

DECISION MEMORANDUM

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FROM: KEVIN KEYT

DATE: APRIL 2, 2021

RE: IN THE MATTER OF INTERMOUNTAIN GAS COMPANY'S
APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF 2019 ENERGY
EFFICIENCY EXPENSES AS PRUDENTLY INCURRED;
CASE NO. INT-G-20-06.

BACKGROUND

On September 1, 2020, Intermountain Gas Company (“Company”) applied to the Commission to find the Company had prudently incurred \$2,803,346 in Energy Efficiency Program (“EE Program”) expenses in 2019. The Commission then issued a Notice of Application and set a deadline for interested persons to intervene as parties to the case. *See* Order No. 34801. The Idaho Conservation League was the sole intervenor. *See* Order No. 34804.

On December 7, 2020, the Company filed a Supplement to Application. The Supplement proposed changes to the EE Program and Residential Energy Efficiency Rebate Program tariff based on the Company’s recently completed Evaluation, Measurement, and Verification (“EM&V”) study. The Company requested these changes take effect March 1, 2021.

On February 2, 2021, the Commission issued a Notice of Amended Application and set deadlines for interested persons to comment on the Amended Application. The Commission also suspended the Company’s proposed effective date for its tariff changes until April 1, 2021. *See* Order No. 34908. Commission Staff then filed comments, and the Company filed reply comments. The Commission also received two customer comments: one from the City of Boise (“Boise City”) and one from an individual customer.

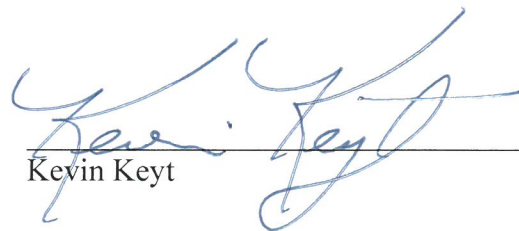
On March 8, 2021, the Commission issued Order No. 34980, approving the Company's Application, effective April 1, 2021. After Exhibit No. 9 (Tariff Schedules) was filed in this case, the Commission issued Order No. 34941 in INT-G-20-04, approving the Company's Commercial Energy Efficiency Program, including an update to Rate Schedule EE-RS, effective April 1, 2021. The Company used this recently approved version of Rate Schedule EE-RS in a compliance filing to reflect the modifications approved by the Commission in Order No. 34980.

STAFF ANALYSIS AND RECOMMENDATION

Staff reviewed proposed Rate Schedule EE-RS and found the revised schedules to be consistent with Commission Order No. 34980. Therefore, Staff recommends that the Company's proposed Rate Schedule EE-RS changes as displayed below from the Company's Compliance Filing be approved with an effective date of April 1, 2021.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission wish to approve the Company's proposed changes to Rate Schedule EE-RS with an effective date of April 1, 2021?



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