## 2022-2023 IRP Technical Conference February 17, 2022



#### 2022 IRP Schedule

#### February 17, 2022 – Technical Conference

- Review IRP Standards and Guidelines
- Review 2021 PSC Order regarding IRP
- LNG Project Update
- DEQP Sale Update and Contract Discussion

#### April 19, 2022 – Technical Conference

#### CONFIDENTIAL MEETING

- Heating Season Review
- Gas Supply Hedging
- Wexpro Matters (Confidential)
- RFP Review (Confidential

# May 17, 2022 – Technical Conference June 28, 2022 – Technical Conference Rural Expansion Update Presentation and Review of 2022-2023 IRP IRP. Project Detail Discussion Presentation and Review of 2022-2023 IRP

- IRP Project Detail Discussion
- Long-Term Planning
- Sustainability Update
- System Integrity



#### **IRP Standards and Guidelines (2009)**

Guideline	Update
Changes to customer growth models	IRP Report – Customer & Gas Demand Forecast Section
Changes to linear programming optimization (LPO) model (SENDOUT)	IRP Report – Final Model Results Section
Changes to DSM models	IRP Report – Energy Efficiency Section
Supply/demand forecasts, SENDOUT and DSM results	IRP Report – Customer & Gas Demand Section
Gas quality and gas storage issues	IRP Report – Gathering, Transportation, & Storage Section
Changes to Gas Network Analysis (GNA) models	IRP Report – System Capabilities and Constraints
GNA model results	IRP Report – System Capabilities and Constraints
Integrity management issues	IRP Report – Integrity Management Section
Other issues	Scheduled as needed



## **Review of 2021 PSC Order Regarding IRP**

- 2021-2022 IRP "generally complies with the requirements of the Standards and Guidelines"
- Adopted DEU's commitments to:
  - Include additional details related to any management decision to "override" the SENDOUT model
  - Include a subsection labeled "Long-Term Planning" within the "System Capacity and Constraints" section of the IRP
  - Keep interested parties updated with regards to the Joint Operating Agreement DEU has with QPC
  - Provide a summary of the interruption analysis conducted in future IRPs
  - Provide additional information regarding gate stations in future IRPs
  - Include Total Miles Assessed under the Integrity Management section in future IRPs
  - Explain the impact of changes DEU initiates to its modeling in future IRPs
  - Provide greater detail about material discussed in IRP Technical Conferences in future IRPs
  - Review the results of its hedging program and provide a proposal for the future of the program in a 2022 IRP Technical Conference



## Feb 10, 2022 Stakeholder Meeting

- Attended by representatives from DEUWI, the Office and the Division
- Topics discussed included clarification on items ordered by the UTPSC based on the 2021-2022 IRP and any other issues of concern:
  - Concerns regarding use of the SENDOUT model
    - Operational considerations for "overriding" the model guidance
    - Why are changes made to the model programming and what impact they have on the model results
  - Discussion of what should be included in the "Long Term Planning" subsection of the IRP
  - Request for detail on how the Joint Operating Agreement (JOA) with DEQP will be handled going forward
  - Request for discussion on the splitting of DEUWI/QPC gas control operations
  - Discussion on inclusion of detail from IRP Technical Conferences in the IRP
  - Request to include information on Lost and Unaccounted for Gas (LAUF) from "1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> parties"
  - Request to describe how the LNG facility will be utilized once completed



#### 2022-2023 IRP Outline

- Executive Summary
- Introduction
- Customer and Gas Demand Forecast
- System Capabilities and Constraints
  - Long-Term Planning
- Distribution System Action Plan
- Integrity Management
- Environmental Review
- Purchased Gas
- Cost-of-Service Gas

- Gathering, Transportation, and Storage
- Supply Reliability
- Sustainability
- Energy Efficiency
- Model Results
- Guidelines
- Appendix
- Glossary



## LNG Update



#### Magna LNG

#### **Project is on schedule for expected October in-service**



Category	Percentage complete
Engineering	100%
Procurement	99%
Fabrication	100%
Construction	63%
Overall total	74%



### Magna LNG

#### Strong safety and environmental performance



 Since breaking ground 15 months ago, the project has accrued ~550,000 hours worked with a labor force that has peaked at 225 individuals

