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## **PLAINS & EASTERN CLEAN LINE ISSUES NOTICE OF OPEN SOLICITATION TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT FROM OKLAHOMA PANHANDLE TO THE MID-SOUTH AND SOUTHEAST BEGINS PROCESS TO ALLOCATE CAPACITY TO CUSTOMERS**

HOUSTON (May 22, 2014) – Plains and Eastern Clean Line LLC and its affiliate Plains and Eastern Clean Line Oklahoma LLC (Plains and Eastern) commenced an open solicitation process for capacity on the Plains & Eastern Clean Line transmission project. Plains and Eastern intends to allocate up to 100% of the project's capacity to customers through an open and transparent capacity allocation process. Interested parties can learn more about the Plains & Eastern Clean Line open solicitation process and how to participate by visiting <http://www.plainsandeasterncleanline.com>.

The Plains & Eastern Clean Line is a 700-mile, overhead  $\pm 600$  kilovolt high voltage direct current transmission line that will be capable of delivering 3,500 megawatts (MW) of power from western Oklahoma to Shelby County, Tennessee. Plains & Eastern has proposed an intermediate converter station in Arkansas that would have the capacity to deliver up to 500 MW of power. The project is currently under development and based on current estimates, is expected to achieve commercial operation at the end of 2018.

The Oklahoma Panhandle region boasts some of America's richest wind resources. The Plains & Eastern Clean Line is designed to connect these strong wind resources to communities in Arkansas, Tennessee and other areas in the Mid-South and Southeast.

For more information about the Plains & Eastern Clean Line, please visit [www.plainsandeasterncleanline.com](http://www.plainsandeasterncleanline.com).

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**About Clean Line Energy Partners:** Clean Line's mission is to connect abundant, renewable energy resources to areas that have a high demand for clean, reliable energy. Clean Line is developing a series of transmission projects to move renewable energy to market. For more information please visit [www.CleanLineEnergy.com](http://www.CleanLineEnergy.com).