

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

DCR Transmission, L.L.C.

Docket Nos. ER23-2309-001
ER24-1394-001
EL26-34-000
(consolidated)

ORDER ADOPTING REVISED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

(Issued June 2, 2026)

1. On May 29, 2026, various participants identifying themselves as the Active Participants¹ filed with the Chief Administrative Law Judge (Chief Judge) and me a joint motion for an extension of the Initial Decision deadline for this case, an updated procedural schedule, and waiver of the motion's answer period.² Earlier today, the Chief Judge issued an order granting the Motion in part by waiving the standard 15-day answer period pursuant to Rule 213(d) (18 C.F.R. § 385.213(d) (2025)) and extending the initial decision deadline from September 14, 2026, to November 2, 2026.³ In this order, I grant the remainder of the Motion by adopting new procedural milestones for the remainder of this proceeding.
2. The Active Participants make their Motion "to accommodate: (1) the complexity of this case, which has required more time than originally estimated for examination of

¹ The Active Participants consist of DCR Transmission, L.L.C.; the California Department of Water Resources State Water Project and the Northern California Power Agency; the California Independent System Operator Corporation; the California Public Utilities Commission; the Cities of Anaheim, Azusa, Banning, Colton, Pasadena, and Riverside, California; the Electricity Transmission Competition Coalition; and Commission Trial Staff.

² Unopposed Joint Expedited Motion for Extension of Procedural Schedule and Adoption of Updated Procedural Schedule and Request for Waiver of Answer Period, Docket Nos. ER23-2309-001, ER24-1394-001, and EL26-34-000 (filed May 29, 2026) (Motion).

³ Order of Chief Judge Granting Request to Extend Track Schedule Deadline, at PP 2-3 (June 2, 2026) (Chief Judge Order).

witnesses; and (2) the need to avoid certain federal holidays and certain dates when Active Participants or the Presiding Judge will not be available.”⁴ The Active Participants note that under the current procedural schedule, they anticipated that the hearing would end on May 8, 2026, but they now expect the hearing to end on June 5, 2026.⁵ As a result, they will not be able to complete their initial briefs before the present due date of June 15, 2026.

3. In support of the Motion, Active Participants assert that all the participants in these proceedings either support or do not oppose this Motion, including the request to waive the answer period.⁶

4. Because the participants all support or do not oppose the proposed procedural schedule, because the Chief Judge has extended the Initial Decision deadline in this proceeding,⁷ and because the updated procedural schedule will allow efficient and more comprehensive completion of the record and the Initial Decision, I GRANT the Motion as to its proposed procedural schedule, and in the Appendix, I ADOPT new procedural deadlines for the remainder of these consolidated proceedings.

SO ORDERED.

Joel deJesus
Presiding Administrative Law Judge

⁴ Motion at 2.

⁵ Motion at 3; *see also* Order Amending Procedural Schedule (Mar. 13, 2026).

⁶ Motion at 4.

⁷ Chief Judge Order at P 3.

APPENDIX

**Procedural Schedule for Remainder of *DCR Transmission, L.L.C.*,
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June 2, 2026

Deadline	Procedural Milestone
June 5, 2026	Anticipated Last Day of Hearing
June 15, 2026	Joint Procedural History, and Final Index/Certification of Exhibits
June 22, 2026	Joint Statement of Proposed Corrections for Transcript Errata
July 30, 2026	Filing of Initial Briefs
September 10, 2026	Filing of Reply Briefs
November 2, 2026	Initial Decision