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VIA ELECTRONIC FILINGPublic Utility Commission of Oregon
Attn: Filing Center
201 High Street SE, Suite 100
Salem, OR 97301-3398**Re: Advice No. 23-008/UE 420—PacifiCorp’s 2024 Transition Adjustment Mechanism**

In compliance with ORS 757.205, OAR 860-022-0025, and OAR 860-022-0030, PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power submits for filing the following proposed tariff pages associated with Tariff P.U.C. OR No. 36, which sets forth all rates, tolls, charges, rules, and regulations applicable to electric service in Oregon. PacifiCorp requests an effective date of January 1, 2024.

A. Description of Filing

The purpose of the Transition Adjustment Mechanism (TAM) is to update net power costs for 2024 and to set transition credits for Oregon customers who choose direct access in the November open enrollment window. The proposed tariff sheets listed in Section B below are provided in Ms. Ridenour’s Exhibit PAC/302. This tariff filing is supported by testimony and exhibits from the following witnesses:

- Ramon J. Mitchell, Manager, Net Power Costs
- James Owen, Senior Vice President, Environmental, Fuels, and Mining
- Judith M. Ridenour, Specialist, Pricing and Cost of Service

B. Tariff Sheets

Tariff Sheet	Schedule	Title
Eighteenth Revision of Sheet No. 201-1	Schedule 201	Net Power Costs – Cost-Based Supply Service
Eighteenth Revision of Sheet No. 201-2	Schedule 201	Net Power Costs – Cost-Based Supply Service
Eighteenth Revision of Sheet No. 201-3	Schedule 201	Net Power Costs – Cost-Based Supply Service

PacifiCorp will file changes to the transition adjustment tariffs—Schedules 294, 295, and 296—along with any needed changes to Schedule 293 – New Large Load Direct Access Program and Schedule 220 – Standard Daily Offer once the final TAM rates have been posted and are known. The final TAM rates will be established in November, just before the open enrollment window.

C. Requirements of OAR 860-022-0025 and OAR 860-022-0030

To support the proposed rates and meet the requirements of OAR 860-022-0025 and OAR 860-022-0030, PacifiCorp provides the description and support indicated in Section A above. Please refer to the exhibits of Ms. Ridenour for the calculation of the proposed rate changes and impacts of proposed price changes by rate schedule.

This proposed change will affect approximately 652,000 customers and would result in an overall annual rate increase of approximately \$163.8 million or 9.5 percent. Residential customers using 900 kilowatt-hours per month would see an average monthly bill increase of \$9.58 per month as a result of this change.

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A copy of this filing has been served on all parties to PacifiCorp's 2023 TAM proceeding, docket UE 400. Confidential material in support of the filing has been provided to parties under Order No. 16-128. Highly confidential material in support of this filing has been provided to parties under Order No. 23-120.

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Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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Exhibit PAC/100

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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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Direct Testimony of Ramon J. Mitchell

April 2023

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Exhibit PAC/101—Oregon-Allocated Net Power Costs

Exhibit PAC/102—Net Power Costs Report

Confidential Exhibit PAC/103—Update to Renewable Energy Production Tax Credits

Exhibit PAC/104—Net Power Costs Step Log

Exhibit PAC/105—February 28, 2023 Notice Letter

Confidential Exhibit PAC/106—2019 Benchmark Report

Direct Testimony of Ramon J. Mitchell

1 **I. INTRODUCTION AND QUALIFICATIONS**

2 **Q. Please state your name, business address, and present position with PacifiCorp**
3 **d/b/a Pacific Power (PacifiCorp or Company).**

4 A. My name is Ramon J. Mitchell, and my business address is 825 NE Multnomah Street,
5 Suite 600, Portland, Oregon 97232. My title is Manager, Net Power Costs.

6 **Q. Please describe your education and professional experience.**

7 A. I received a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of
8 Portland and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from Reed College. I was first
9 employed by the Company in 2015 and during my time at the Company I have held
10 various positions in the regulation, merchant, and transmission departments. After a
11 brief departure from the Company, in 2021 I returned to the Company as Manager,
12 Net Power Costs. In my current role I am responsible for leading and overseeing
13 various efforts associated with the Company's net power costs (NPC) filings.

14 **Q. Have you testified in previous regulatory proceedings?**

15 A. Yes. I have previously provided testimony to the Public Utility Commission of Oregon
16 (Commission), as well as commissions in California, Washington, and Wyoming.

