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## NPCC Members and Entities of the NERC Registered Ballot Body:

The NPCC Regional Standards Committee (RSC) has been engaged in reviewing and following the drafting activities of the Project 2021-07 *Extreme Cold Weather Grid Operations, Preparedness, and Coordination*.

The primary purpose of this project is to address the reliability related findings from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), NERC, and Regional Entity Joint Staff Inquiry into the February 2021 Cold Weather Grid Operations.

The project proposes revisions to EOP-011-2 – *Emergency Preparedness and Operations* and the development of a new standard EOP-012-1 – *Extreme Cold Weather Preparedness and Operations*.

On May 31, 2022, the RSC conducted an outreach session with the leadership of the Project 2021-07 Drafting Team to review the proposed standards and provide feedback on any issues surrounding the development of these standards.

In recognition of the RSC concerns, NPCC as the Regional Entity will be casting an ‘**Abstention**’ on the posted materials.

The RSC will be submitting comments which address identified concerns.

Thank you.

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