:00 p.m.

MIS/ERCOT.com Enhancements
 Annual RUC Reporting Requirement (Protocol Section 5.8)
 Forecast Adequacy of the Budgeted System Administration Fee
 G. Gillmore

16. Other Business 1:40 p.m.

Market Payment Processes Update
 Adjourn
 L. Wiley
 TAC Chair

1:55 p.m.

Future TAC Meetings

• February 26, 2020

• March 25, 2020

Open Action Items from Previous Meeting(s)		Responsible Party
•	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	PRS/RTF
	in the RTF Scope	
•	3/23/17 – Transmission Loss Factors – inclusion of Transmission Losses in Real-	WMS/ROS
	Time Settlement and in transmission planning criteria	
•	11/30/17 – Review submission of TDSP read meter data for Loads with Interval	WMS
	Data Recorder (IDR) Meters and Non-Modeled Distributed Generators with Interval	
	Data Recorders prior to Initial settlement of an Operating Day (Settlement – WMS)	
•	5/24/18 – ERCOT to report on DC Tie curtailments under NPRR818	WMS/ERCOT
•	1/30/19 – Address battery energy storage integration issues	TAC/BESTF
•	3/27/19 – Real-Time Co-optimization Task Force (RTCTF) – Accomplish objectives	TAC/RTCTF
	as stated in the <u>RTCTF Charter</u>	
•	5/22/19 – Review DC Tie Treatment in Relation to Load (i.e. being treated as firm	WMS
	Load)	
•	5/22/19 – Methodology used to determine Peaker Net Margin	WMS
•	5/22/19 – Review of Protocols in relation to use of "Emergency Condition"	WMS/ROS

<u>S</u> ı	ımmer	Assessment Open Action Items (Assigned 11/20/19)	Responsible Party
•	Switch	able Generation Resources (SWGRs):	ROS/WMS
	0	Make sure settlement, operator interaction and offers align with the intent of	
		the Protocols and intended market design.	
	0	If necessary, propose changes to the Protocols	
	0	Exelon Items	
•	Emerge	ency Response Service (ERS):	ROS/WMS
	0	Reliability deployment price adder ramp.	
	0	Crossover between procurement time periods and calculation of the adder.	
	0	Self-deployment of ERS.	
	0	Communicating ERS Deployment	
•	Credit/	Collateral for QSE representing Resource only.	CWG/MCWG
	0	The potential default of a QSE representing a Resource instead of a trader	
		only or Customer Load has raised some potential gaps/policy considerations	
		for improvement. (e.g. should a generator be taken out of markets during	
		tight conditions?)	
•	Revert	to previous usage of Operating Condition Notices (OCNs) for projected	ROS/WMS
	reserve	capacity shortage being issued when there is a projected shortage of	

	available capacity, rather than committed capacity, for a future hour.  o An NPRR is not needed, although this change is addressed in NPRR974, as endorsed by PRS.	
•	Continue improvement on gas pipeline/gas generator coordination.  o Draft NPRR in development to document good faith coordination for Summer preparedness.	GEWG
•	Evaluate current TCEQ enforcement discretion process and look for improvements with managing potential emission limitation issues.	WMS
•	Process for Summer demand response study.  O Continue work with stakeholders to get the best available information to the PUCT in a more timely manner as part of the Summer assessment.  Currently the timing of data limits the October analysis to an approximation based on the preceding year.	RMS/ROS/WMS
•	Non-Frequency Responsive Capacity (NFRC) versus Physical Responsive Capability (PRC) reserves when Gen RRS is released.  O Accessing capacity by system-value has had some challenges relative to the current market design.	ROS
•	Review of Resource Adequacy forecasts and development of a Net Load forecast.	WMS