17 **II. PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY**

18 **Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?**

19 A. I present the Company's proposed 2024 Transition Adjustment Mechanism (TAM)
20 NPC. Specifically, my testimony:

- 21 • Defines NPC and summarizes the content of the filing;
- 22 • Describes the major cost drivers in the 2024 TAM;

- 1 • Describes the NPC change in the 2024 TAM compared to the final NPC in
2 docket UE 400, the 2023 TAM;
- 3 • Describes modeling changes the Company is proposing in this TAM filing;
- 4 • Provides an update on provisions from the 2021 TAM;
- 5 • Discusses the information ordered by the Commission in the last TAM Order;
- 6 and
- 7 • Provides details on the calculation of the Transition Adjustment and the
8 Consumer Opt-Out Charge.

9 **Q. Please identify the other Company witnesses supporting the 2024 TAM.**

10 A. Two additional Company witnesses provide testimony supporting the Company's
11 filing. James Owen, Vice President, Environmental, Fuels and Mining, provides
12 testimony supporting the coal fuel costs and the prudence of the new coal supply
13 agreements included in the 2024 TAM. Judith M. Ridenour, Regulatory Specialist,
14 Pricing & Cost of Service, presents the Company's proposed prices and tariffs and
15 provides a comparison of existing and estimated customer rates.

16 **III. SUMMARY OF THE COMPANY'S 2024 TAM FILING**

17 **Q. Please explain NPC.**

18 A. NPC are the sum of fuel expenses, wholesale purchase power expenses, and wheeling
19 expenses, less wholesale sales revenue.

20 **Q. How does the TAM relate to NPC?**

21 A. In the 2017 TAM Order, the Commission described the TAM and its purpose as
22 follows:

23 PacifiCorp's TAM is an annual filing in which PacifiCorp projects
24 the amount of [NPC] to be reflected in customer rates for the

1 following year, as well as to set transition charges for customers
2 electing to move to direct access. The TAM effectively removes
3 regulatory lag for the company because the forecasts are used to
4 adjust rates. For that reason, the accuracy of the forecasts is of
5 significant importance to setting fair, just and reasonable rates. Our
6 goal, therefore, is to achieve an accurate forecast of PacifiCorp's
7 [NPC] for the upcoming year.¹

8 **Q. Please explain how the Company calculates NPC.**

9 A. The Company calculates NPC for a future test period based on a forecast using
10 Aurora, which is a production cost model. Aurora simulates the operation of the
11 Company's power system on an hourly basis and provides an hourly forecast of NPC
12 for the future test period.

13 **Q. Has the Company proposed any modeling changes in the 2024 TAM?**

14 A. Yes. The Company is proposing the following modeling change in addition to
15 modeling changes proposed in the 2023 TAM:

- 16 • Trapped energy will be appropriately substituted for curtailment of generation
17 to reflect actual operations.

18 **Q. Did the Company provide advance notice to the parties regarding the modeling
19 change proposed in this case?**

20 A. Yes. In compliance with the TAM Guidelines, the Company provided notice of
21 changes to the Company's modeling of NPC in the 2024 TAM. This notice was
22 provided on February 28, 2023 and is included as Exhibit PAC/105.

23 **Q. What modeling improvements were implemented in the 2023 TAM?**

24 A. The following modeling improvements were implemented in the 2023 TAM:

¹ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power, 2017 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 307, Order No. 16-482 at 2-3 (Dec. 20, 2016).

- 1 • Wholesale sales market caps were based on the four-year historical average of short-
2 term firm balancing and spot sales, differentiated by on and off-peak hours. This was
3 completed consistent with the Commission’s continued review of this issue as
4 identified in Order No. 21-379;²
- 5 • The planned maintenance outages were based on the Company’s budgeted outage
6 plan;³
- 7 • The day-ahead/real-time (DA/RT) price adders were changed to a percentage of
8 market prices;⁴
- 9 • The regulating reserve requirement was updated to reflect higher reliability and
10 resource adequacy standards consistent with the Company’s operations;⁵
- 11 • The maximum generating capacity of certain thermal generating units were updated
12 to reflect actual generating capacity during the summer months; and⁶
- 13 • Inclusion of startup costs for gas-fired units.⁷

14 **Q. Are the modeling improvements from the 2023 TAM implemented in this filing?**

15 A. Yes, the modeling improvements from the 2023 TAM have been implemented in this
16 year’s filing.

17 **Q. What inputs were updated for this filing?**

18 A. The Company updated all inputs to the 2024 TAM, including system load, wholesale
19 sales and purchase contracts for electricity, natural gas and wheeling, the official

² *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power 2022 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE-390, Order No. 21-379 at 28 (Nov. 1, 2021).

³ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power 2023 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE-400, PAC/100, Wilding/34-35 (Mar. 1, 2022).

⁴ *Id.* at 35-36.

⁵ *Id.* at 33-34; Docket No. UE-400, PAC/300, MacNeil/4-30.

⁶ Docket No. UE-400, PAC/100, Wilding/37-38.

⁷ *Id.* at 38-39.

1 forward price curve (OFPC) market prices for electricity and natural gas, fuel
2 expenses, and the characteristics and availability of the Company's generation
3 facilities.

4 **Q. What is the date of the OFPC the Company used in this filing?**

5 A. The Company's filing uses the OFPC dated December 31, 2022.

6 **Q. Will the Company continue to update the OFPC through the pendency of this
7 proceeding?**

8 A. Yes. In accordance with the current TAM Guidelines, the Company's reply update
9 will incorporate the most recent OFPC that is available at the time the update is
10 prepared. The November indicative update will incorporate an OFPC from within
11 nine days of the filing, and the November final update will incorporate an OFPC from
12 within seven days of the filing. This ensures that the most up-to-date market
13 information is used in the forecast, providing a more accurate estimate of NPC for the
14 test period.

15 **Q. Please provide background on the Company's 2024 TAM filing.**

16 A. The TAM is an annual filing that the Company makes to update its NPC in rates and
17 to set the transition adjustments for direct access customers. Along with the forecast
18 NPC, the 2024 TAM also includes test period forecasts for: (1) incremental benefits
19 and costs related to the Company's participation in the energy imbalance market
20 (EIM) with the California Independent System Operator (CAISO); and (2) renewable
21 energy production tax credits (PTCs).

1 **Q. What is the total-company NPC in the TAM for calendar year 2024?**

2 A. The forecasted normalized total-company NPC for calendar year 2024 is
3 approximately \$2.642 billion.⁸ This is approximately \$665 million higher than the
4 total-company forecast NPC of approximately \$1.977 billion in the 2023 TAM.
5 Further details on the total-company NPC for 2024 are provided in Exhibit PAC/102.

6 **Q. What is the increase to the Oregon-allocated NPC and the impact to Oregon
7 rates?**

8 A. As shown in Exhibit PAC/101, there is an increase to Oregon-allocated NPC of
9 approximately \$255 million and an increase in PTCs (decrease to rates) of
10 approximately \$7.8 million. After adjusting for the variance from loads, the 2024
11 TAM results in an increase to Oregon rates of approximately \$164 million. Unless
12 otherwise specified, references to NPC throughout my testimony are expressed on an
13 Oregon-allocated basis. As explained in the testimony of Company witness
14 Ridenour, the 2024 TAM results in an overall average rate increase of approximately
15 9.5 percent.

16 **Q. Does the proposed rate increase for the 2024 TAM reflect changes in Oregon
17 load since the 2023 TAM?**

18 A. Yes. The 2024 load forecast used in the Company's calculation of NPC reflects an
19 increase in Oregon load compared to the 2023 forecast loads in the 2023 TAM. Due
20 to the increase in Oregon load, the Company anticipates it will collect approximately
21 \$84 million more than what was approved in the 2023 TAM, reducing the overall
22 requested rate increase.

⁸ Exhibit PAC/101, Mitchell/1, line 35.

1 **Q. Please explain how the EIM inter-regional and greenhouse gas benefits are**
2 **treated in the 2024 TAM.**

3 A. The Company's initial filing includes a forecast of both the inter-regional transfer
4 benefits and greenhouse gas (GHG) benefits from participation in the EIM. The
5 expected incremental inter-regional EIM transfer benefits relative to the optimized
6 NPC modeled by Aurora are reflected as a reduction to the NPC forecast. The total-
7 company inter-regional EIM transfer benefits included in the 2024 TAM is [REDACTED]
8 [REDACTED], a [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] in benefits from the 2023 TAM. The total-
9 company EIM GHG benefits is [REDACTED], a [REDACTED] from the 2023
10 TAM.

