

July 29, 2020

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

Attention: Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary

Re: El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C.;

Docket No. CP18-332-000

South Mainline Expansion Project; Environmental Affirmative Statement

Commissioners:

El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C. ("EPNG") is hereby filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("Commission") in Docket No. CP18-332-000, its post-construction Environmental Affirmative Statement for the South Mainline Expansion Project.

Description of Proceeding

On April 27, 2018, EPNG submitted its application, pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act ("NGA") requesting a certificate of public convenience and necessity for authorization to construct, own, and operate: (i) an approximately 17-mile, thirty-inch diameter loop line of its existing Line Nos. 1100 and 1103 between Hueco and El Paso, Texas; (ii) the new Red Mountain Compressor Station in Luna County, New Mexico; and (iii) the new Dragoon Compressor Station located in Cochise County, Arizona. This project is referred to as the "South Mainline Expansion Project" or "Project." On November 21, 2019, the Commission issued an Order granting EPNG's requested certificate.¹

Environmental Affirmative Statement

In compliance with Environmental Condition No. 11 of the Appendix to the Order, EPNG is filing its post-construction Environmental Affirmative Statement certifying that the South Mainline Expansion Project facilities were constructed and installed in compliance with all applicable conditions and that continuing activities will be consistent with all applicable conditions.

See El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C., 169 FERC ¶ 61,133 (2019).

Filing Information

EPNG is e-Filing this letter and attachment with the Commission's Secretary in accordance with the Commission's Order No. 703, *Filing Via the Internet*, guidelines issued on November 15, 2007 in Docket No. RM07-16-000.

Respectfully submitted,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY, L.L.C.

By: /s/
Francisco Tarin
Director, Regulatory

Attachments

cc: Mr. Douglas Cotton, OEP

STATE OF COLORADO)
COUNTY OF EL PASO)

WILLIAM D. WIBLE, being first duly sworn, on oath, says that he is the Vice President of the Regulatory Department of El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C.; and, as such, certifies that all of the facilities constructed and installed pursuant to the authority granted in Docket No. CP18-332-000 have been done in accordance with all applicable certificate conditions except as previously identified in the filed status reports, and that continuing activities will be consistent with all applicable conditions; that, as such Officer, he has executed the same for and on behalf of said Company with full power and authority to do so; and that the matters and facts set forth therein are true to the best of his information, knowledge and belief.

By

William D. Wible

Vice President, Regulatory

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, the undersigned authority, on this 29th day of July, 2020.

KAREN LYNN HARTLEY Notary Public - State of Colorado Notary ID 19944008440 My Commission Expires Jul 23, 2022 Karen Lynn Hartley

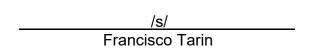
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My Commission Expires: July 23, 2022

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that I have this day caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Commission's Secretary in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of Section 385.2010 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Dated at Colorado Springs, Colorado as of this 29th day of July, 2020.



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