

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the matter of)
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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF)
OREGON)
) **PETITION TO INTERVENE of**
) **Smart Grid Oregon**
) **and WAIVER OF PAPER SERVICE**
Staff recommendation to open a docket on)
Investigation into Electric Vehicle Charging)
Rates and Infrastructures.)
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Smart Grid Oregon (“SGO”) hereby respectfully petitions to intervene in the above-referenced proceedings pursuant to OAR 860-12-0001. Pursuant to OAR 860-013-0070(4), SGO respectfully waives paper service in this docket. In support of this Petition to Intervene, SGO asserts the following:

A. SGO’s business address is: Smart Grid Oregon
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C. SGO is a Domestic Non-Profit Corporation comprised of a growing number of entrepreneurs, service providers and business leaders, as well as non-profit organizations and educators dedicated to the growth and promotion of Oregon's smart grid industry. SGO's mission is "[t]o enable, promote and grow the smart grid industry and infrastructure in the State of Oregon."

D. SGO intends to monitor the proceedings and, where necessary, raise issues and provide commentary appropriate to the scope of the Commission's investigation into electrical vehicle charging rates and infrastructures.

E. Given the range of potential issues to be addressed, it is premature to specify the precise nature of SGO's concerns and issues it will raise.

F. One of SGO's avowed purposes is to work with smart grid stakeholders to craft and advocate for effective public policies that promote and grow Oregon's smart grid industry and infrastructure. Its membership draws on the collective expertise of business and finance professionals, utilities, public interest groups, academics, all joined to promote progressive energy policy and smart grid investments.

G. SGO's participation will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record or unreasonably delay the proceedings. SGO brings a unique, well-rounded perspective on the developing policies related to electric vehicles and charging infrastructure.

WHEREFORE, SGO respectfully requests that the Commission grant its Petition to Intervene.

Dated: March 30, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

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