Western Area Power Administration (WAPA)
Transmission Infrastructure Program (TIP)

Recommended Format for the Submission of the Project Proposal

Section A: Application Information

1. Project Name. Provide project title and brief description.

2. Evidence of Authority. Provide description of the ownership rights of the project envisioned for development.

3. Availability of Funding. Provide a representation of source(s) of funds to be used during application and development period to include current funds available and any required fundraising efforts required for development. The source(s) of funds for construction is not required.

4. Project Participants. Identify the equity owners and project development management team. Provide details for envisioned ownership structure for construction and operations.

5. Applicant Point of Contact Information. Provide sole point of contact for communications with respect to this proposal.

Section B: Brief Project Description

1. Executive Summary. Provide a technical and commercial description of the project including preliminary details for construction, operations, and offtake. Identify major milestones and actions completed to date.

2. Map as appropriate

Section C: Project Criteria

Consistent with the requirements set forth in the Recovery Act, WAPA will use the following criteria in evaluating projects:

1. The Project facilitates the delivery to market, of power generated from renewable resources constructed or reasonably expected to be constructed.

2. The Project has at least one terminus in WAPA's service territory.

3. The Project will establish the reasonable expectation that it will generate enough transmission service or other revenues to repay the principal investment, all operating costs including overhead, and accrued interest by the end of the Project's service life.

4. The Project does not impact transmission system reliability or operations.

5. The Project is in the Public Interest.

Note: Project Applicants are encouraged to provide concise representations and answers for each required item not to exceed ten pages.