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#### VIA ELECTRONIC DELIVERY

Clerk of Council Council of the City of New Orleans Room 1E09, City Hall 1300 Perdido Street New Orleans, Louisiana 70112

> Re: CNO Docket No. UD-17-04 - Resolution Directing Entergy New Orleans, Inc. to Investigate and Remediate Electric Service Disruptions and Complaints and to Establish Minimum Electric Reliability Performance Standards and Financial Penalty Mechanisms

Dear Clerk of Council:

Attached please find Entergy New Orleans, LLC's ("ENO") Third Quarter 2024 Reliability Plan Project Status Report January 1, 2024 through September 30, 2024 which is being submitted for filing in the above-referenced docket pursuant to Council Resolution R-18-98.

ENO submits this filing electronically and will submit the requisite original and number of hard copies once the Council as directed. ENO requests that you file this submission in accordance with Council regulations as modified.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me. Thank you for your courtesy and assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Kevin T. Boleware

Enclosure

cc: Official Service List UD-17-04 (via electronic mail)

# ENTERGY NEW ORLEANS, LLC'S RELIABILITY PROJECT STATUS REPORT FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2024 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

Entergy New Orleans, LLC ("ENO" or the "Company") respectfully submits its third quarter Reliability Project Status Report. This report summarizes the ongoing reliability and transmission projects that are in progress through September 30, 2024.

#### **Strategic Reliability**

ENO continues to make significant progress on its 100% Lateral Program. During the reporting period, the Company has completed work on 13 out of the 19 feeders planned for 2024, with the remaining 6 feeders currently in construction. Additionally, 11 feeders originally scheduled for 2024 were completed ahead of schedule in 2023.

#### Fix-It-Now ("FIN") Reliability Crew

ENO's Fix-It-Now ("FIN") reliability crew has diligently performed inspections to identify and prevent potential outages that could result from imminent failure conditions. This includes infrared inspections of distribution facilities, annual equipment inspections, and targeted facility inspections. The crew has also investigated repeat outages to address the root causes and ensure timely repairs. The crew completed the 2024 inspections for ENO's service area.

#### **Pole Program**

As part of the 2024 cyclical pole inspection, ENO has inspected approximately 7,000 poles on 17 feeders, completing the inspections for the service area. Deficient poles have either been restored or flagged for replacement, as necessary

#### **Sectionalization**

The Sectionalization program continues to connect existing reclosers to the growing communications network. Currently, 63% of the reclosers are on the automated network, allowing for remote resolution of some transient faults. During the third quarter, 3 additional reclosers were

commissioned, increasing the percentage from 61% to 63%. CBD Mesh Network The Central Business District (CBD) Mesh Network Action Plan, developed in mid-2021, has progressed as planned. The two transformers projected to be replaced in 2024 have been successfully completed.

#### **CBD Mesh Network**

The Central Business District (CBD) Mesh Network Action Plan was developed mid-2021.

The two (2) transformers projected to be replaced in 2024 have been completed.

#### **Transmission**

The Transmission team has made significant progress, replacing 81 arresters year-to-date, including 21 arresters in the third quarter. This work is crucial for maintaining the reliability and resilience of the transmission system.

Below ENO has provided a status update on projected Transmission reliability projects to be worked in 2024, with costs incurred through September 30, 2024.

ENO is committed to providing reliable and resilient power to its customers. The Company is available to discuss this report and reliability efforts in further detail, if desired.

Table 1:

<u>Projected Capital and Operation and Maintenance Expenditures for Achieving Distribution System Reliability</u>

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Category (\$ millions)	Sum of YTD Actuals	Sum of YTD Budget	Sum of YTD Variance		
Routine Reliability Programs (Capital)					
Equipment Inspection	0.02	0.00	0.01		
FOCUS	0.00	0.10	-0.10		
Internal	2.16	2.21	-0.05		
Pole	2.63	5.21	-2.59		
Sectionalization	0.36	0.07	0.29		
Strategic Reliability	5.62	5.29	0.33		
URD/Cable	0.32	0.33	-0.01		
Subtotal Capital	11.10	13.22	-2.11		
Reliability (O&M)	1.51	2.37	-0.87		
Vegetation Management (O&M)	2.46	3.07	-0.61		
Subtotal O&M	3.97	5.44	-1.48		
Total (Capital and O&M)	15.07	18.66	-3.59		

Note: Amounts may not tie due to rounding and the YTD budget may vary from the YTD Actuals pending the number of projects completed per calendar year, which may result in a variance to the YTD sum.

