

Subject: Parachute Abandonment

On January 30, 2009, Northwest Pipeline GP ("Northwest") will file an application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for permission to abandon Northwest's operation of the Parachute Lateral facilities ("Facilities"). This application is a follow-up to Northwest's filing in Docket No. CP06-45, in which the Commission approved Northwest's abandonment by sale of the Facilities. Contemporaneous with Northwest's filing of the application, Parachute Pipeline, LLC, a subsidiary of Williams Field Services Company, LLC, and the owner of the Facilities, will file a Petition for Declaratory Order that the Facilities function as non-NGA-jurisdictional gathering.

With Northwest's abandonment of its operation of the Facilities, all Northwest transportation agreements for service on the Facilities will be terminated, and all services on the Facilities will be available through agreements with Parachute Pipeline LLC.

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