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NEWS RELEASE: Commission schedules workshop, customer hearing and written comment deadline on Idaho Power application to change credit rate for on-site generation customers.

BOISE (April 28, 2025) – The Idaho Public Utilities Commission has scheduled a workshop, customer hearing and written comments deadline regarding an application submitted by Idaho Power to update the credit rate customers who installed on-site generation systems receive for excess energy they contribute to the utility’s grid.

The majority of on-site generation systems consist of solar panels. Other options include wind, geothermal, biomass, hydropower or fuel cells.

The changes apply to non-legacy customers who were not grandfathered in under a previous credit structure. Non-legacy customers are those who submitted an application to Idaho Power to install an on-site generation system after Dec. 1, 2020. Idaho Power is seeking commission approval to credit customers 14.0598 cents per kilowatt hour for summer on-peak, 1.7682 cents per kilowatt hour for summer off-peak and 0.9540 cents per kilowatt hour for all hours during the non-summer season. The utility is proposing those credit rates from June 1, 2025, through May 31, 2026.

The proposed credit changes would apply to residential, commercial, irrigation and large power customers.

Commission staff are hosting a public workshop on Wednesday, May 7, to present information on Idaho Power’s application and answer questions. The workshop will be from 6:00 p.m. (MDT) to 8:00 p.m. at the commission offices, 11331 W. Chinden Blvd., Building 8, Suite 201-A, Boise, ID 83714.

To participate online, please visit idahogov.webex.com, and enter meeting number 2868 614 1367 (no spaces between numbers). Then, click on the green “Join” button. At the next window, please enter this password: IdahoPower. Next, please click on the green “Join Webinar” button.

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To participate over the phone, please call 1-415-655-0001 and enter meeting number 2868 614 1367 when prompted.

A customer hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 20, to take testimony for the record. The hearing will be from 4:00 p.m. (MDT) to 7:00 p.m. or until all customer testimony has been received, whichever comes first. It is at the commission offices, 11331 W. Chinden Blvd., Building 8, Suite 201-A, Boise, ID 83714.

Those interested in submitted testimony can do so in-person or telephonically. To submit testimony over the phone, please call 1-415-655-0001 and enter meeting number 2863 692 2927 when prompted.

To listen to the hearing remotely without submitted testimony, please call 1-415-655-0001 and enter meeting number 2630 896 6223 when prompted.

The commission is accepting written comments on Idaho Power’s application until Thursday, May 15. Comments are required to be filed through the commission website or by e-mail unless computer access is not available. To comment electronically, please visit puc.idaho.gov and click on the “Case Comment Form” link on the upper left side of the page. Please use case number IPC-E-25-15 when filling out the form. To comment using e-mail, please send comments to the e-mail addresses listed below and include case number IPC-E-25-15. Commenters are required to include their name and address. If computer access is not available, comments can be mailed to the commission secretary and Idaho Power at the addresses listed below. Commenters are required to include case number IPC-E-25-15, as well as their name and address.

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Additional information on Idaho Power's application is available at:
puc.idaho.gov/case/Details/7526.