

IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

MINUTES OF DECISION MEETING

SUBJECT TO APPROVAL

November 19, 2024 – 1:30 p.m.

In attendance was Commissioner Eric Anderson, Commissioner John R. Hammond, Jr. and Commissioner Lodge. Commissioner Anderson called the meeting to order.

The first order of business was the **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING** on November 6th, 2024 and minutes from the Special Meeting on November 7th, 2024 . The Commission voted unanimously to approve the minutes as written.

The next order of business was **CONSENT AGENDA:**

- 2. Action Item: Michael Duval’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Idaho Power Company’s Application for Modifications to the Company’s Irrigation Demand Response Program, Schedule 23 and Commercial & Industrial Demand Response Program, Schedule 82; Case No. IPC-E-24-37.**
- 3. Action Item: Adam Triplett’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Avista Corporation’s Application for the Extension of Avista’s Electric and Natural Gas Fixed Cost Adjustment Mechanism in the State of Idaho; Case Nos. AVU-E-24-11 and AVU-G-24-04.**
- 4. Action Item: Adam Triplett’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Capitol Water Corporation’s Petition Requesting an Investigation Into Flying H Traylor Ranch; Case No. CAP-W-24-03.**
- 5. Action Item: Adam Triplett’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Priest Lake Water, LLC’s Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity; Case No. PLW-W-24-01.**
- 6. Action Item: Johan E. Kalala-Kasanda’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Qwest Corporation d/b/a Centurylink QC’s Application for Approval of an Amendment to Its Interconnection Agreement with Custer Telephone Cooperative, Inc. d/b/a Custertel Wireless for the State of Idaho; Case No. QWE-T-24-04.**
- 7. Action Item: Johan E. Kalala-Kasanda’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Fremont Telecom Co.’s Application for Approval of the Idaho Broadband Equipment Tax Credit for the Year 2023; Case No. FRE-T-24-01.**
- 8. Action Item: Johan E. Kalala-Kasanda’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Blackfoot Communications, Inc. d/b/a Fremont Communication’s Application for Approval of the Idaho Broadband Equipment Tax Credit for the Year 2023; Case No. FRC-T-24-01.**

9. Action Item: Joseph Terry’s November 19, 2024, Decision Memorandum re: Investigation Into Valiant Idaho, Inc. and TIC Utilities, LLC, Owners of a Northern Idaho Water Supply and Distribution System; Case No. GNR-W-24-01.

Commissioner Anderson made a motion to approve Staff’s recommendations for Items 2 through 9 under the Consent Agenda. A vote was taken on the motion, and it carried unanimously.

The next order of business was **FULLY SUBMITTED MATTERS:**

10. Deliberation Memorandum re: In the Matter of Rocky Mountain Power’s and the City of Idaho Falls’ Joint Application for Approval of the Holmes Avenue Asset Transfer Agreement; Case No. PAC-E-24-11 [Michael Duval, Attorney].

11. Deliberation Memorandum re: In the Matter of CDS Stoneridge Utilities, LLC’s Application for Authority to Increase Its Rates and Charges for Water Service in the State of Idaho; Case No. SWS-W-24-01 [Michael Duval, Attorney].

12. Deliberation Memorandum re: In the Matter of Aspen Creek Water Co., Inc.’s Application to Amend Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 403; Case No. ASP-W-24-02 [Dayn Hardie, Attorney].

13. Deliberation Memorandum re: In the Matter of Capitol Water Corporation’s Application to Increase Its Rates and Charges for Water Service in the State of Idaho; Case No. CAP-W-24-01 [Adam Triplett, Attorney].

Commissioner Anderson stated that Items 10-13 under Fully Submitted Matters would be deliberated privately.

Commissioner Anderson stated there was no further business before the Commission and the meeting was adjourned.



COMMISSION SECRETARY

11/26/2024

DATE OF APPROVAL