

This Week

WECC Fourth Quarter Statement of Activities and Variance Report Provided to NERC

The fourth quarter Statement of Activities and Variance [Report](#) have been provided to NERC. If you have questions, contact WECC Director of Finance and Accounting, [Jillian Lessner](#).

2016 Transmission Expansion Planning Policy Committee (TEPPC) Study Program Open Season Closing

The study request window for the [2016 TEPPC Study Program](#) opened on January 1, 2016, and will remain open until February 1, 2016. Stakeholders may also submit new or updated environmental and cultural data sets to be included in WECC's planning process.

Next Week

Committee/Subcommittee/Work Group

- The Technical Advisory Subcommittee (TAS) will [meet](#) at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, February 1, 2016, to noon on Tuesday, February 2, 2016, and will discuss the 2016 Study Program, the 2026 Common Case and Study Case PC26.
- The Western Renewable Energy Generation Information System (WREGIS) Stakeholder Advisory Committee (SAC) will hold a [webinar](#) from 11:00 a.m. to noon on Tuesday, February 2, 2016, to discuss business and SAC member concerns.
- The Scenario Planning Steering Group (SPSG) will [meet](#) at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 2, 2016, to noon on Wednesday, February 3, 2016, and will discuss the groups 2016 Work Plan, the 2016 Study Program, the 2026 Common Case and the 2034 Reference Case.
- The Performance Work Group (PWG) will [meet](#) at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 2, 2016, to noon on Wednesday, February 3, 2016, to meet with Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) staff about the Sylmar Converter Station, provide updates to the team about the BAL-002-WECC-2 Standard Audit Request (SAR), discuss potential changes to Primary Inadvertent calculations and accumulation, and other regular business.
- The Reliability Subcommittee will [meet](#) at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 3, 2016, to noon on Thursday, February 4, 2016, and among other business, will discuss the white paper on System Reliability and will review the Bulk Electric System (BES) Inclusion Guideline. This will be the final review of this document prior to submittal to the Planning Coordination Committee (PCC) for its consideration of approval.
- TEPPC will [meet](#) at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 3, 2016, to noon on Thursday, February 4, 2016, and among other business will discuss the 2015 Integrated

Transmission and Resource Assessment and the 2016 TEPPC Study Program.

- A WREGIS [User Training](#) will take place from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 4, 2016. This User Training will provide education and training on the use of WREGIS.
- The TEPPC Review Task Force will [meet](#) at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 4, 2016 to noon on Friday, February 5, 2016, to discuss differences between reliability-focused and economic-focused analysis, a framework for developing an “Anchor Case”, TEPPC Products, and the TEPPC Planning Cycles.

Training

- An Operating Within Limits [course](#) will take place at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 2, 2016, through 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 4, 2016, in Salt Lake City, Utah.

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