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# **Registering for FERC e-Filing**



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### Step 6: Important\*

You may complete your registration at this point, however, without completing the full registration, you will be limited to eSubscription among the functions requiring login.

Proceed to full registration, allowing the use of eFiling and Query Service List. Next

Make sure you click Next to be able to use eFiling on website

	Title: * Street Address:		
<b>Step 7:</b> Fill out address and phone number	* City: * State: * Zip Code:		
Step 8: Click Next	<ul> <li>Country:</li> <li>Phone Number:</li> <li>Fax Number:</li> </ul>	UNITED STATES ÷	2-1234-123456
			Next
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Step 10: Click Next	eMail Address: Confirm eMail Address:		]
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<b>Step 11:</b> At this point a verification email has been sent to the email address you previously provided. Go to that email to verify your account	A verification eMai	il has been sent to you the eMail address you specified. Please address and complete the FERC Online registration	click on the link to validate your eMa process.
	aRegistrationProd@ b me ♥ Dear Carolyn Elefant	⊉ferc.gov t,	2:27 PM (0 minutes ago)
<b>Step 12:</b> Click on the second link in the verification email to confirm	Your user ID for FER	RC Online is carolyn.elefant@gmail.com and you have been assigne	d FERC ID #F302029.
your email address and complete your registration	Click here https://ferc complete your registr	conline.ferc.gov/eregistrationconfirm.aspx?hashcode=vg7drcwp9Ht) ration.	<u>(tbu0Nwd13g</u> to confirm your email address)
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	f you have questions	s or problems, please send an email to ferconlinesupport@ferc.gov	

# Filing an eComment with FERC

**\*Important:** Make sure you write your comment in a word document before proceeding with the FERC eComment process to avoid time-out limits. You will be able to copy and paste your comment from Word into the comment box. The application will time-out after 35 minutes of inactivity.

### \*\*Your eComment has a 6,000 character limit



	Name*:	Carolyn Elefant	
	Street Address*:	7315 Wisconsin Ave.	**
	Street Address 2:	Suite 400	**
	City*:	Bethesda	
	State*:	MARYLAND \$	
<b>Step 4:</b> Fill out Name, Address,	Zip Code*:	20814 **	
email address, and phone number	E-mail Address*:	carolyn.elefant@gmail.com **	
	Confirm E-mail Address*:	carolyn.elefant@gmail.com **	
	Phone:	2022976100 **	
	Docket:	Hydro Project Search	

You can search for dockets to insert. Please note that you can only comment on a maximum of 2 Dockets or Projects at a time.

Description

Atlantic Coast Pipeline Pre-Filing Request of Dominion

Transmission, Inc. under PF15-6.

Search (e.g. CP08-10 or P-12485)

Applicant/Filer

Dominion

Transmission, Inc.

Select

**Step 5:** Enter the docket number for the case you would like to make a comment and click search

**Step 6:** Click the blue + on the right side, under Select

### \*After you click the blue + the docket should show up like this under Selected Dockets

Selected Do	ckets:		
Docket	Description	Applicant/Filer	Remove
PF15-6-000	Atlantic Coast Pipeline Pre-Filing Request of Dominion Transmission, Inc. under PF15-6.	Dominion Transmission, Inc.	×

	Comment:	Carolyn Elefant, Bethesda, MD.
<b>Step 7:</b> Copy and paste the 6,000 character max comment you have previously written in a Word Document		
Step 8: Click Send Comment		

Send Comment

Search

Docket

PF15-6-000

Enter Docket Number: PF15-6

# Filing a Document-less Intervention with FERC

\*Important: Must register to gain access to FERC applications such as filing an intervention

\* \*Make sure you write your intervention description in a word document before proceeding with the FERC Document-less intervention process to avoid time-out limits. You will be able to copy and paste your intervention from Word into the text box.

\*\*Your intervention has a 6,000 character limit (Recommended content listed in Step 11)



**Step 4:** Enter email address and password used earlier to register on FERC website

Step 5: Click eFiling under

**FERC Online Applications** 

Registered eMail address or FERC ID:

Password:

	Log In
Forgot/Reset Password?	

FERC Online Home Page

Welcome to FERC Online! FERC Online is the single entry point for all of FERC's electronic access applications. If you have not previously eRegistered with FERC Online, please use the *New Registration* link on the left menu to do so. Once you are registered, you will be able to login to FERC Online to eSubscribe and eFile.

