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1. Purpose/Objective

The purpose of this document is to identify approved Construction contractors that interconnection customers shall utilize to provide engineering services for a facility that Duke Energy Indiana / Duke Energy Ohio / Duke Energy Kentucky will own and operate in the future.

2. Scope

On April 19, 2018, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) issued its final rule of Order 845, addressing reform of generator interconnection procedures and agreements for generators of more than 20 megawatts (MW). To interconnect generation projects to the grid, interconnection customers and transmission providers must coordinate the construction and ownership of new transmission line facilities, a substation at the point where the generation will interconnect with the grid, and, if necessary, any additional upgrades to the transmission provider's transmission system required to handle the increased generation capacity.

In addition, order No. 845 allows interconnection customers the option to build transmission provider's interconnection facilities, which will then be owned and maintained by the transmission provider.

3. Definitions

List of Approved Contractors - shall mean a list developed by each Transmission Owner and published in a PJM Manual of (a) contractors that the Transmission Owner considers to be qualified to install or construct new facilities and/or upgrades or modifications to existing facilities on the Transmission Owner's system, provided that such contractors may include, but need not be limited to, contractors that, in addition to providing construction services, also provide design and/or other construction-related services, and (b) manufacturers or vendors of major transmission-related equipment (e.g., high-voltage transformers, transmission line, circuit breakers) whose products the Transmission Owner considers acceptable for installation and use on its system.

Interconnection Customer – A person or entity that interconnects a distributed generation facility to an electric distribution or transmission system.

Transmission Provider – Any public utility that owns, operates, or controls facilities used for the transmission of electric energy in interstate commerce. (i.e., Duke Energy)

4. Approved Construction Contractors

Transmission vendors are subject to change, below is a list of currently approved construction contractors that the Interconnect customer shall utilize for projects in the Duke Energy Indiana, Duke Energy Ohio, and Duke Energy Kentucky service territories. Upon request with supporting justification from the Interconnection Customer, Duke Energy will evaluate candidate contractors not listed below for single project approval. Once the Interconnection Customer has entered into an agreement the Customer shall contact Duke Energy to review and ensure the most up to date approved contractor list is referenced.

Interconnection Customer is responsible for providing a list of all contractors and subcontractors they intend to utilize on the project. Interconnection Customer shall provide documentation associated with their company's contractor and subcontractor vetting and approval process to Duke Energy.

4.1. Substation Construction

- Glenwood Electric
- Vaughn Industries
- Cianbro
- LE Myers Co.
- Great Southwestern
- PAR Electric
- Service Electric Company
- Newkirk Electric
- New River Electric
- Sachs Electric Company

4.2. Protection and Controls Construction

- EPSI
- Premier Power
- Qualus LLC

4.3. Transmission Line Construction

- Intren
- LE Myers Co.
- PAR Electric
- Service Electric Company
- C&C Powerline
- Kent Power
- Hydaker-Wheatlake
- Cianbro
- J.W. Didado Electric
- MJ Electric

4.4. Transmission Site Development / Access Erosion Control Construction

- KWEST Group LLC
- TT Maintenance
- Davidson Excavating
- Williams Creek Management Corporation
- UTS Engineering
- Lubovich Excavating
- McIntyre Brothers

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