

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

[UM 2211]

In the Matter of

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC, PACIFIC POWER,
NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS, IDAHO POWER,
AVISTA, CASCADE NATURAL GAS

IMPLEMENTATION OF HB 2475

CAPO'S REQUEST FOR PARTIAL PAYMENT

Pursuant to Interim Intervenor Funding Order under HB 2475, CAPO submits this request for partial payment of \$14,087.5 of eligible expenses in docket UM 2211 from Pacific Power, PGE, Avista, Northwest Natural Gas, Cascade Natural Gas, and Idaho Power, apportioned as follows:

	Dockets	Amount
PGE	UM 2211, ADV 1365	\$962.5
Pacific Power	UM 2211, ADV 1412, UE 409	\$4025
Idaho Power	UM 2211	\$700
Northwest Natural Gas	UM 2211, ADV 1390	\$3587.5
Cascade Natural Gas	UM 2211, UG 437, ADV 1424, ADV 1409	\$1925
Avista	UM 2211, ADV 1410	\$2887.5

On July 22, 2022, CAPO filed a notice of participation, a request for House Bill (HB) 2475 funding, and a proposed budget of \$16,100 in docket UM 2211. The Commission approved this request on October 10, 2022 in Order 22-369.

Attachment A itemizes the expenses, payees, and hourly rates for amounts to be reimbursed; It also demonstrates that the expenses are reasonable and directly attributable to issues and positions pursued on behalf of low-income customers, and consistent with our proposed budget.

Dated this 24th day of October 2022.



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ATTACHMENT A: Itemize expenses and activities

Date	Staff	Activity	Utility	Hours	Costs	
4/7/2022	Benedikt Springer	Energy Affordability Act Stakeholder Discussion - apportion NWN	NWN	0.5	87.5	Rate: \$175/h
4/7/2022	Benedikt Springer	Energy Affordability Act Stakeholder Discussion - apportion PGE	PGE	0.5	87.5	
4/13/2022	Benedikt Springer	Collecting CAA Feedback on Avista Bill Discount Proposal	Avista	2	350	
4/15/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avistate Bill Discount Implementation Meeting	Avista	1	175	
4/21/2022	Benedikt Springer	PGE Bill Discount Implementation Discussion	PGE	1	175	
5/10/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC Bill Discount Program Meeting Prep	PAC	1	175	
5/10/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC Bill Discount Workshop	PAC	2	350	
5/13/2022	Benedikt Springer	NWN Technical Workshop #1	NWN	1.5	262.5	
5/17/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avista LIRAP Bill Discount Implmementation Meeting	Avista	1	175	
5/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	Energy Affordability Act Stakeholder Planning Session - apportion NWN	NWN	0.5	87.5	
5/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	Energy Affordability Act Stakeholder Planning Session - apportion PAC	PAC	0.5	87.5	
5/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	PGE IQBD Update and Outreach Discussion	PGE	1	175	
5/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	Cascade LINA Presentation and Discussion	Cascade	1	175	
5/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	Research/Drafting for NWN Public Comments	NWN	3	525	
5/20/2022	Benedikt Springer	Research/Drafting for PAC Public Comments	PAC	3	525	
5/27/2022	Benedikt Springer	Drafted/Edited/Submitted Public Comments on PAC Proposal	PAC	2	350	
5/27/2022	Benedikt Springer	Drafted/Edited/Submitted Public Comments on NWN Proposal	NWN	2	350	
6/2/2022	Benedikt Springer	NWN Technical Workshop #2	NWN	1.5	262.5	
6/6/2022	Benedikt Springer	NWN Technical Workshop #3	NWN	1.5	262.5	
6/7/2022	Benedikt Springer	Research/Drafting for Cascade Public Comments	Cascade	2	350	
6/9/2022	Benedikt Springer	Drafted/Edited/Submitted Public Comments on Cascade Proposal	Cascade	1	175	
6/14/2022	Benedikt Springer	Drafring comments with other stakeholders on NWN discount tiers	NWN	2	350	