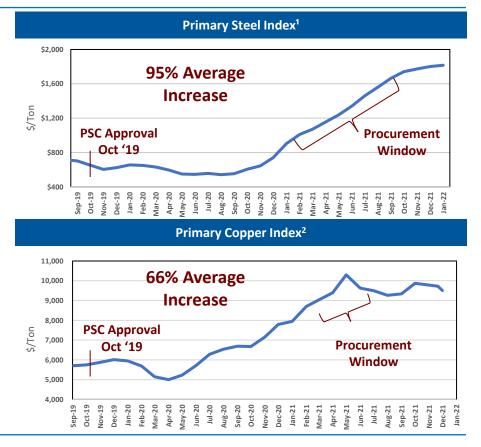
Total OSHA recordable incidents: One

Total reportable environmental events: Zero



#### Magna LNG COVID impacts

- Main project commodities increased
   66-95% after PSC approval
  - COVID-driven
  - Budgeted inflation: 2.3% per year
- Main project commodities include:
  - <u>Steel</u>: Tank walls, piling & structural steel
  - <u>Copper</u>: Wires, cabling & electrical Equipment
  - Schedule recovery due to supply chain delays









#### Magna LNG Thermal Exclusion Zone



Exclusion zone: Magna Water property



Exclusion zone:

Kennecott property

#### Magna LNG RFP ranking – revenue requirement





**Dominion** Source: Revenue Requirements as calculated in 19-057-13 DEU Highly Confidential 1.07.xls

# Questar Pipeline Sale Update and Contract Discussion



#### **Dominion Energy Sale of Questar Pipeline**

- Dominion Energy announced the closing of the sale of Questar Pipelines on December 31, 2021
  - Assets valued at \$1.975 billion sold to Southwest Gas Holdings
  - This included all transportation and storage assets in Utah, Wyoming and Colorado
  - This includes Questar Pipeline, Overthrust Pipeline, Clay Basin storage facilities and Aquifer facilities
- Impact on gas supply service to DEUWI
  - Joint Gas Control will be split
  - DEUWI confirmations and scheduling functions will transition to DEUWI
  - DEUWI contracts with Questar Pipeline will not be negatively impacted
  - Joint Operating Agreement will continue going forward



#### **DEUWI contracts with Questar Pipeline**

- Transportation
  - Contract 241
    - Current Expiration 6/30/2027
  - Contract 6136
    - Current Expiration 6/30/2027
  - Contract 2945
    - Renewed effective 4/1/2022 with a new expiration of 3/31/27
    - Provides seasonal capacity that utilizes Overthrust Pipeline (high demand) with key receipt points
  - Contract 2361
    - Currently in year-to-year evergreen (11/10/22)
    - Max rate contract
    - Considering longer term renewal (5 year) prior to evergreen expiration in November 2022
    - Analysis discussion to be included as part of the IRP
  - Contract 6546 (Overthrust Pipeline)
    - Current Expiration 6/30/2027



#### **DEUWI contracts with Questar Pipeline**

- Firm Peaking Service
  - Addendums to Contract 241
    - Contracts were month-to-month through 2020-2021 heating season
    - Contracts extended prior to 2021-2022 heating season
    - November 15 February 14 each year through 2024
    - Will continue to seek additional options for meeting this need as we go forward
- No Notice Transportation
  - Contract 987
    - Currently in year-to-year evergreen (6/30/22)
    - Max rate contract
    - Reserves capacity on the pipeline to allow for adjustments
    - Significantly less expensive than firm transportation capacity
      - Monthly reservation of \$.86 per Dth vs. \$5.28804 per Dth
    - Planning longer term renewal (5 year) prior to evergreen expiration in June 2022
    - Analysis discussion to be included as part of the IRP



### **DEUWI contracts with Questar Pipeline**

- Storage
  - Clay Basin
    - Contract 997 Current Expiration 3/31/2025
    - Contract 935 Current Expiration 4/30/2024
    - Contract 988
      - Current Expiration 4/30/2022
      - Storage is in high demand
      - Required for operations
      - Planning to renew (5-year term) prior to expiration in April 2022
      - Analysis discussion to be included as part of the IRP
  - Aquifers
    - Contract 984 Current Expiration 8/31/2023
    - Contract 985 Current Expiration 8/31/2023
    - Contract 986 Current Expiration 8/31/2023



# **Questions?**

