



New Mexico Environment Department

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CLEAN POWER PLAN Timelines

What were EPA's dates and deadlines?

- June 2, 2014 – Release of Proposed Clean Power Plan
- December 1, 2014 – Comments on proposal due to EPA
- August 3, 2015 – Final Clean Power Plan released by EPA

What are states' deadlines?

- September 6, 2016 – States submit one of the following:
 - Letter showing the State has no affected sources;
 - Initial submittal asking for an extension (up to 2 years), including:
 - The reason the State needs more time;
 - What plan approaches the State is considering;
 - Our outreach efforts so far, including efforts to reach vulnerable communities; and
 - Our next steps for accomplishing a final State Plan; or
 - Final State Plan
- September 6, 2017 – States that were granted an extension must submit an update detailing the state's progress toward a final State Plan
- September 6, 2018 – States that were granted an extension must submit a final State Plan

When does the State have to show we've achieved our goal?

- Interim Compliance Period – 2022-2029
 - Step 1 Interim Compliance Period – 2022-2024 (Report due July 1, 2025)
 - Step 2 Interim Compliance Period – 2025-2027 (Report due July 1, 2028)
 - Step 3 Interim Compliance Period – 2028-2029 (Report due July 1, 2030)
- Final Compliance Periods – 2030 and beyond (Reports due every two years beginning July 1, 2032)

What is EPA's schedule for state plan approvals?

- After initial submittal – EPA has 90 days to determine that an extension request will not be granted (states will be notified by letter).
- After final plan submittal – EPA has 12 months to approve or disapprove a final State Plan.

The New Mexico Environment Department will share information through several channels. These include:

- Clean Power Plan web page (<https://www.env.nm.gov/aqb/CPP.htm>)
- An email distribution list for announcements (register at <https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/NMED/subscriber/new>), or request to be added to the distribution list by sending an email to NMENV-NMCP@state.nm.us or calling (505) 476-4300

Comments (or questions) may be delivered to the Clean Power Plan Team in several ways:

- Email (NMENV-NMCP@state.nm.us)
- Written comments mailed to:
Clean Power Plan Team
Air Quality Bureau
525 Camino de los Marquez, Suite 1
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505
- In person – organizations may request a meeting via email or phone (505) 476-4300