**From:** Magee, Melanie
**To:** "Travis Ritchie"
**Cc:** Tomasovic, Brian; Robinson, Jeffrey
**Subject:** RE: Request for Extension to file El Paso Montana Power Station Comments
**Date:** Monday, October 21, 2013 9:27:00 AM

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Mr. Ritchie:

We received your request for an extension of the public comment period for the draft Greenhouse Gas PSD permit for the El Paso Electric Company, Montana Power Station. Your request was forwarded to the Multimedia Planning and Permitting Division Director, Wren Stenger. Ms. Stenger has reviewed and granted your request for the public comment period to be extended until October 29, 2013. If I can be of any additional assistance, please feel free to contact me.

Thanks, Melanie

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**From:** Travis Ritchie [mailto:travis.ritchie@sierraclub.org]
**Sent:** Thursday, October 17, 2013 2:26 PM
**To:** Magee, Melanie
**Subject:** Request for Extension to file El Paso Montana Power Station Comments

Ms. Magee,
I'm writing to request a one-week extension until October 29, 2013 to file public comments on the draft PSD permit for El Paso Electric Company's Montana Power Station (PSD-TX-1290-GHG). Our expert consultants have run into a bit of trouble recovering some of the data that we intend to provide in our comments from some government websites. I believe that issue has been resolved on our side, but we are a bit behind in drafting our comments. I would appreciate any accommodation you could provide to extend the deadline.

Thank you in advance.
Travis Ritchie

ps - I am very glad that EPA is back up and running, and I understand that you are probably digging out from under a mountain of emails and delayed tasks. I hope the transition back to normal operations proceeds smoothly and quickly.

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