ATC Quarterly Customer Meeting

Midwest ISO Update August 23, 2007



Free Rider Issue
Ancillary Service Market update
Introduction of Eric Williams

Free Rider Issue

This issue revolves around Market Participants adjacent, but just outside the market footprint

- Are they getting benefits from MISO without paying the costs?
- Generally 3 schools of thought.....

Free Rider Issue

- Adjacent MP's believe they are contributing to the MISO without being "free riders"
- Other MP's feel the adjacent entities are in fact getting benefits without paying their fair share
- Yet others feel MISO has bigger things to think about
- MISO stakeholders and Board to provide direction

ASM Update

FERC issued an order rejecting the February 15th filing

- Provided guidance on most major design issues
- Requested Market power study, which Dr. Patton is preparing
- Requested a reversion plan which is being developed w/BA's

ASM Update

- Requested development of readiness metrics, which is being developed by stakeholders and SAIC
- Requested MISO and stakeholders work on seven specific market design items.
- Stakeholder meetings have been planned and initiated to gain input

ASM Update – Events that may impact market launch

- Resolution of Market Design issues w/stakeholders to support Sept 14th filing
- FERC order substantially alters proposed design or not issued by end of year
- Quality of Vendor Software Deliveries
- Delays in BA Agreement

ASM Update – Events that may impact market launch

- Approval of ERO/Regional entities to perform BA Functions
- MISO, Local BA's and MP Operational readiness
- Project is on schedule but contingency in schedule has been depleted

Questions?

Customer Management Transition