

These comments are submitted on behalf of the Irrigation & Electrical Districts' Association of Arizona (IEDA). Fourteen of IEDA's twenty-five members and associate members contract with WAPA for this power.

As you know, IEDA is a Board Member of CREDA. As such, we fully endorse and support CREDA's comments filed earlier today and will not repeat them. We also commend and support the thoughtful Tri-State G&T comments submitted before the original deadline.

We only will add a few thoughts.

Customer collaboration has been a hallmark of CRSP management and such collaboration will be needed even more in the future. The marketing criteria should assure that the agency/customer relationship stays strong and that resource flexibility is maintained.

While we continue to experience drought conditions on the Colorado River, things will change and WAPA should be ready to deliver all available energy to its firm electric service customers under all hydrologic conditions. That delivery clearly fits the mandate of Section 7 of the 1956 Act authorizing the Project.

Finalizing these criteria will allow WAPA, its customers and other interested parties to focus on the important tasks, technical issues and contracting process we need to initiate as soon as possible.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on these important criteria.

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Sent from my iPhone