

M13 Section 3 Wild Fire Procedures

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Wild Fire Procedure

- Frequent events across PJM system
- Limited existing PJM manual language
- Incorporated feedback from last SOS meeting

PJM Actions



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- Consult with staff meteorologists to evaluate extent of wild fire risk and discuss with impacted transmission and generation owners.
- Run real time and future studies for impacted transmission facilities that may have to come out of service due to active fires
- Coordinate with Transmission Owners to evaluate restoration of outaged transmission lines and cancellation of future outages.
- Evaluate if conservative operations needs to be issued under section 3.2 of M13
- Conduct System Operations Subcommittee calls, as needed
- Ensure that neighboring Reliability Coordinators are aware of fires, as needed



Transmission Owner Actions

- Discuss with PJM red flag warnings or known wild fire risk conditions that may impact the BES with as much notice as possible
- Notify PJM in advance or as soon as possible of any circuits that will be de energized due to fires or to prevent wild fire risk
- Evaluate existing and future transmission outages and communicate to PJM the need to recall or reschedule outages
- Evaluate and communicate to PJM the need to turn off reclosing on any MP1 facilities
- Review and evaluate ratings on facilities that are impacted by fires and communicate to PJM if there is the need to derate facilities





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