

**TWO ELK GENERATION PARTNERS, FILED**  
**Limited Partnership**

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Via U.S. Mail

Mr. David A. Finley, Administrator  
Air Quality Division  
Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality  
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**Two Elk Generating Station – Unit 1**  
**Permit No. CT-1352B**  
**Status Report No. 20**

Dear Mr. Finley:

In accordance with the Wyoming Environmental Quality Council Order of June 30, 2005 – “Order Granting Motion to Dismiss”, Two Elk Generation Partners, Limited Partnership (“TEGP”) is pleased to provide Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality – Air Quality Division (“WYDEQ”) with this twentieth monthly status report for the Two Elk Generating Station, Unit 1 (the “Facility”).

***Licensing & Permitting***

All permits are in full force and effect at this time.

### ***Financing***

TEGP continues to work with TEGP financial advisors and prospective financial participants in developing and optimizing financial structures for the Project.

### ***Transmission and Power Purchase Agreements***

TEGP continued coordination activities involving PacifiCorp on the March 9, 2004 TEGP Electric Interconnection and Electric Transmission Open Access Tariff (the "OATT") application continuing with PacifiCorp.

Electric Interconnection - In accordance with the PacifiCorp and TEGP executed *Large Generator Interconnection Facilities Study Agreement*, PacifiCorp prepared the draft *Large Generator Interconnection Facilities Study* (the "Study") in November 2006. On December 23, 2006, PacifiCorp notified TEGP that in its internal review, PacifiCorp identified new Wyoming oil and gas loads representing approximately 300 MW of new electric load growth which was not accounted for in the Study. Both TEGP and PacifiCorp agree that the likely result of a re-Study would include a substantial reduction in the cost of achieving TEGP's requested Network Resource Interconnection and a significant reduction in the time required to construct the upgrades necessary for TEGP's requested Network Resource Interconnection.

PacifiCorp issued the final *Large Generator Interconnection Facilities Study* on January 9, 2007 without re-performing the Study in light of the Wyoming load growth. PacifiCorp issued the draft *Large Generator Interconnection Agreement* on January 16, 2007 which included the final *Large Generator Interconnection Facilities Study* as an appendix among other appendices and attachments. TEGP has responded to PacifiCorp citing the need for PacifiCorp to re-perform the Study prior to issuing the final *Large Generator Interconnection Facilities Study* and the draft *Large Generator Interconnection Agreement*. PacifiCorp is performing the re-Study.

Electric Transmission - PacifiCorp previously stated that PacifiCorp will perform a stability analysis during the Transmission Facilities Study stage. PacifiCorp previously submitted to TEGP the first results of Pacific's Transmission Facility Study: "*Antelope Mine Substation – Wasatch Front Transmission Project Corridor Study*". This study identified existing and potential transmission corridor(s) which PacifiCorp would utilize to provide transmission service to TEGP. TEGP previously requested that PacifiCorp submit to TEGP the PacifiCorp Power Flow Studies performed for the Study (and re-Study) in order to confirm the assumptions and cost basis contained in the Study (and re-Study). TEGP has again requested that PacifiCorp submit to TEGP Power Flow Studies.

Conclusion of PacifiCorp interconnection and transmission matters is required to finalize power purchase agreements which have been initiated with new customers in Utah and Arizona.

TEGP and PacifiCorp are continuing coordination on both interconnection and transmission matters.

### ***Engineering***

Bechtel Power Corporation – the Facility’s Engineering, Procurement and Construction contractor and Foster Wheeler North America Corporation and manufacturer and supplier of the Facility’s main boiler are the primary providers of engineering and engineering work products. Activities include:

- Regular and periodic coordination
- Review and coordination of equipment schedules

TEGP continues its review of the bid specification package for the main access road.

Completion of this task is required to release subsequent construction of the main access road, allowing site construction of the Facility to proceed going forward.

### ***Procurement***

Bechtel has informed TEGP that Foster Wheeler North America Corporation’s Notice of *Force Majeure*, resulting from hurricane events in the Gulf coast region is no longer in effect, pursuant to the Bechtel Power Corporation purchase order with Foster Wheeler.

### ***Construction***

Construction of the main access road is required to release site construction to proceed.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

TWO ELK GENERATION PARTNERS,  
Limited Partnership

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Yueh", with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

Daniel D. Yueh, Vice President  
North American Power Group, Ltd. for  
Two Elk Power Company, its  
General Partner