**WPWG Talking Points Regarding Volume**

The following recommendations are with respect to the WPWG’s system-to-system (STS) Historical Interval Usage (HIU) SOAP based solution.

1. This solution is meant to be used for real-time requests (not real time usage) meaning that the requests will NOT be queued. The call will work or it will not. Failures for any reason must be re-attempted by the requestor.
2. This solution is NOT intended for large data load or ETL functionality. It is intended to compliment the rolling 10-day file solution.
3. The EDC should endeavor to produce a system that is capable of processing a single account or meter level IU request for 24 months of data within 5 seconds.
4. The EDC should endeavor to produce a system that is capable of processing 100,000 single account or meter level IU request for 24 months of data in any given 24 hour period.
5. The EDC will log each request including the supplier or third party name but will NOT place caps on the number of requests sent by any one supplier or third party.
6. In order to ensure fairness, the EDC reserves the right to monitor and/or restrict the number of requests sent by any individual supplier or third party in an attempt to ensure system availability for everyone.