11 **IV. DISCUSSION OF MAJOR COST DRIVERS IN THE TAM**

12 **Q. The 2024 TAM indicates a \$665 million increase in NPC, on a total-company**
13 **basis, from the 2023 TAM. Please elaborate on the drivers for this increase.**

14 A. There are four main factors that drive the increase in the 2024 TAM as compared to
15 the 2023 TAM and each of these factors impact the accuracy of the 2023 TAM
16 forecast (i.e., what the 2023 TAM forecast would now be if updated with current
17 values): 1) The power, natural gas and coal prices for calendar year 2023 have
18 increased by an average of 31 percent, 20 percent and 12 percent respectively since
19 the 2023 TAM; 2) The NPC forecast in the 2023 TAM excluded the impacts of the
20 Washington Cap and Invest Program and also excluded the impacts of the Ozone
21 Transport Rule (OTR); 3) the hedges in the 2023 TAM were favorable to the current
22 calendar year 2023 market prices from the OFPC used in this filing; and 4) the

1 calendar year 2023 Oregon load projections used to calculate the 2023 TAM NPC
2 were substantially lower than the current calendar year 2023 load projections.

3 **Q. Please elaborate on how the increase in power, gas and coal prices for calendar**
4 **year 2023 is relevant to the NPC increase.**

5 A. The 2023 TAM used a November 8, 2022 vintage OFPC to set the price expectations
6 for calendar year 2023. Compared to current calendar year 2023 price expectations
7 from the December 31, 2022 vintage OFPC, average power market prices across the
8 Mid-Columbia and Palo Verde trading hubs increased by 31 percent and average
9 natural gas market prices across the Sumas and Opal trading hubs increased by 20
10 percent. Additionally, average coal prices increased by 12 percent.

11 This implies that the 2023 TAM NPC forecast is an under-forecast relative to
12 this latest OFPC and relative to current coal prices and presents the first support that
13 an updated 2023 NPC comparison forecast would be *higher* than this 2024 TAM
14 NPC forecast.

15 **Q. Please elaborate on how exclusion of the Washington Cap and Invest Program**
16 **and exclusion of the OTR is relevant to the NPC increase.**

17 A. The 2023 TAM NPC forecast did not include any costs associated with the
18 Washington Cap and Invest Program which began in 2023. Furthermore, the 2023
19 TAM NPC forecast did not include any costs associated with the OTR which begins
20 in 2023.

21 This implies that the 2023 TAM NPC forecast is an under-forecast relative to
22 what it would have been had these costs been included and presents the second

1 support that an updated 2023 NPC comparison forecast would be *higher* than this
2 2024 TAM NPC forecast.

3 **Q. Please elaborate on how favorable hedges in the 2023 TAM NPC forecast is**
4 **relevant to the NPC increase.**

5 A. Hedging transactions and associated costs are designed to limit the risks and
6 variability associated with market exposure and to provide rate stability; they are not
7 economic optimization transactions. When hedges lower NPC, it is coincidental, not
8 a guaranteed outcome or foregone conclusion. Therefore, the appropriate comparison
9 between the 2023 TAM NPC forecast and the 2024 TAM NPC forecast is to assume
10 that there are neither economic benefits nor costs from hedging transactions. With
11 this assumption, in conjunction with the current calendar year 2023 market prices
12 from the OFPC used in this filing, an updated 2023 NPC comparison forecast would
13 be substantially higher.

14 This implies that the 2023 TAM NPC forecast is an under-forecast relative to
15 what it would have been had the hedging transactions shown neither economic benefit
16 nor cost, at the prevailing OFPC, and presents the third support that an updated 2023
17 NPC comparison forecast would be *higher* than this 2024 TAM NPC forecast.

18 **Q. Please elaborate on how an increase in the calendar year 2023 Oregon load**
19 **projections is relevant to the NPC increase.**

20 A. On a dollar basis, higher load equates to higher NPC. If the 2023 TAM NPC forecast
21 reflected the current calendar year 2023 Oregon load projections, then the 2023 TAM
22 NPC forecast would be higher on a total-company basis.

1 upcoming, new, and substantial impacts to NPC that are not captured in the historical
2 data or trend.

3 **Q. Regarding the first layer, what does the historical actual NPC show?**

4 A. There is a clear and demonstrable relationship between actual NPC and regional
5 power market prices. First consider Table 1 below which shows, the actual 2020
6 NPC, the actual 2021 NPC, the actual 2022 NPC and the 2023 TAM NPC forecast of
7 2023.