#### FERC Online Applications

Company Registration - Submit Company Registration Requests

eFiling - Submit documents electronically

eSubscription - Subscribe to electronically receive all information related to a docket without intervening

eComment - Submit an eComment electronically

<u>Query Mailing List/Recipients by State</u> - View and download lists of postal mail addresses for contacts associated with FERC docketed proceedings. Also, view and download a mailing list of all contacts who reside in a specific state

Ouery Service List - View and download lists of contacts receiving service in FERC docketed proceedings

My Service List - View and download lists of dockets associated with the current logged in user

eLibrary - Search and retrieve electronic documents related to proceedings

eTariff Viewer - Browse and Search Tariffs

Current FERC Time: 3:42:54 PM Eastern

#### Filing Type

How is your filing to be directed?	What kind of filing are you making?	Filing Type (Fee)
General Annual Charges Hearing/ALJ Gas Electric Oil Hydro: Washington DC Hydro: Regional Office	(Fee) Petition for Declaratory Order (not under FPA Part 1) (Fee) Request for Interpretation by Gen. Counsel (not under FPA Audit Material(to Office of Enforcement; not posted to eLibrary) Comment (on Filing, Environ. Report,or Tech Conf) Comment on Rulemaking (RM, PL, AD dockets) Intervention Motion (other than Intervention) Petition for Declaratory Order under FPA Part 1 Protest Request for Interpretation by Gen. Counsel under FPA Part 1 Request for Rehearing Request to Update Service, Mailing, or Corporate Officials Lists Response to Complaint	(doc-less) Motion to Interveni (doc-less) Out-of-Time Motior Motion to Intervene Motion to Intervene Out-of-Ti

Next Cancel

#### Select Docket

Search and select all dockets and sub-dockets for your submission.

You can search for dockets or click the Quick Entry tab if you already know the docket numbers you want to insert. Search Quick Entry

Enter Docket	Number: CP13-81 Search (e.g. ER08-10)		
Docket	Description	Applicant/Filer	Select
CP13-81-000	Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC's Prior Notice Application to Replace Rockport Compressor Station.	Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC	•

**Step 6:** Click General under "How is your filing to be directed?"

**Step 7:** Click Intervention under "What kind of filing are you making?"

**Step 8:** Click (doc-less) Motion to Intervene under "Filing Type (Fee)"

**Step 9:** Enter the Docket number for the case you would like to

**Step 10:** Click the blue + on the right side, under Select

intervene and click Search

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### \*After you click the blue + the docket should show up like this under Selected Dockets

Selected Dockets:								
Docket	Description	Applicant/Filer	Remove					
PF15-6-000	Atlantic Coast Pipeline Pre-Filing Request of Dominion Transmission, Inc. under PF15-6.	Dominion Transmission, Inc.	×					

<b>Step 11:</b> Copy and paste the 6,000 character max Intervention	Document-less Intervention Description
Description you have previously	1) Name and contact info
written	2) How you are impacted by the pipeline Ex. pipeline crosses my property
Should include	3) Name your concerns
<ol> <li>1) Name and contact info</li> <li>2) How the pipeline impacts you</li> <li>3) Name your concerns</li> <li>4) Whether you oppose, support, or are neutral</li> </ol>	4) Whether you oppose, support or are neutral
Step 12: Click Next	Characters remaining: 5831
	Specify Filing Parties

Step 13: Click As an Individual	On behalf of another Party(ies)	• As an Individual	
Step 14: Click Next			Back Next Cancel
Step 15: Enter email and click	Filing Party <ul> <li>Individual</li> </ul>		
Add as Signer	Contact Email:		
Step 16: Click Next	Add as Signer Add as Other Contact		
	- No Contacts sele	ected	
			Back Next Cancel
	Submission Description		
<b>Step 17:</b> Either modify description	Please modify the description to accurately describe your submission (doc-less) Motion to Intervene of Carolyn Elefant under CP13-81-000.	ı.	
to describe your submission or			
keep the description as is			

Step 18: Click Next

Characters remaining: 187

Back Next Cancel

Back Next Cancel

#### Summary

**Step 19:** Ensure that the Docket number, description and your email are correct

**Step 20:** Click Submit to officially submit filing to FERC

You must click the Submit button to officially submit filing to FERC.         Submission       (doc-less) Motion to Intervene of Carolyn Elefant under CP13-81-000.         Description								
Submission Date	6/29/2015 3:49:00 PM							
Dockets	Docket		Description			Applicant/Filer		
	CP13-81-0	00	Columbia Gas Transm Replace Ro	nission, LLC's Prior Notice Ap ockport Compressor Station.	plication to	Columbia Gas Transmission, LLC		
Text	On-line/Document-less Text							
Filing	Filing Party	Sig	ner (Representative)	Other Contacts (Principal)				
Party/Contacts	Individual	carol	yn.elefant@gmail.com					

