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JOINT QUARTERLY REPORT

As required by Ordering Paragraph No. 4 in the Final Order of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) in Docket No. 48400,¹ Rayburn Country Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Rayburn), Oncor Electric Delivery Company LLC (Oncor), and Electric Reliability Council of Texas, Inc. (ERCOT), jointly file this Quarterly Report regarding the integration of certain Rayburn load and associated facilities into the ERCOT System. Since Rayburn's and ERCOT's first Quarterly Report in this project,² the parties jointly report the following activities and status:

- 1) Rayburn and Oncor continue to coordinate regarding the construction of the Modified Alternative Option transmission facilities as required by Ordering Paragraph No. 11. The coordination will continue until completion of the facilities and the integration. At this time, Rayburn and Oncor anticipate that the integration could occur as early as January 6, 2020, subject to ERCOT approval.
- 2) On August 7, 2019, Rayburn's facilities to be transferred into ERCOT were uploaded into the ERCOT Network Operations Model, which will facilitate ERCOT's analysis of the integration and ensures Rayburn's facilities are included in future studies of the ERCOT System by ERCOT or Transmission Service Providers (TSPs). Rayburn and ERCOT continue to refine the transition plan initially submitted by Rayburn to ERCOT on March 19, 2019, which will be finalized 90 days before the integration date, as required by Finding of Fact Nos. 67 and 93, and Ordering Paragraph Nos. 1 and 3.
- 3) Rayburn and Oncor continue to coordinate on the construction of the transmission facilities and details of the integration plan. Rayburn and Oncor are scheduled to meet with ERCOT staff on September 12, 2019, to review the specifics of the construction plan and electrical cutover sequence to integrate the Rayburn load into ERCOT.

¹ *Joint Application of Rayburn Country Electric Cooperative, Inc. and Lone Star Transmission LLC to Transfer Load to ERCOT, For Sale of Transmission Facilities, and Transfer of Certificate Rights in Henderson and Van Zandt Counties*, Docket No. 48400, Final Order (Mar. 13, 2019).

² Rayburn and ERCOT previously filed separate quarterly reports in this project. The parties intend to make future quarterly reports in this project jointly, to the extent feasible.

- 4) In relation to the construction of transmission facilities as required by Ordering Paragraph No. 11, it should be noted that the location of the new Eustace Southeast 138 kV switching station to be constructed by Rayburn was relocated northwest of the originally planned location. The switching station is now closer to Rayburn's existing facilities, rather than Oncor's existing facilities. This requires the existing Oncor transmission line facilities required for the Rayburn integration to be extended to accommodate the cut-in of the Eustace Southeast switching station.
- 5) Rayburn notifies the Commission and interested parties that, contemporaneously with the filing of this Quarterly Report, Rayburn is filing an application for approval of a wholesale transmission service credit rider, as required by Ordering Paragraph No. 9 in the Final Order in Docket No. 48400. The Final Order requires Rayburn to file an application for a credit rider at least four months before the integration date, which could be as early as January 6, 2020.

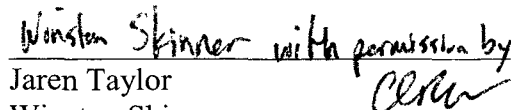
Rayburn, Oncor, and ERCOT will continue to work together to complete the actions necessary to integrate Rayburn's load and facilities into the ERCOT System, and will provide the Commission any additional information requested with regard to this update or the status of the integration.

Respectfully submitted,



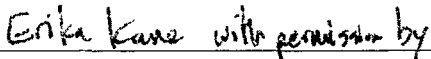
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