8 **Table 1: Historical NPC**

NPC Type	Total Company NPC (\$)
2020 Actual	1,511,314,189
2021 Actual	1,714,607,879
2022 Actual	2,040,736,242
2023 <i>Forecast (2023 TAM)</i>	1,977,454,591

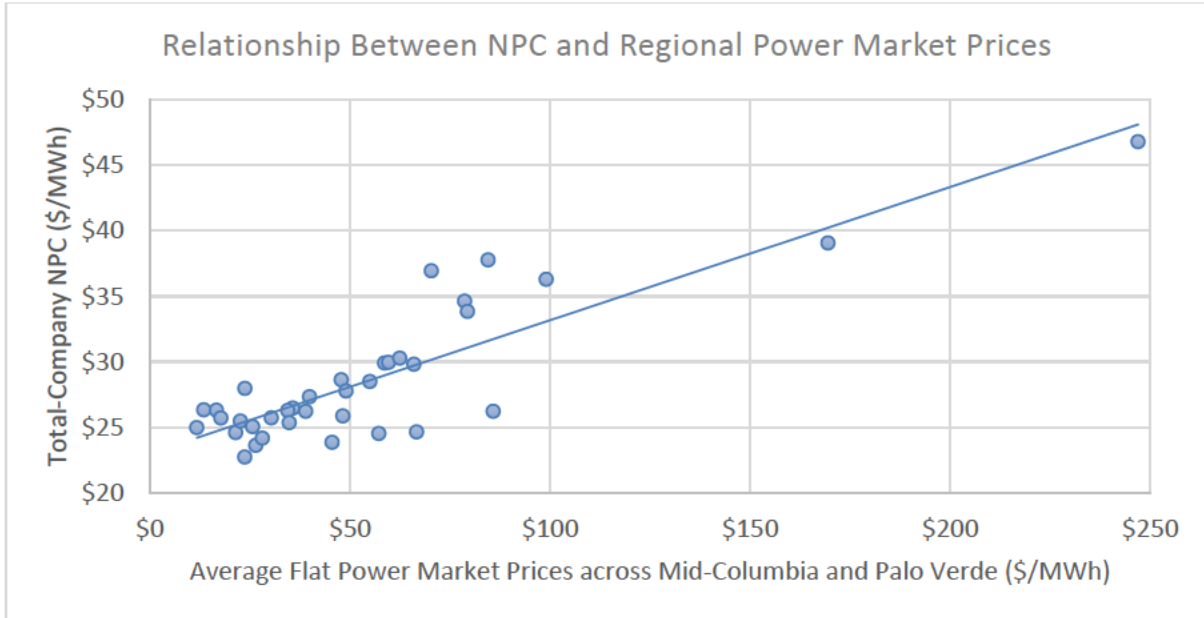
9 There are two items of note: 1) the 2023 TAM NPC forecast of calendar year 2023 at
10 \$1.977 billion is substantially under-forecast (i.e., the forecast is less than the
11 expected actuals) as discussed in detail in Section IV of my testimony above; and 2)
12 within the actuals, there is a clear upward trend in NPC.

13 **Q. Regarding the second layer, please elaborate on this upward trend in NPC and**
14 **the associated extrapolation.**

15 A. When actual NPC is broken down to the monthly granularity, it is observed that there
16 is a proportionate relationship between actual NPC and regional power market prices.
17 This relationship is illustrated in Figure 1 below.

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Figure 1: Relationship Between NPC and Power Market Prices



