

Reliability Backstop Procurement

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July 31	RBP Filing , Docket No. ER26-3380
July-September	Post-CIFP Workshops , July 31 August 10 August 28 September 14
September 24	Phase 1 Manual Language Endorsement
September 29	Anticipated FERC Order
September 30*	RBP Submission Window Opens
October 21*	RBP Submission Window Closes
December 2*	Results Posted
December 9	2029/2030 BRA

Workshop	Topics	
7/31/2026	• Review of updated proposal based on Board Decisional Letter	
8/10/2026	• Key dates • Determination of Final RBP Target and Electric Distributor zone/area allocations	• Submission window details • Selection process • Capacity must offer obligation
8/28/2026	• Key date reminders • Settlements • Delivery Year obligations	• Cost allocation to LSEs • LSE credit requirement
9/14/2026	• Key date reminders • LSE Credit Requirement Clarifications	• RBP Application Participant Training

[Workshops](#) facilitated discussion about the details of executing the Reliability Backstop Procurement, as filed on July 31, 2026 (ER26-3380).

Draft manual language was posted and redlined between workshops based on stakeholder feedback.

	Manual	Scope	Timing
Phase 1	M18 Attachment F	Execution of the RBP submission window, target determination, selection, and RPM participation obligation	Endorsement today will be pending FERC Order
Phase 2	M18 Attachment F	Conforming changes pertaining to Phase 1, as needed	Endorsement upon first read at October 28, 2026 MRC
Phase 3	M18 Attachment F, and potentially others as needed	Conforming changes for management of RBP commitments, LSE credit, delivery year obligations, and settlements	Endorsement at MRC by 2Q 2027

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Appendix: RBP Application Information

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RBP Application: Response Form Overview

The forms capture submissions & supporting evidence for the Evaluation Team review.

OVERVIEW

Purpose

Sell Offers: Collects the participant, project, bid, collateral, and gating information required from parties submitting offers into the PJM Reliability Backstop Procurement (“RBP”).

Offsets: Collects information on the load to be offset, Qualifying RBP Offset UCAP MW, and supporting evidence.

Opt-Outs: Collects information on the load to be opted out and supporting evidence.

How submissions are reviewed

PJM and CRA (the “Evaluation Team”) use the information to evaluate submission compliance and support economic and qualitative screening. Gating requirements are assessed before an offer proceeds to selection assessment.

KEY DATES & TERMS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2026	RBP application opens
OCTOBER 21, 2026	Responses due by 12:00 p.m. EPT
OCTOBER 22, 2026	Selection process begins
DECEMBER 2, 2026	Selection results released
DECEMBER 9, 2026	2029/2030 BRA opens (commitments finalized prior)

5 CALENDAR DAYS	Potential cure period for identified deficiencies, subject to the bid-window deadline
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Confidentiality: Information submitted in response to this RBP will be treated in accordance with applicable PJM confidentiality provisions. During the RBP process, PJM and its agents (CRA) may disclose information to limited parties to facilitate economic and qualitative screening, subject to written confidentiality agreements.

Questions: pjm_cra_rbph hotline@pjm.com

Participants can access the RBP Response Forms at pjmbackstop.com

FORM INFORMATION

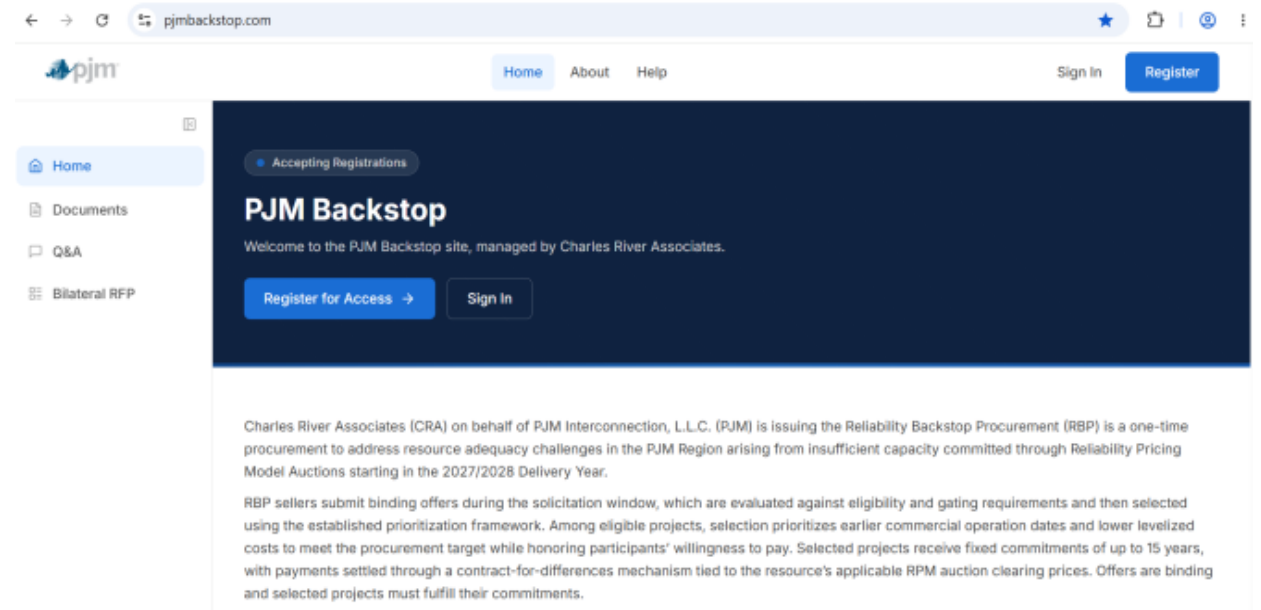
Will be sent out to all Market Participants and posted on pjmbackstop.com

PDF versions for review are posted on the information website.

The final form link, with an Excel version for collaboration across entities working on a submission, will be available on September 30 when the bid window opens.

Submissions must be completed through the online form, not by filling out and emailing the PDF or Excel file.

WEBSITE

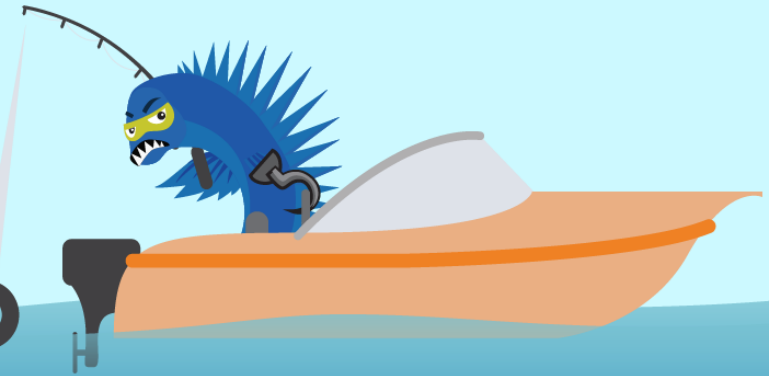


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