## **2024 Transmission Reliability Project Status Updates**

WO #s <b>↓</b> 1	Substation	Project Status 🔻	Work Description	Construction	EST ISD	▼ Actual ISD	<b>▼</b> AM	Financial\ 🕶	Sept	t YTD Act
C6MS400007	NOTRE DAME	Complete	Standard Animal Mitgation - Install Full Cover-up/Barrier G	7/14/2023	1/3/2024	1/3/2024	\$	708,750	\$	157,457
C6MS400055	DELTA	Complete	Replace 13.8kV OCB 244-2	5/13/2024	6/1/2024	6/6/2024	\$	225,540	\$	309,936
C6MS400048	ALMONASTER	Complete	Add Crime Cameras	6/10/2024	6/21/2024	6/21/2024	\$	20,790	\$	11,649
C6MS400049	CURRAN	Complete	Add Crime Cameras	6/17/2024	6/21/2024	6/21/2024	\$	20,790	\$	370
C6MS400008	DELTA	Complete	Standard Animal Mitigation Gaps	11/1/2023	6/23/2024	6/24/2024	\$	913,500	\$	361,853
C6MT400016	MICHOUD SWYD	Complete	Add Crime Cameras	8/5/2024	6/24/2024	6/24/2024	\$	20,790	\$	412
C6PPHBN180	GULF OUTLET	Complete	Install Security Fence	5/13/2024	8/1/2024	8/1/2024	\$	800,100	\$	683,752
C6MS400089	DERBIGNY	Complete	Replace 24kV OCB 1504-2	7/22/2024	8/2/2024	8/2/2024	\$	225,540	\$	304,757
C6MS400032	GULF OUTLET	Complete	Replace Low-voltage Arresters	9/1/2024	8/25/2024	8/26/2024	\$	23,310	\$	28,982
C6MS400051	GULF OUTLET	Complete	Add Crime Cameras	8/5/2024	8/31/2024	9/1/2024	\$	20,790	\$	-
C6MS400052	CLAIBORNE	Complete	Replace 13.8 kV OCB 184-2	8/12/2024	9/30/2024	9/26/2024	\$	225,540	\$	374,857
C6MS400054	NOTRE DAME	Complete	Notre Dame: Rplc 13.8kV OCB 1849-2	8/26/2024	9/30/2024	9/18/2024	\$	225,540	\$	112,626
C6MS400034	CURRAN	In Construction	Replace Low-voltage Arresters	9/2/2024	10/3/2024		\$	40,320	\$	26,357
C6MS400041	DELTA	In Construction	REPLACE HV CB RENEWAL - N0223 (T2 HIGH SIDE BREAKER)	9/23/2024	10/10/2024		\$	378,000	\$	605,713
C6MS400074	DELTA	In Construction	Replace T2 Diff Panel	9/23/2024	10/10/2024		\$	282,240	\$	13,238
C6MS400015	AVENUE C	In Construction	Install TransGard Bird Laser System	8/6/2024	10/16/2024		\$	567,000	\$	301,369
C6MS400020	AVENUE C	In Construction	Install TransGard Fence	8/19/2024	10/16/2024		\$	244,440	\$	142,343
C6MS400012	CLAIBORNE	In Construction	Install TransGard Laser Bird System	9/9/2024	10/16/2024		\$	243,180	\$	320,480
C6MS400056	DELTA	In Construction	Replace 13.8kV OCB 254-2 and Ohio Brass Arresters	10/7/2024	10/24/2024		\$	225,540	\$	186,476
C6PPHBN181	ALMONASTER	In Construction	Install Security Fence	8/1/2024	10/29/2024		\$	674,100	\$	829,674
C6MS400042	DELTA	In Construction	REPLACE HV CB RENEWAL - N0233 (T3 HIGH SIDE BREAKER)	10/21/2024	11/21/2024		\$	378,000	\$	333,949
C6MS400075	DELTA	In Construction	Replace T3 Diff Panel	10/21/2024	11/21/2024		\$	282,240	\$	69,441
C6MS400018	AVENUE C	In Progress	Standard Animal Mitigation Gaps	11/1/2024	11/30/2024		\$	50,400	\$	-
C6PPHBN421	CLAIBORNE	In Construction	Interior Enclosure and HVAC	7/15/2024	12/20/2024		\$	643,565	\$	190,115
C6MS400053	NOTRE DAME	In Progress	Replace 13.8kV OCB 1827-2 and Ohio Brass Arresters	12/2/2024	12/20/2024		\$	225,540	\$	40,218
C6MS400050	MARKET STREET 115	In Progress	Add (5) HR Cameras for Superbowl Driven Security and Car	11/1/2024	12/31/2024		\$	20,790	\$	-
C6MS400019	NAPOLEON	In Progress	Standard Animal Mitigation Gaps	4/10/2023	12/31/2024		\$	243,810	\$	17,038
C6PPGG2252	TRICOU	Deferred	T4 Install Animal Mitigation	1/6/2025	1/31/2025		\$	23,940	\$	1,168
C6PPGR0285	TRICOU	Deferred	T4 LTC Upgrade: Replace the "33" micro-switch, 16L and 16	1/6/2025	1/31/2025		\$	16,380	\$	437
C6PPGR0302	TRICOU	Deferred	Transformer Life Extension T4	1/6/2025	1/31/2025		\$	453,600	\$	6,340
C6PPGR0095	PONTCHARTRAIN PARK	Deferred	Add Standard Animal Mitigation	2/3/2025	2/28/2025		\$	90,720	\$	61,270
C6MS400035	MARKET STREET 230kV	Deferred	Replace Low-voltage Arresters	4/18/2025	5/2/2025		\$	17,640	\$	7,657
C6MS400037	SHERWOOD FOREST	Deferred	Replace Low-voltage Arresters	1/23/2026	8/14/2026		\$	23,310	\$	13,744
F1PPU75835	SHERWOOD FOREST	In Construction	Sherwood Forest Sub Circuit Brkr Add	9/26/2023	2/17/2025		\$	5,454,186	\$	3,727,503

### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket No. UD-17-04

I hereby certify that I have served the required number of copies of the foregoing report upon all other known parties of this proceeding, by the following: electronic mail, facsimile, overnight mail, hand delivery, and/or United States Postal Service, postage prepaid.

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