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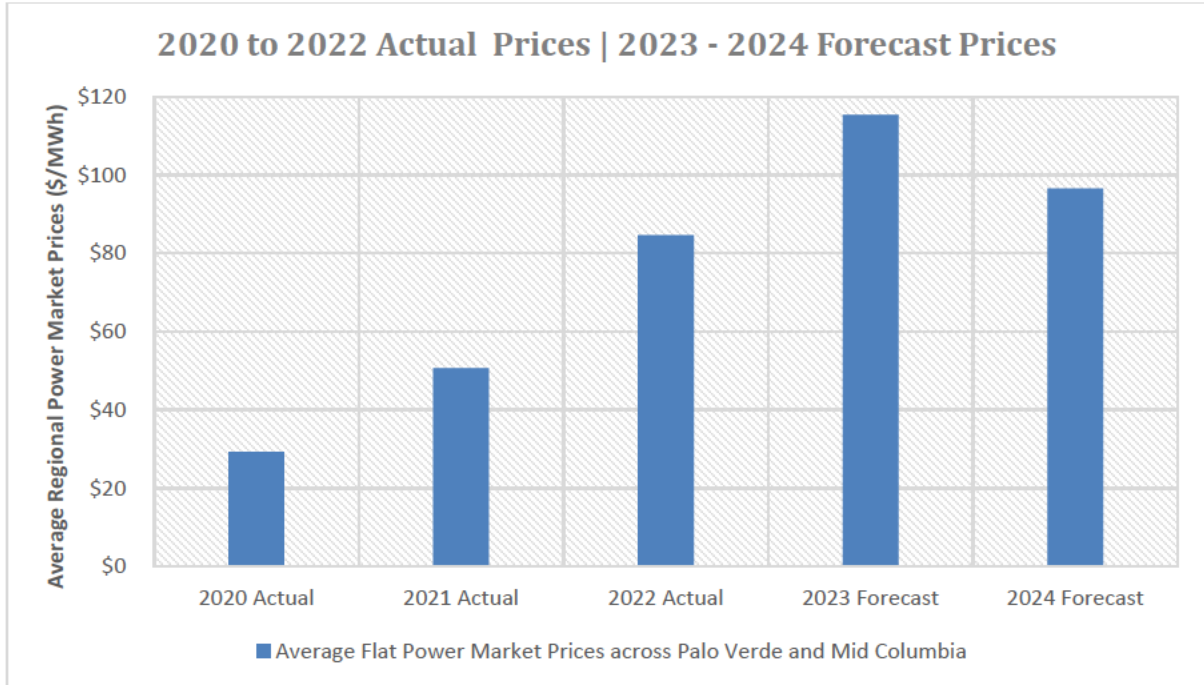
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To establish a baseline reference for what a reasonable 2024 NPC forecast (without any new operational changes or federal/state environmental compliance requirements) might be, we can extrapolate the relationship between regional power market prices and NPC as shown in the figure above. This extrapolation suggests 2024 NPC of \$2.201 billion. Figure 2 below illustrates year-over-year changes in actual and forecast regional power market prices that provide context for the *actual* NPC increases in Table 1 and context for the extrapolation of 2024 NPC (absent any changes in operations or environmental compliance requirements) at \$2.201 billion.

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Figure 2: Actual and Forecast Power Market Prices



2 **Q. Regarding the third layer, please elaborate on some of the new and upcoming**
3 **operational changes and environmental compliance requirements not captured**
4 **in the historical data or the trend.**

5 A. Historical NPC and the corresponding relationship with regional power market prices
6 have not captured any of the cost impacts of five substantive changes to the 2024
7 landscape: 1) the expansion and revision of the Environmental Protection Agency's
8 (EPA) OTR on nitrogen oxides' (NO_x) emissions limits to encompass all thermal
9 generation in the states of Wyoming and Utah; 2) the new program in Washington
10 state (the Washington Cap and Invest Program) that essentially taxes GHG emissions
11 through required purchases of greenhouse gas allowances (impacting the Chehalis
12 gas-fired plant located in Washington state); 3) the conversion of the Jim Bridger
13 power plant's units 1 and 2 from coal-fired to gas-fired units; 4) the removal of four
14 hydroelectric projects along the Klamath river; and 5) coal supply limitations

1 impacting all Company coal-fired plants in the state of Utah. These five changes and
2 their individual impacts to NPC are described in more detail, below in my testimony.
3 In aggregate they increase NPC by \$456 million on a total-company basis.

4 **Q. How do these three layers demonstrate the reasonableness of the NPC forecast?**

5 A. The historical actual NPC in combination with the proportionate relationship between
6 NPC and regional power market prices suggest that, absent any changes in
7 environmental compliance requirements or operations, \$2.201 billion is a reasonable
8 NPC forecast for 2024. After layering on an additional \$456 million to account for
9 the aforementioned upcoming environmental compliance requirements and
10 operational changes, which are not reflected in the historical data, a reasonable
11 benchmark for 2024 NPC becomes \$2.656 billion which is 0.5 percent above the
12 proposed \$2.642 billion total-company NPC. This difference of 0.5 percent results
13 from the use of a relatively simple trend analysis as a reference for the 2024 NPC
14 (absent environmental compliance requirements or operations changes) as compared
15 to the more detailed production-cost modeling within Aurora.

