

**BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. IPC-E-21-17</b>
<b>COMPANY’S APPLICATION FOR</b>	)	
<b>AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES</b>	)	<b>NOTICE OF APPLICATION</b>
<b>FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE TO RECOVER</b>	)	
<b>COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE JIM</b>	)	<b>NOTICE OF INTERVENTION</b>
<b>BRIDGER POWER PLANT</b>	)	<b>DEADLINE</b>
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	)	<b>ORDER NO. 35088</b>
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On June 3, 2021, Idaho Power Company (“Company”) applied to the Commission for authorization to accelerate the depreciation schedule for the Jim Bridger Power Plant (“Bridger”) to allow the plant to be fully depreciated and recovered by December 31, 2030. The Company requests its Application be processed under Modified Procedure.

The Commission now issues this Notice of Application and sets a deadline for interested persons to petition for intervenor status.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION**

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Company asked to establish a balancing account and the necessary regulatory accounting to track the incremental costs and benefits associated with the Company’s cessation of participation in coal-fired operations at Bridger.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company asked to adjust customer rates to recover the associated incremental annual levelized revenue requirement of \$30,825,729 with an effective date of December 1, 2021, which equates to an overall increase of 2.53 percent.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company is separately proposing rate changes associated with the Depreciation Application in Case No. IPC-E-21-18 in addition to this Application. The Company is filing one set of proposed tariff sheets specifying the proposed rates for providing retail electric service to customers in the state of Idaho for both proposed rate changes.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application is 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](http://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.

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

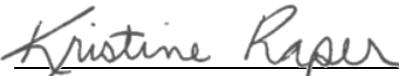
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that persons desiring to intervene in this matter shall file a Petition to Intervene no later than 21 days from the service date of this Order. Once the deadline has passed, the Commission Secretary shall prepare and issue a Notice of Parties.

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. 35058, issued June 3, 2021. 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.

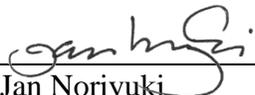
DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 2021.

  
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PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

  
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KRISTINE RAPER, COMMISSIONER

  
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ERIC ANDERSON, COMMISSIONER

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Commission Secretary

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