

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF ROCKY MOUNTAIN)	CASE NO. PAC-E-21-07
POWER’S APPLICATION FOR)	
AUTHORITY TO INCREASE ITS RATES)	
AND CHARGES IN IDAHO AND APPROVAL)	ORDER NO. 35201
OF PROPOSED ELECTRIC SERVICE)	
SCHEDULES AND REGULATIONS)	

On May 27, 2021, PacifiCorp dba Rocky Mountain Power (“Company”) applied to the Commission requesting authority to increase its Idaho jurisdictional revenue requirement by \$19.0 million.

On June 17, 2021, the Commission issued a Notice of Application, a suspension of the proposed effective date, and a Notice of Intervention Deadline. Order No. 35079. Bayer Corporation (“Bayer”), Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho (“CAPAI”), Idaho Conservation League (“ICL”), Idaho Irrigation Pumpers Association, Inc. (“IIPA”), and PacifiCorp Idaho Industrial Customers (“PIIC”) (collectively the “Intervenors”) intervened in the case.¹

Order No. 35079 directed Staff to informally confer with the parties to discuss scheduling after the intervention deadline passed. In an August 13, 2021 decision memorandum, Staff stated it conferred with the Intervenors and the Company and recommended a schedule for processing the case based on the parties’ discussion. The Commission considered Staff’s recommendation at its August 17, 2021 decision meeting.

On August 24, 2021, the Commission issued a Notice of Scheduling, Notice of Public Workshop, Notice of Customer Hearing, and Notice of Technical Hearing. Order No. 35144. The Notice of Scheduling established an October 20, 2021 Staff and Intervenor prefile testimony deadline.

On October 14, 2021, Staff filed a motion to vacate the Staff and Intervenor prefile testimony deadline (“Motion”). The Motion stated a settlement conference attended by the Company, Staff, Bayer, IIPA, and PIIC (“Parties”) resulted in draft terms of a Stipulated Settlement Agreement (“Agreement”) purporting to resolve the outstanding issues in this case. According to the Motion, the Parties plan to submit a final Agreement to the Commission within

¹ CAPAI and ICL have both filed motions to withdraw from this case and did not participate in settlement discussions.

the next week. In the interim, the Motion discussed the need to vacate the October 20, 2021 Staff and Intervenor prefile testimony deadline established by Order No. 35144. The Parties agreed it was necessary to vacate the existing Staff and Intervenor prefile testimony deadline to facilitate the eventual filing of the Agreement.

With this Order we grant Staff's Motion.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Staff's motion to vacate the October 20, 2021 Staff and Intervenor prefile testimony deadline is granted.

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 18th day of October 2021.



PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

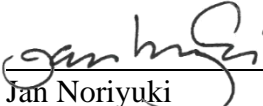


KRISTINE RAPER, COMMISSIONER



ERIC ANDERSON, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:



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Commission Secretary

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