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To: Florida Public Service Commission (via: email)

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Should you have any questions or problems with the electronic attachment please do not hesitate to contact me via email or at the phone number provided below.

Respectfully,

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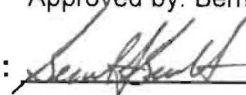


STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE

Generating Fuel Emergency Plan

Revision 5, Effective 01/25/12

Approved by: Bernie Budnik

Approved: 

REV. #	DATE	REVISION DESCRIPTION
5	01/25/12	Performed review, updated procedure to remove RCID Balancing Authority reference.

1. FORWARD

- a) Reedy Creek Energy Services (RCES) is the operating agent for the Reedy Creek Improvement District (RCID) utility systems. RCES is responsible for procuring/generating the electrical capacity and energy to provide service to the RCID electrical customers. Currently RCES operates three generating units; one 55 MW combined cycle unit and two 2.3 MW diesel engines. The combined cycle unit has dual fuel capability with natural gas being the primary fuel and fuel oil as the alternate. Both diesel-generating units operate solely on fuel oil. RCID's generation equals roughly 30% of its electrical resources with the balance provided through purchase power agreements from neighboring utilities and generating resources.

2. PURPOSE

- a) The purpose of this procedure is to outline the responsibilities and actions taken by personnel to ensure a continuous source of fuel for RCID's electrical generation resources and contingency actions necessary in the event of a shortage of fuel resources.

3. REFERENCES

- a) Florida Public Service Commission Rule 25-6.0185
- b) FRCC Generating Capacity Shortage Plan, July 2007
- c) NERC Reliability Standard EOP-002-3; Capacity & Energy Emergencies

4. NOTES

- a) Per Public Service Commission Rule 25-6.0185 this procedure is to be reviewed every three years with subsequent notification to the Commission of the review completion. Any modification to the plan requires Commission approval upon the notification of review.
- b) All modifications to the plan require notification and submission of the plan to the Florida Reliability Coordinating Council.
- c) This procedure serves as a supplement to the FRCC Generating Capacity Shortage Plan. Local action necessary to respond to and mitigate the impact of fuel emergencies are contained in this document. Regional reporting and coordination requirements are contained in the FRCC procedure and will not be reproduced within this document.

5. **RESPONSE TO ENERGY EMERGENCIES DUE TO INADEQUATE FUEL SUPPLY**

- a) Entrance Conditions – *The following conditions will constitute the declaration of a Energy Emergency and require action per the following steps:*
- i) Declaration of a fuel supply emergency by the Governor of Florida.
 - ii) Implementation of any element of the FRCC Generating Capacity Shortage Plan by the FRCC State Capacity Emergency Coordinator or designee.
 - iii) Inability to meet projected firm RCID electrical load due to inadequate (*or projected inadequate*) fuel supplies and/or purchase power.
 - iv) Inability to meet real-time firm RCID electrical demand due to inadequate fuel supplies.
- b) The RCES Energy Control Center shall be notified of the Energy Emergency as soon as possible after identification.
- c) The FRCC shall be notified of resource adequacy by means of the FRCC Daily Capacity Assessment report and by notification to the State Emergency Capacity Coordinator. **NOTE:** *The daily capacity assessment report is completed day ahead during winter months and morning of the peak during summer months by Balancing Authorities within the FRCC Region. RCES submits Capacity Assessment information to Progress Energy Florida (PEF) for inclusion into the PEF Capacity Assessment report. The FRCC State Capacity Emergency Coordinator may request more frequent capacity assessments during emergency conditions in order to more accurately assess the region's capabilities.*
- d) The **Energy Control Center** shall communicate real time system condition to the **Balancing Area Operator** and the FRCC Reliability Coordinator. As necessary, the Energy Control Center shall request the Reliability Coordinator to issue an Energy Alert in accordance with Attachment 1-EOP-002-2.1.
- i) An Energy Emergency Alert may be initiated for the following reasons:
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 - b) Resources cannot be scheduled due to, Available Transfer Capability (ATC) limitations or transmission loading relief limitations.
 - ii) Refer to EOP-002 Attachment 1 for Energy Alert Levels and circumstances necessary for the declaration of each.
 - iii) If ATC limitations are precluding the scheduling of energy imports, request the Reliability Coordinator to evaluate transmission limitations in accordance with EOP-002.
- e) **Plant operations** personnel shall be notified of the Energy Emergency and determine the following:
- i) Generating unit availability and maximum capacity.
 - a) Report to Utility Business Affairs **available maximum generating plant capacity and expected fuel burn on each fuel to achieve maximum capacity.**
 - ii) Unit fuel source and availability of alternate fuels in the event of a primary fuel shortage.

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- iii) Report ability to reschedule, restore or postpone maintenance activities impacting available generating capability.
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7. Revision History

REV.	DATE	REVISION DESCRIPTION
4	02/15/10	- Performed annual review, updated procedure format and added reference to NERC Energy Emergency classifications.
3	01/29/09	- Performed review and updated references – no other changes or modifications.
2	12/6/08	- Performed annual review during System Operator Training – no changes or modifications. Due to PCS reporting requirements – no change has been made to the revision number.
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1	01/27/06	- Required three year review per Florida Public Service Commission
0	03/07/03	- Initial



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Generating Fuel Emergency Plan

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