

DATES: Deadline for transmittal of applications: October 1, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Submit your application by email to NRS@ed.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John LeMaster, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20202-7240. Telephone: (202) 987-0903. Email: John.LeMaster@ed.gov.

If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability and wish to access telecommunications relay services, please dial 7-1-1.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department's regulations for Measuring Educational Gain in the National Reporting System for Adult Education, 34 CFR part 462 (NRS regulations) at <https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-34/subtitle-B/chapter-IV/part-462>, include the procedures for determining the suitability of tests for use in the NRS.

There is a review process that will begin on October 1, 2026. Only tests submitted from publishers by the due date will be reviewed in that review cycle, 34 CFR 462.10 at <https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-34/subtitle-B/chapter-IV/part-462/subpart-B/section-462.10>. If a publisher submits a test after October 1, 2026, the test will not be reviewed until the review cycle that begins on October 1, 2026.

Criteria the Secretary Uses: In order for the Secretary to consider a test suitable for use in the NRS, the test must meet the criteria and requirements established in 34 CFR 462.13 at <https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-34/subtitle-B/chapter-IV/part-462/subpart-B/section-462.13>.

Submission Requirements

(a) In preparing your application, you must comply with the requirements in 34 CFR 462.11 at <https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-34/subtitle-B/chapter-IV/part-462/subpart-B/section-462.11>.

(b) In accordance with 34 CFR 462.10, the deadline for transmittal of applications in this fiscal year is October 1, 2026.

(c) Applications are due by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on October 1, 2026. You must retain a copy of your sent email message and the email attachments as proof that you timely submitted your application.

(d) We do not consider applications submitted after the application deadline date to be timely for the October 1, 2026, review cycle. If an application is submitted after the October 1, 2026, deadline date, the application will be considered timely for the October 1, 2027, deadline date.

Accessible Format: On request to the program contact person listed under **FOR**

FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT, individuals with disabilities can obtain this document in an accessible format. The Department will provide the requestor with an accessible format that may include Rich Text Format (RTF) or text format (txt), a thumb drive, an MP3 file, braille, large print, audiotape, compact disc or other accessible format.

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Casey K. Sacks,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Career, Technical, and Adult Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. CP13-499-006, CP13-502-003]

Constitution Pipeline Company, LLC, Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.; Notice of Availability of the Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Constitution Pipeline and Wright Interconnect Projects

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) has prepared an environmental assessment (EA) for the Constitution Pipeline and Wright Interconnect Projects (Projects), proposed by Constitution Pipeline Company, LLC (Constitution) and Iroquois Gas Transmission System, LP (Iroquois), respectively, in the above-referenced dockets.¹ Constitution

¹ For tracking purposes under the National Environmental Policy Act, the unique identification number for documents relating to this environmental review is EAXX-019-20-000-1780563178.

requests authorization to construct and operate the Constitution Pipeline Project's (CPP) facilities in Susquehanna County, Pennsylvania and Broome, Chenango, Delaware, and Schoharie Counties, New York. Iroquois requests authorization to construct and operate the Wright Interconnect Project's (WIP) facilities in Schoharie County, New York.

Any person wishing to comment on the EA may do so. To ensure consideration of your comments on the proposal prior to making a decision on the Projects, it is important that the Commission receive your comments on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on September 21, 2026. Instructions for filing comments are provided on page 3.

FERC is the lead federal agency for authorizing interstate natural gas transmission facilities under the Natural Gas Act of 1938 (NGA) and the lead federal agency for preparation of the EA. The EA assesses the potential environmental effects of the CPP and WIP in accordance with the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)² and the Commission's implementing regulations.³ The principal purposes of the EA are to: identify and assess the potential effects on the natural and human environment; describe and evaluate reasonable alternatives; identify and recommend mitigation measures; and facilitate public involvement in the environmental review process. The EA concludes that approval of the proposed Projects would not constitute a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

The EA addresses the potential environmental effects of the construction and operation of the following Project facilities:

- the CPP would entail about 125 miles of new 30-inch-diameter natural gas pipeline and appurtenant facilities that include two new meter stations, ten communication towers, eleven mainline valves, and one pig launcher and one pig receiver,⁴ access roads, contractor yards, and cathodic protection ground beds; and

- the WIP would involve expansion of the existing Wright Compressor Station with the addition of 22,000

² National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended (Public Law [Pub. L.] 91-190, 42 U.S. Code [U.S.C.] 4321-4347, as amended by Pub. L. 94-52, July 3, 1975; Pub. L. 94-83, August 9, 1975; Pub. L. 97-258, 4(b), September 13, 1982; Pub. L. 118-5, June 3, 2023; Pub. L. 119-21, July 4, 2025).

³ 18 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 380.

⁴ A pig is an internal tool that can be used to clean and dry a pipeline and/or to inspect it for damage or corrosion.

horsepower of incremental compression (i.e., "Constitution Transfer Station") and other miscellaneous modifications as well as modification and upgrade of the existing delivery meter to the Tennessee Gas Pipeline or construction of a new delivery meter.

