

IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

MINUTES OF DECISION MEETING

May 5th, 2026 – 1:30 p.m.

In attendance was Commissioner John R. Hammond, Jr. and Commissioner Dayn Hardie. Commissioner Edward Lodge participated remotely. Commissioner Hardie called the meeting to order.

The first order of business was the **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING** on April 28th, 2026. The Commission voted unanimously to approve the minutes as written.

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

- 2. Action Item: Erika K. Melanson’s May 5, 2026, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Rocky Mountain Power’s Application for Approval of Updated Variable Energy Prices Pursuant to Terms of the 1992 Amendment to Certain Power Purchase Agreements; Case No. PAC-E-26-07.**
- 3. Action Item: Jeffrey R. Loll’s May 5, 2026, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Fremont Telecom Co.’s Application for the 2024 Broadband Equipment Tax Credit; Case No. FRE-T-25-01.**
- 4. Action Item: Michael Ott’s May 5, 2026, Decision Memorandum re: In the Matter of Dry Creek Water Company, LLC’s Application for a General Rate Case in the State of Idaho; Case No. DRY-W-25-01.**

Commissioner Hardie made a motion to approve Staff’s recommendations for Items 2 - 4 under the Consent Agenda. A vote was taken on the motion, and it carried unanimously.

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

- 5. Deliberation re: In the Matter of Rocky Mountain Power’s Application for a Waiver of the Solicitation Requirements Proposed in Case No. GNR-E-25-01; Case No. PAC-E-25-20 [Jeffrey R. Loll, Attorney].**
- 6. Deliberation re: In the Matter of Avista Corporation’s Annual Rate Adjustment Filing for Its Electric Line Extension Schedule 51; Case No. AVU-E-26-02 [Kelsea E. Ross, Attorney].**

Commissioner Hardie stated that Items 5 and 6 under Fully Submitted Matters would be deliberated privately.

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



COMMISSION SECRETARY

5/19/2026

DATE OF APPROVAL