


STANDARDS OF CONDUCT REMINDER – any information or work-in-progress the working group shares internally which is considered Transmission Information may not be shared with others unless previously posted on the respective Transmission Providers' OASIS.

General Information			
<b>Project</b>	<b>Planning Group</b>	<b>Project Leader</b>	<b>Kip Sikes</b>
<b>From Date</b>	<b>March 23, 2007</b>	<b>To Date</b>	<b>March 30, 2007</b>
	<b>Reason for spotlight color:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Some stakeholders have been responding to updated information</li> <li>Milestone dates pushed out to increase public comment</li> </ul>		

Activities Performed This Period
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order 890 work stream established as separate effort. – (milestones removed below)</li> <li>Updated map developed in 3/14 meeting and published on web for 2 week comment period.</li> <li>Regional and WECC meetings are defining long-term (Phase 2) study plan requirements and processes.</li> <li>Validation of additional load and resource data for map</li> </ul>

Project Plan Milestones	Planned MM/DD/YY	Forecasted MM/DD/YY	Completed MM/DD/YY
1) Initial Stakeholder Meeting	1/31/07	1/31/07	1/31/07
2) Finalize 5, 10, 15 year load growth requirements	2/28/07	2/28/07	2/28/07
3) Open Stakeholder meeting – Portland	3/14/07	3/14/07	3/14/07
establish fast track project process and candidate project list	3/14/07	4/13/07	
4) Conduct Fast Track Project Studies	6/30/07	6/30/07	
Finalize study plan	3/31/07	4/6/07	
initial prep work	4/6/07	4/13/07	
conduct public web meeting on fast track study progress & OATT strawman- need to verify with 890 Team if this is still the target	4/4/07	4/18/07	
conduct public meeting on fast track study progress & OATT strawman	5/11/07	5/11/07	
7) Public meeting and publish Short-Term Planning assessment report	6/30/07	6/30/07	
8) Establish Long-Term Regional Study Process Addressing Seams	7/31/07	7/31/07	
9) Coordinate Integrated Resource Plans within NTTG Footprint	7/31/07	7/31/07	

Activities Planned for Next Period
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Receive stakeholder input, update information, then republish and notify of updates</li> <li>Update additional load and resources on Hub and Spoke developed in 3/14 meeting and publish on web for 2 week comment period. – have also received additional wind resource information to include.</li> <li>Communication with stakeholders as new data is added to map for comment</li> <li>Set next public meeting date and agenda</li> </ul>

Problem Areas / Risk Management
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Communication and outreach with stakeholders needs additional effort</li> </ul>