The Commission mailed a copy of the *Notice of Availability* of the EA to federal, state, and local government representatives and agencies; elected officials; Native American Tribes; environmental and public interest groups; potentially affected landowners and other interested individuals and groups; and media outlets and libraries in the Projects area. The EA is only available in electronic format. It may be viewed and downloaded from the FERC's website (www.ferc.gov), on the natural gas environmental documents page (<https://www.ferc.gov/industries-data/natural-gas/environment/environmental-documents>). In addition, the EA may be accessed by using the eLibrary link on the FERC's website. Click on the eLibrary link (<https://elibrary.ferc.gov/eLibrary/search>), select "General Search" and enter the docket number in the "Docket Number" field, excluding the last three digits (i.e., CP13-499 and/or CP13-502). Be sure you have selected an appropriate date range. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FercOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

The EA is not a decision document. It presents Commission staff's independent analysis of the environmental issues for the Commission to consider when addressing the merits of all issues in this proceeding. Under section 7(c) of the NGA, the Commission determines whether interstate natural gas transportation facilities are in the public convenience and necessity and, if so, grants a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct and operate them. The Commission bases its decisions on both economic issues, including need, and environmental effects.

Your comments should focus on the EA's disclosure and discussion of potential environmental effects, reasonable alternatives, and measures to avoid or lessen environmental effects. The more specific your comments, the more useful they will be. For your convenience, there are three methods you can use to file your comments to the Commission. The Commission encourages electronic filing of comments and has staff available to assist you at (866) 208-3676 or FercOnlineSupport@ferc.gov. Please

carefully follow these instructions so that your comments are properly recorded.

(1) You can file your comments electronically using the eComment feature on the Commission's website (www.ferc.gov) under the link to FERC Online. This is an easy method for submitting brief, text-only comments on a project;

(2) You can also file your comments electronically using the eFiling feature on the Commission's website (www.ferc.gov) under the link to FERC Online. With eFiling, you can provide comments in a variety of formats by attaching them as a file with your submission. New eFiling users must first create an account by clicking on "eRegister." You must select the type of filing you are making. If you are filing a comment on a particular project, please select "Comment on a Filing"; or

(3) You can file a paper copy of your comments by mailing them to the Commission. Be sure to reference the project docket number (CP13-499-006 and/or CP13-502-003) on your letter. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

Filing environmental comments will not give you intervenor status, but you do not need intervenor status to have your comments considered. Only intervenors have the right to seek rehearing or judicial review of the Commission's decision. At this point in this proceeding, the timeframe for filing timely intervention requests has expired. Any person seeking to become a party to the proceeding must file a motion to intervene out-of-time pursuant to Rule 214(b)(3) and (d) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedures (18 Code of Federal Regulations § 385.214(b)(3) and (d)) and show good cause why the time limitation should be waived. Motions to intervene are more fully described at <https://www.ferc.gov/how-intervene>.

For public inquiries and assistance with making filings such as interventions, comments, or requests for rehearing, contact the Office of Public Participation at (202) 502-6595 or OPP@ferc.gov. Additional information about the Projects is available from the FERC website (www.ferc.gov) using the eLibrary link. The eLibrary link also provides access to the texts of all formal

documents issued by the Commission, such as orders, notices, and rulemakings.

In addition, the Commission offers a free service called eSubscription which allows you to keep track of all formal issuances and submittals in specific dockets. This can reduce the amount of time you spend researching proceedings by automatically providing you with notification of these filings, document summaries, and direct links to the documents. Go to <https://www.ferc.gov/ferc-online/overview> to register for eSubscription.

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Dated: August 21, 2026.

Debbie-Anne A. Reese,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Combined Notice of Filings #1

Take notice that the Commission received the following Electric Rate filings:

Docket Numbers: ER21-21-008.

Applicants: Harts Mill Solar, LLC.

Description: Compliance filing: Compliance Filing for Rate Schedule FERC No. 1 to be effective 6/6/2025.

Filed Date: 8/21/26.

Accession Number: 20260821-5071.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 9/11/26.

Docket Numbers: ER25-1845-005.
Applicants: Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.

Description: Compliance filing: Amendment to Compliance Filing to be effective 3/1/2026.

Filed Date: 8/21/26.

Accession Number: 20260821-5042.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 9/11/26.

Docket Numbers: ER26-2697-002.
Applicants: PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.

Description: Tariff Amendment: Amendment of Amended ISA, SA No. 1442; NQ-123 in Docket No. ER26-2697-001 to be effective 4/22/2026.

Filed Date: 8/21/26.

Accession Number: 20260821-5170.

Comment Date: 5 p.m. ET 9/11/26.

Docket Numbers: ER26-2775-001.
Applicants: Three Rivers Solar Power, LLC.

Description: Tariff Amendment: Response to Deficiency Letter and Request for Expedited Action to be effective 6/17/2026.

Filed Date: 8/21/26.