16 **VI. DISCUSSION OF NPC CHANGES IN THE TAM**

17 **Q. Please generally describe the changes in NPC compared to the 2023 TAM.**

18 A. The increase in NPC is driven by a reduction in wholesale sales revenue, increased
19 purchased power expense, increased natural gas fuel expense, and increased wheeling
20 and other expense. This is partially offset by a reduction in coal fuel expense. Table
21 2 for dollars and Table 3 for energy illustrate the changes in total-company NPC by
22 category from the 2023 TAM NPC to the 2024 TAM NPC while Confidential Figure

1 3 illustrates the generation changes in Table 3 as a generation resource stack
2 visualization.

3 **Table 2: NPC Reconciliation Dollars**

Net Power Cost Reconciliation		
	(\$ millions)	\$/MWh
OR 2023 TAM Forecast¹	1,996	32.30
Increase/(Decrease) to NPC:		
Wholesale Sales Revenue	137.0	
Purchased Power Expense	159.2	
Coal Fuel Expense	(87.9)	
Natural Gas Fuel Expense	427.1	
Wheeling and Other Expense	10.8	
Total Change to NPC	646.2	
OR 2024 TAM Forecast	<u>2,642</u>	39.65

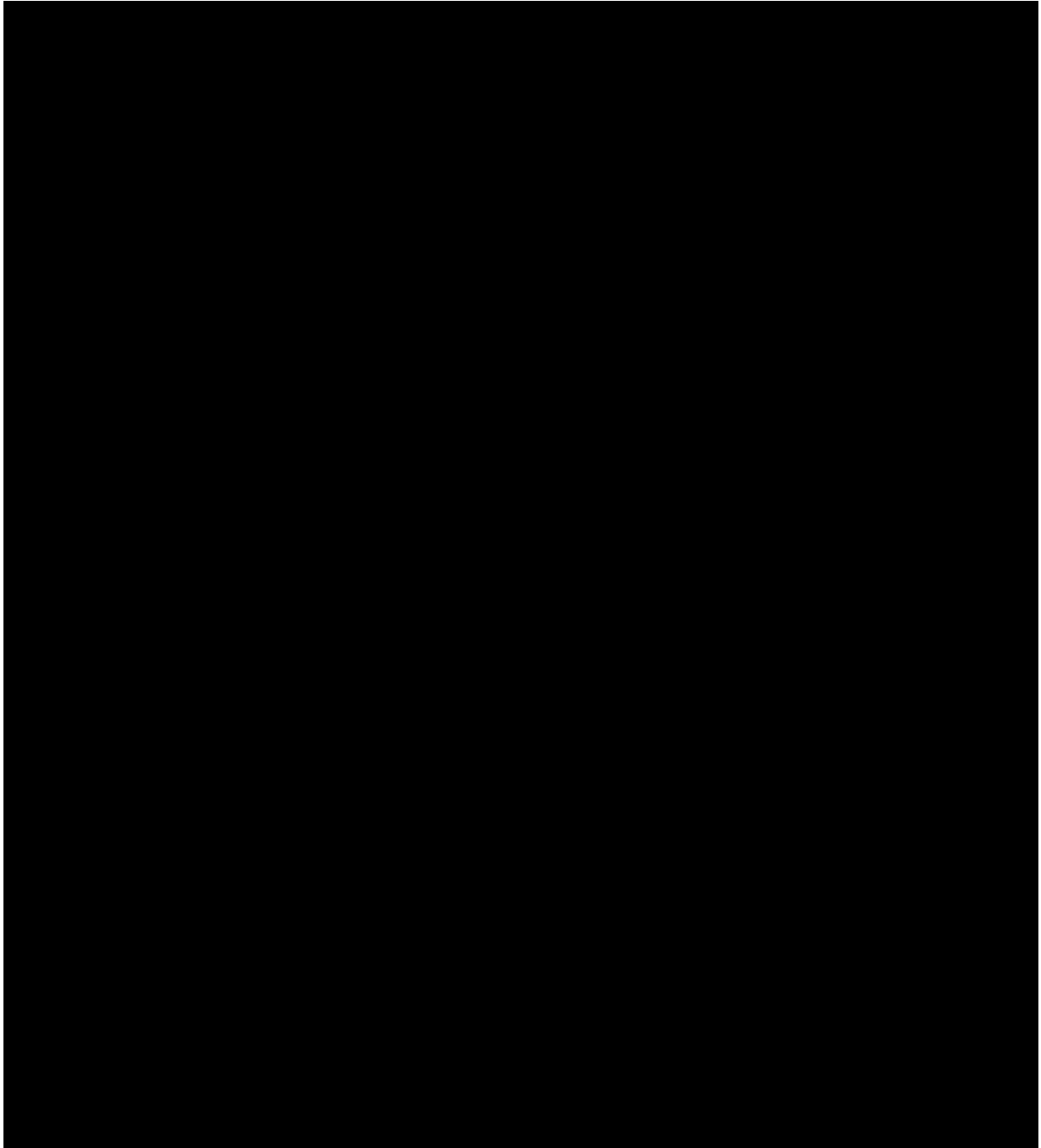
¹ This forecast does not include the impact of the OTR, the Washington Cap and Invest Program or the settled unspecified monetary adjustment of \$18.9 million total-company.

