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**Four Corners Power Plant and  
Navajo Mine Energy Project EIS  
NOTICE: Draft EIS Comment Period  
Extended to June 27 2014**

The Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSMRE) released a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) on March 28, 2014, to evaluate the potential environmental impacts from continued operation of both the Four Corners Power Plant and Navajo Mine to 2041.

**In response to requests for an extension of the comment period, OSMRE is granting a 31-day extension to June 27, 2014.**

**OSMRE welcomes your input on the Draft EIS.**

Written comments can be submitted via mail, hand delivery, courier, or email.

**SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS TO:** Mr. Marcelo Calle, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation & Enforcement, Western Region Office, 1999 Broadway, Suite 3320, Denver, CO 80202-3050; or [FCPPNavajoEnergyEIS@osmre.gov](mailto:FCPPNavajoEnergyEIS@osmre.gov)

**Comments must be postmarked by June 27, 2014, for consideration in the Final EIS.**

**PROPOSED ACTION:** The following actions are evaluated in the Draft EIS for environmental impacts:

- **Power Plant Lease Amendment** – Arizona Public Service proposes to continue operation of the Four Corners Power Plant until 2041 and has entered into a lease amendment with the Navajo Nation.
- **Energy Transmission Lines** – Transmission lines directly connected to the power plant and owned by Arizona Public Service and Public Service Company of New Mexico require rights-of-way renewals to continue operation.
- **Navajo Mine Permit Renewal** – Navajo Transitional Energy Company (NTEC) proposes to continue operation of the Navajo Mine to fuel the power plant.
- **New Coal Mine Area** – NTEC also proposes to develop a new mine area, referred to as the Pinabete Permit area, within its existing Navajo Mine Lease to have sufficient coal to supply the power plant to 2041.

For project details or information about accessing a copy of the Draft EIS, visit

<http://www.wrcc.osmre.gov/FCPEIS.shtm> or call  
Marcelo Calle, OSMRE EIS Coordinator, at 303-293-5035.