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#### July/August 2019 Highlights

The FERC insight gives you a monthly snapshot of FERC news – you get the latest news from the monthly Commission meeting and schedules for upcoming conferences and Commissioners' speeches/presentations, as well as links to Commission orders, notices and new reports. The next FERC insight, Volume 4, will publish after the September 19, 2019, Commission meeting.



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FERC to Create New LNG Division, Open Houston Regional Office
Chairman Neil Chatterjee has announced that the agency is creating a new division in its
Office of Energy Projects to accommodate the growing number and complexity of
applications to site, build and operate liquefied natural gas export terminals.



#### FERC Streamlines Processes for Market-Based Rate Sellers

FERC finalized two rules intended to ease the regulatory burden for electric power sellers with market-based rate authority, while ensuring the Commission continues to prevent the potential exercise of market power. Read more>



# FERC & NERC Release Report on Jan 2018 Extreme Cold Weather Event

FERC and the North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) have released a joint staff report that once again stresses the need for generation owners and operators to adequately prepare for winter weather conditions to ensure bulk electric system reliability. Read More> Report>



#### Chairman Chatteriee Talks Electricity Storage

FERC Chairman Neil Chatterjee joined the FERC Open Access podcast in July to discuss the game-changing nature of electricity storage technologies and what FERC is doing to help ensure those technologies are part of a competitive wholesale power market. Listen Here>



#### Keeping The Lights On: Addressing Cyber Threats To The Grid

OER Director J. Andrew Dodge testified before the House Energy and Commerce Subcommittee on Energy on "Keeping the Lights On: Addressing Cyber Threats to the Grid". Watch Here>

#### July Marks Commissioner LaFleur's Final Commission Meeting

She's been Chairman, Acting Chairman and Commissioner. Cheryl LaFleur celebrated her final Commission meeting at FERC after nine years, one of our longest-serving Commissioners. Current /former staff and current/former Commissioners provided



heartfelt messages and stories of the unwavering guidance and dedication Commissioner LaFleur has provided to the agency. We wish her the best in her future endeavors, and will miss her New England pride!

Chairman Neil Chatterjee Statement> Lafleur Announcement Tweet>

### A Look Ahead

- July 30, 2019 Dentons Global Energy Horizons Summit, Washington DC, Commissioner LaFleur will be speaking (Event Details)
- August 6, 2019 FERC Environmental Review and Compliance for Natural Gas Facilities Seminar, Providence, RI (Event Details)
- August 14-15, 2019 FERC Staff lead Emergency Action Plan Exercise (EAP) Design Course in Colorado Springs, CO (Event Details)
- September 10-11, 2019 FERC To Convene a Technical Conference on Managing Transmission Line Ratings, Washington DC (Event Details)
- September 11, 2019 National Coal Council Keynote Dinner, Washington DC, Chairman Neil Chatterjee will be speaking (Event Details)
- September 12, 2019 NYT DealBook DC Strategy Forum, Washington DC, Chairman Neil Chatterjee will be speaking
- September 16-17, 2019 GasTech 2019, Houston, TX, Chairman Neil Chatterjee and Commissioner Bernard McNamee will be speaking (Event Details)
- September 17, 2019 PJM Footprint Roundtable, Washington DC, Commissioner Bernard McNamee will be speaking (<u>Event Details</u>).
- September 17, 2019 IPPNY 34th Annual Fall Conference, Gideon Putnam Saratoga Springs, NY, Commissioner Richard Glick will be speaking (Event Details)
- September 19, 2019 Commission Meeting (<u>Free Webcast</u>)
- September 23-25, 2019 Southern States Energy Board 59th Annual Meeting, Louisville, KY, Chairman Neil Chatterjee will be speaking (Event Details)



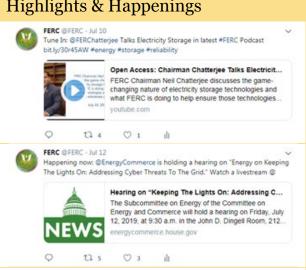
FERC Staff Issues Energy Infrastructure Update for May 2019
This is a monthly review of infrastructure projects under FERC jurisdictional energy infrastructure. Reports are primarily of an investigative and informational nature.

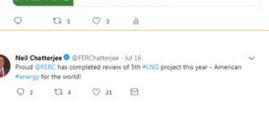
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Chairman and Commissioners at the July 2019 meeting.

## Highlights & Happenings







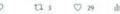


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