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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF IDAHO POWER COMPANY TO STUDY THE FIXED COSTS OF PROVIDING ELECTRIC SERVICE TO CUSTOMERS Case No. IPC-E-18-16

AFFIDAVIT OF PRESTON N. CARTER IN SUPPORT OF IDAHO CLEAN ENERGY ASSOCIATION, INC.'S PETITION FOR INTERVENOR FUNDING

STATE OF IDAHO)
) ss.
County of Ada)

Preston N. Carter, being first duly sworn on oath deposes and states as follows:

- 1. I am the attorney for the Idaho Clean Energy Association, Inc. ("ICEA") in the this proceeding, and I make this Affidavit based on my own knowledge.
- 2. I have been licensed to practice law continuously in Idaho since 2010. My practice is in the area of administrative and regulatory law. For the purpose of this case I have charged a rate of \$240, which is a significant discount from my standard hourly rate, taking into account ICEA's limited financial resources and the public interest nature of the representation.
 - 3. This case involved a significant commitment of time and resources from ICEA.



- 4. Givens Pursley worked closely with ICEA to limit the fees incurred in this matter. ICEA is seeking recovery of fees from Givens Pursley in the amount of \$8,000. Again, this amount reflects significant time written off and performed at no charge in light of ICEA's limited financial resources. In my opinion, a budget of two or three times this amount would have been reasonable for the case.
- 5. Exhibit 1 contains an itemized schedule of time spent and legal fees incurred in representing ICEA in this matter for which ICEA seeks recovery of intervenor funding. The time and fees were reasonably incurred given the complexity of the issues involved in this matter

Dated: February 3, 2020

GIVENS PURSLEY LLP

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on February 3, 2020, a true and correct copy of foregoing AFFIDAVIT OF PRESTON N. CARTER was served upon all parties of record in this proceeding via the manner indicated below:

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EXHIBIT 1

Idaho Clean Energy Association Inc. / ICEA - PUC (IPC-E-18-16) (11523-4)

Date	Attorney	Rev Hrs	Rev Amt	Rev Rate	Narrative
12/26/2018	PNC	0.40	96.00	240.00	Review memorandum from Commission staff in fixed-cost
					case; correspondence re: same.
1/4/2019	PNC	0.30	72.00	240.00	Revise materials to prepare for meeting.
1/11/2019	PNC	3.50	840.00	240.00	Prepare for and attend meeting on fixed-cost recovery;
					follow up.
2/14/2019	PNC	1.40	336.00	240.00	Consult re: issues and approaches.
2/18/2019	PNC	0.30	72.00	240.00	Review materials and correspondence; draft and send
					corresondence re: same.
2/19/2019	PNC	0.20	48.00	240.00	Follow up correspondence.
2/20/2019	PNC	0.30	72.00	240.00	Review materials to prepare for settlement meeting.
2/25/2019	PNC	7.60	1,824.00	240.00	Prepare for and attend settlement meeting.
3/12/2019	PNC	7.40	1,776.00	240.00	Prepare for and attend settlement meeting.
4/9/2019	PNC	6.70	1,608.00	240.00	Prepare for and attend PUC settlement meeting.
4/23/2019	PNC	0.80	192.00	240.00	Review staff report and propose comments.
9/17/2019	PNC	3.70	888.00	240.00	Prepare for and attend settlement meeting.
1/20/2020	PNC	1.00	240.00	240.00	Work on draft comments to fixed cost report.
		33.60	8,064.00		