

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UM 1824

In the Matter of the)
)
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF) REQUEST FOR FINAL PAYMENT
OREGON,) OF THE OREGON CITIZENS'
) UTILITY BOARD
)
Investigation into PacifiCorp, dba Pacific)
Power's Oregon-Specific Cost Allocation)
Issues.)

Pursuant to Section 7.3 of the Fourth Amended and Restated Intervenor Funding Agreement (“Agreement”), which was adopted in Order No. 18-017, the Oregon Citizens’ Utility Board (“CUB”) submits this request for a final payment in the amount of \$5,695.94 of eligible expenses in docket UM 1824 from the PacifiCorp issues fund. CUB is automatically pre-certified under Section 5.2 of the Agreement.

On June 28, 2017, CUB submitted a proposed issue fund grant of \$10,000 from the 2017 PacifiCorp Issue Fund. On June 29, 2017, in Order No. 17-230, the Commission approved CUB’s budget. On October 18, 2017, CUB filed a Request for Partial Payment, in the amount of \$2,635.94. On October 19, 2017, in Order No. 17-422, the Commission approved CUB’s request.

Under Section 7.3 of the Agreement, each Issue Fund Grant Request for Payment must:

- (a) *Itemize the expenses, payees and hourly rates for amounts to be reimbursed;*
- (b) *Demonstrate that the expenses are reasonable and are directly attributable to issues and positions pursued on behalf of a particular customer class and consistent with the intervenor’s proposed budget;*
- (c) *Provide information sufficient to show that the intervenor has complied with any condition or requirement of the Issue Fund Grant, including, but not limited to, documentation sufficient to show that the intervenor has satisfied the matching fund requirement (i) set forth in Section 6.5 above or (ii) as the Commission may establish as a reasonable condition on Issue Fund Grants, whichever applies; and*
- (d) *Specify whether the request for payment is for a final payment or final payment in full and indicate whether any approved budget amount may be released back to the applicable Issue Fund because the*

intervenor does not intend to request payment for the full approved budget amount.

- (a) Confidential Attachment A contains a summary of CUB's expenses to date in this case. Confidential Attachment B breaks out each CUB staff member's time by Intervenor Funding Task Category to date. Confidential Attachment C is CUB's final invoice for UM 1824.
- (b) The expenses incurred are reasonable and directly attributable to the issues and positions CUB is addressing in UM 1824 on behalf of residential customers. In support of this assertion, we supply Confidential Attachments A, B & C, which can be compared to CUB's Issue Fund Budget in this case.
- (c) CUB has satisfied the matching fund requirement as demonstrated in Confidential Attachment A, the summary of CUB's expenses. CUB expenses to date after the match are less than the \$10,000 initial payment request.
- (d) This is a request for a final payment. CUB requests the remaining funds be released to the 2018 PacifiCorp Issue Fund.

In this filing, CUB requests the final payment of our costs in UM 1824 amounting to \$5,695.94. See Confidential Attachment A, CUB Expense Summary. The attached documents should allow the Commission to track the time spent on the elements of the case, and we believe that this filing meets the requirements of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,
March 27, 2018



Bob Jenks
Executive Director
Oregon Citizens' Utility Board

Enc. Attachments A, B & C

cc. Etta Lockey, PacifiCorp