6/14/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avista LIRAP Bill Discount Implmementation Meeting	Avista	1	175	
6/16/2022	Benedikt Springer	PGE IQBD Update and Outreach/Post-Enrollment Verification Discussion	PGE	1	175	
6/21/2022	Benedikt Springer	Adding additional discount tier negotiation with NWN	NWN	1	175	
6/23/2022	Benedikt Springer	Drafted/Sent Comments to Avista explaining LIHEAP/bill discount conceptual differences	Avista	2	350	
6/29/2022	Benedikt Springer	Idaho Power Workshop	Idaho Power	1	175	
7/1/2022	Benedikt Springer	Research on Impacts of additional discount tier	NWN	3	525	
7/5/2022	Benedikt Springer	NWN Final Round Table	NWN	1	175	
7/7/2022	Benedikt Springer	PacificCorp Workshop	PAC	1.5	262.5	
7/7/2022	Benedikt Springer	NWN Workshop	NWN	1	175	
7/8/2022	Benedikt Springer	Cascade Workshop	Cascade	1	175	
7/12/2022	Benedikt Springer	PUC Decision on NWN, Public comments	NWN	1	175	
7/12/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC Bill Discount Stakeholder Discussion	PAC	1	175	
7/12/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avista Workshop	Avista	1.5	262.5	
7/15/2022	Benedikt Springer	Editing/Drafiging Join Stakeholder Public Comments	PAC	2	350	
7/18/2022	Benedikt Springer	Research/Drafiging/Submission of Comments on outreach and income verification	Avista	3	525	
7/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avista LIRAP Bill Discount Implmementation Meeting	Avista	1	175	
7/26/2022	Benedikt Springer	PUC Public Meeting Testimony - apportion Avista	Avista	1	175	
7/26/2022	Benedikt Springer	PUC Public Meeting Testimony - apportion Cascade	Cascade	1	175	
7/26/2022	Benedikt Springer	PUC Public Meeting Testimony - apportion PAC	PAC	1	175	
7/27/2022	Benedikt Springer	Cascade Relationship between OLIBA and Bill Discount Discussion	Cascade	1	175	
8/1/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC meeting with other stakeholders	PAC	1	175	
8/1/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC called meeting with stakeholders	PAC	2	350	

8/2/2022	Benedikt Springer	Cascade implementation - meeting with CAAs	Cascade	1	175	
8/2/2022	Benedikt Springer	Cascade implementation - drafting detailed suggestions on verification design	Cascade	2	350	
8/4/2022	Benedikt Springer	Cascade implementation - drafting detailed suggestions on verification design	Cascade	1	175	
8/8/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC called meeting with stakeholders	PAC	1	175	
8/16/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avista Implementation Meeting	Avista	1	175	
8/16/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC Comments Editing/Drafting	PAC	2	350	
8/23/2022	Benedikt Springer	PUC Public Hearing	PAC	1	175	
8/25/2022	Benedikt Springer	PGE IQBD Update and Discussion	PGE	1	175	
9/6/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avista Implementation Meeting	Avista	1	175	
9/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	PAC Master Meter/Bill Discount Discussion	PAC	1	175	
9/22/2022	Benedikt Springer	Avista Implementation Meeting	Avista	1	175	
9/22/2022	Benedikt Springer	PGE IQBD Update and Discussion	PGE	1	175	
9/28/2022	Benedikt Springer	Idaho Power Stakeholder Meeting	Idaho Power	1	175	
9/28/2022	Benedikt Springer	NWN Stakeholder Meeting	NWN	1	175	
10/6/2022	Benedikt Springer	Comments/Correspondance on PAC Master Meter/Bill Discount	PAC	1	175	
10/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	Idaho Power Program - Discussion with CUB and Euvalcree	Idaho Power	1	175	
10/19/2022	Benedikt Springer	Review and Analysis of Idaho Power Survey	Idaho Power	1	175	
Total					14087.5	