

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER) CASE NO. IPC-E-21-04
COMPANY’S APPLICATION FOR A)
DETERMINATION OF 2020 DEMAND-SIDE) NOTICE OF APPLICATION
MANAGEMENT EXPENSES AS)
PRUDENTLY INCURRED) NOTICE OF
) INTERVENTION DEADLINE
)
) ORDER NO. 34986

On March 15, 2021, Idaho Power Company (“Company”) requested the Commission determine the Company prudently incurred \$47,010,777 in demand-side management (“DSM”) expenses in 2020.

The Commission now issues this Notice of Application and sets deadlines by which interested persons may intervene.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Company reports it spent \$40,477,043 of Idaho Energy Efficiency Rider funds and \$6,533,734 on demand response program incentives funded through base rates and tracked annually through the Power Cost Adjustment mechanism. Application at 1.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company reports it saved 180,818 MWh from its energy efficiency programs and an additional 15,991 MWh from energy-efficient market transformation savings through Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance savings. *Id.* at 2-3.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company reports it achieved a total demand reduction of 336 MW from its demand response programs out of an available capacity of 366 MW. *Id.* at 3.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company reports energy savings of 37,302 MWh from the residential sector, 130,633 MWh from the commercial and industrial sector, and 12,884 MWh from the irrigation sector. Application at 4-5.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company’s DSM 2020 Annual Report is included as Attachment 1 to the Application. Supplement 1 to the DSM 2020 Annual Report shows the results of the cost-effectiveness tests for each program and Supplement 2 contains

program evaluations and customer surveys and reports. The DSM 2020 Annual Report also describes the Company's DSM strategies for 2021.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company reports its energy efficiency portfolio achieved a Utility Cost Test ratio of 2.71. DSM 2020 Annual Report at 1.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application, the DSM 2020 Annual Report, and Supplements are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission's office. These documents are also available on the Commission's web site at www.puc.idaho.gov. Click on the "ELECTRIC" icon, select "Open Cases," and click on the case number as shown on the front of this document.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this case will be held pursuant to the Commission's jurisdiction under Title 61 of the Idaho Code and specifically *Idaho Code* §§ 61-501 to 61-503.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this matter will be conducted pursuant to the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.*

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION DEADLINE

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that persons who wish to intervene in this matter to obtain the rights of party (e.g., to file formal discovery, or present evidence, or cross-examine witnesses at a hearing) must file a Petition to Intervene with the Commission under the Commission's Rules of Procedure 72 and 73, IDAPA 31.01.01.072 and .073. **Persons who wish to intervene as a party must file a Petition to Intervene no later than 21-days from the service date of this Order.** Such persons shall also provide the Commission Secretary with their e-mail address to facilitate further communications. After the intervention deadline runs, the Commission Secretary shall issue a Notice of Parties that identifies the parties and assigns exhibit numbers to each party. Once the Notice of Parties has issued, Commission Staff shall informally confer with the Company and any intervening parties about how to further process this case and shall then report back to the Commission on a proposed case schedule.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that persons who would like to present their views without parties' rights of participation and cross-examination are not required to intervene but may present their views by submitting written comments to the Commission.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the following people are designated as the Company's representatives in this matter:

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ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that persons desiring to intervene in this matter shall file a Petition to Intervene no later than 21 days from the service date of this Order. Once the deadline has passed, the Commission Secretary shall prepare and issue a Notice of Parties.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, after the Notice of Parties has issued, Commission Staff shall confer with the parties regarding a procedural schedule for this matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that parties should continue to comply with Order No. 34781, issued September 17, 2020. All pleadings should be filed with the Commission electronically and shall be deemed timely filed when received by the Commission Secretary. *See* Rule 14.02. Service between parties should also be accomplished electronically. Voluminous discovery-related documents may be filed and served on CD-ROM or a USB flash drive.

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DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 6th day
of April 2021.



PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

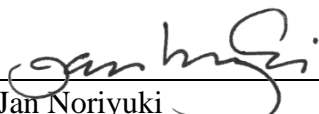


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