Key Principle 4 – The Supplemental Ancillary Service Market Process

The current Supplemental Ancillary Service Market (SASM) process will be eliminated; the Reliability Unit Commitment (RUC) process will be used to (a) ensure sufficient capacity is projected to be available in Real-Time to meet the Load forecast and Ancillary Service Plan, and (b) resolve transmission congestion.

# Principle Concepts

No additional details for this key principle.

# Applicable Protocol Sections

* 6.4.9.2, Supplemental Ancillary Services Market
* 6.4.9.2.2, SASM Clearing Process
* 6.4.9.2.3, Communication of SASM Results
* 6.7.1, Payments for Ancillary Service Capacity Sold in a Supplemental Ancillary Services Market (SASM) or Reconfiguration Supplemental Ancillary Services Market (RSASM)

Note: References to SASM will be removed from the Protocols, Market Guides, and Other Binding Documents (OBDs)