

**W**elcome to the June issue of the *WAPA and markets* newsletter. This month's update is shorter, reflecting the considerable analysis and evaluation underway at WAPA to examine market-related opportunities.

Read more about these efforts below.

## DSW POSTS CUSTOMER MEETING MATERIALS; ANNOUNCES OATT REVISION

The [presentation](#) and [recording](#) of Desert Southwest's May 24 customer meeting are now available on the [DSW Energy Imbalance Market activities](#) webpage. During the meeting, employees went over the status of several EIM implementation activities.

In addition, on June 3, WAPA [announced an OATT revision process](#) for DSW EIM participation. The new Attachment T will address DSW's participation in the California Independent System Operator Western EIM much like Attachments R and S did for the other regions' real-time market participation. The revision will also follow a similar process with redline changes being available on the [Open Access Same-Time Information System](#) around July 1, kicking off an informal 30-day comment period. A [webinar](#) on the revision is scheduled for July 14.

Employees continue to work on finalizing the full network model for CAISO, identifying new and modified business practices, developing a rate adjustment proposal and determining the Hoover pseudo-tie arrangements.

More information on DSW's effort is available on the [DSW energy imbalance market activities webpage](#).



## SPP RTO-WEST BRATTLE STUDY ANALYSIS CONTINUES

WAPA anticipates receiving final results of the expanded Brattle Study for the Southwest Power Pool Regional Transmission Organization-West initiative this summer. If the study results, as well as other factors, support moving forward with a recommendation to pursue final negotiations to expand our participation in the SPP RTO, WAPA will initiate a public process in the *Federal Register* this fall.

Stay apprised on the latest news regarding this effort at the [SPP RTO membership effort webpage](#) located on [The Source](#).



## WAPA PARTICIPATING IN DAY-AHEAD MARKET PROPOSAL DEVELOPMENT

The CAISO and SPP day-ahead market proposals continue to gain momentum as interest grows across the West. Seventeen utilities have signed a letter of interest to explore both day-ahead market proposals.

At WAPA, DSW and Sierra Nevada employees have responded to a request for comments on the CAISO Extended Day-Ahead Market straw proposal. Employees across WAPA attended SPP's Markets+ design meeting in Westminster, Colorado, the first week of June. Next steps for SPP include publishing a white paper to reflect what was discussed, more working group meetings and establishing a target timeline for preliminary commitment toward end of the year.

For more information on both day-ahead market designs, visit the [SPP Markets+](#) and the [CAISO EDAM](#) webpages.



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