Back Submit Cancel

## Searching the FERC Docket

### Searching the FERC e-Library using a <u>Text Search</u>

Step 1: Go to www.ferc.gov

**Step 2:** Under Documents & Filings on top bar, click eLibrary





**Step 3:** Click General Search under Search Options

**General Search** 



	Hits: 52					
	Category/ Accession	Doc Date/ Filed Date	Docket Number	Description	Class/ Type	Files
	Issuance 20150618-4005	06/18/2015 06/18/2015	PF15-6-000 PF15-5-000	Project update for the Supply Header Project and Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project under PF15-5 et al. LMB Availability: Public Highlighted Version	FERC Correspondence With Applicant / General Correspondence	<u>Word</u> <u>FERC</u> <u>Generated</u> <u>PDF</u>
	Issuance Submittal 20150611-0061	06/11/2015 06/11/2015	PF15-6-000	Comments of David Gorman regarding Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project under PF15-6. Availability: Public Highlighted Version	Comments/Protest / Comment on Filing	Image     FERC     Generated     PDF
<b>Step 8:</b> Scroll until you find the document	Issuance 20150608-0092	06/03/2015 06/03/2015	PF15-6-000	Response to Representative David Rouzer's 4/28/15 letter re the Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project under PF15-6. Availability: Public Highlighted Version	Informational Correspondence / Informational Correspondence (Miscellaneous Issuances)	<ul> <li>Image</li> <li>FERC</li> <li>Generated</li> <li>PDF</li> </ul>
you are searching for	Issuance 20150602-0298	05/29/2015 05/29/2015	PF15-6-000	Response to US Representative Bob Goodlatte's 8/29/15 letter forwarding the Monacan Indian National Tribal Council's letter re the Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project under PF15-6. Availability: Public Highlighted Version	Informational Correspondence / Informational Correspondence (Miscellaneous Issuances)	Image     FERC     Generated     PDF
	Issuance 20150521-4007	05/21/2015 05/21/2015	PF15-6-000 PF15-5-000	Transcript of 5/17/15 technical conference held in Farmville, VA re the Supply Header Project et al under PF15-5 et al. Availability: Public Highlighted Version	Transcript / Conference/Meeting Transcript	<ul> <li>Word</li> <li>Text</li> <li>FERC Generated PDF</li> </ul>

Step 9: Once you select a document, click FERC Generated PDF on the right side of the screen

Word	1850K	<u>INFO</u>
FERC Generated PDF	2932K	FILE

### \*Example document found using that search

#### NEXT STEPS

We are currently reviewing and commenting on the information provided in the Applicants' draft resource reports. Our final comments on the draft resource reports will be issued on our public docket. This fall, the Applicants plan to file their applications and final resource reports. When we have all the information necessary to complete our analysis and write the EIS, we will issue a Notice of Schedule for Environmental Review. This notice will announce the target date for issuing the final EIS and disclose the federal authorization action/decision deadline for other agencies.

When the draft EIS is completed, a Notice of Availability will appear in the Federal Register, and the EIS will be mailed to the environmental mailing list for this proceeding. There will be a public review period to comment on the document. The comments we've received so far have helped the environmental and engineering staff identify and evaluate the potential impacts of the projects. Please stay involved and consider filing comments on the draft EIS when it is available. Staff will then complete the final EIS.

The Commission will consider the findings of the final EIS, along with all information in the record including non-environmental information, when it makes its decision on whether to approve or deny the projects.

#### HOW TO STAY INFORMED

Go to the FERC website at http://www.ferc.gov. Click on the eLibrary link, click on "General Search" and enter the docket number (i.e., PF15-5 for SHP or PF15-6 for ACP). Be sure you have selected an appropriate date range. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at 1-866-208-3676.

In addition, the FERC offers a free service called eSubscription that allows you to keep track of all issuances and submittals in specific dockets. Using this service can reduce the amount of time you spend monitoring our website by automatically providing you with electronic notification when new items are posted and providing direct links to the documents. To register for this service, go to:

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PROJECT UPDATE FOR THE SUPPLY HEADER PROJECT AND ATLANTIC COAST PIPELINE PROJECT

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PF15-5-000 and PF15-6-000



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\*\*If you know the Docket number for the case you are searching you can simplify the search by entering that here on the general search page:

Docket Number:	CP15-500	Example: ER01-12-, GP99-19, P-1324-*, ER03* An asterisk (*) specifies a wildcard search. Docket Prefix Info
Sub Docket:	<ul> <li>All</li> </ul>	
	List:     Note: To enter several sub docket numbers,     separate values with a comma.	

\*All other steps remain the same as a search using a text search