4 **Table 3: NPC Reconciliation Energy**

Net Power Cost Reconciliation		
	MWh	\$/MWh
OR 2023 TAM Forecast	61,802,663	32.30
Change to Net System Load:		
Wholesale Sales Decrease	2,946,233	
Purchased Power Increase	3,880,420	
Coal Generation Decrease	(10,065,681)	
Natural Gas Generation Increase	8,876,822	
Other Generation Decrease	(815,569)	
Total Change to Net System Load	4,822,225	
OR 2024 TAM Forecast	<u>66,624,888</u>	39.65

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Confidential Figure 3: 2023 vs 2024 Generation Resource Stack Comparison



2 **Q. Please explain the increase in purchased power expense.**

3 A. The purchased power expense increases in tandem with increased purchased power
4 volumes due to lower coal generation to comply with the OTR emissions limits in
5 conjunction with limited coal supply availability in the state of Utah (discussed

1 further in the testimony of Company witness Owen), the decrease in generation at the
2 Chehalis plant due to the Washington energy tax, the outage for Jim Bridger units 1
3 and 2 to complete the gas conversion and expectations of low hydroelectric
4 generation. I explain these individual drivers in more detail, below in my testimony.

5 **Q. Please explain the decrease in coal fuel expense and the increase in natural gas**
6 **fuel expense.**

7 A. Coal generation in both Wyoming and Utah is subject to the new emissions limits in
8 the OTR, resulting in a decrease to coal generation and associated decrease to coal
9 fuel expense. Furthermore, coal supply availability has diminished, resulting in
10 lowered coal generation availability, lower coal generation, and lower coal fuel
11 expense, in that order. Additionally, the gas conversion of Jim Bridger units 1 and 2
12 remove two generating units out of the coal fuel expense category, further decreasing
13 coal fuel expense. Inversely, natural gas generation increases due to the gas
14 conversion of Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 which adds two generating units into the
15 natural gas fuel expense category, increasing natural gas fuel expense. Natural gas
16 generation, and corresponding natural gas fuel expense, also increases due to
17 increased generation at other gas units to meet load and reserve obligations left
18 behind after the decrease in coal and hydroelectric generation.

19 **Q. Please explain the decrease in wholesale sales revenue and the increase in**
20 **wheeling and other expense.**

21 A. With decreased net generation, excess capacity available for offer into the wholesale
22 power markets decreases and therefore wholesale sales volume and the corresponding
23 wholesales sales revenue decreases in tandem. Wheeling expense increases relative

1 to the forecast in the 2023 TAM based on increases in the historical wheeling
2 expenses supporting 2022 actual purchased power volumes.

3 **VII. ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS AND OPERATIONS CHANGES**

4 **Q. What environmental compliance requirements or operations changes are**
5 **forecast to have a substantial impact on 2024 NPC?**

6 A. There are six, which are: 1) the expansion and revision of the OTR on NO_x emissions
7 limits to encompass all thermal generation in the states of Wyoming and Utah; 2) the
8 establishment of a *de-facto* tax impacting generation at Chehalis; 3) the conversion of
9 Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 from coal-fired to gas-fired units; 4) expectations of lower
10 hydroelectric generation; 5) the construction of the Gateway South transmission line
11 (a portion of the Energy Gateway transmission expansion), which relieves
12 transmission limitations on the output of wind generation in Wyoming;¹¹ and 6) coal
13 supply limitations impacting all Company coal-fired plants in the state of Utah.

14 **The Ozone Transport Rule**

15 **Q. Please generally describe the OTR.**

16 A. The EPA is in the process of establishing annual limits on the amount of NO_x that can
17 be emitted by certain states including Wyoming and Utah. These NO_x limits apply
18 during the ozone season, which spans May 1st to September 30th. They apply to Utah
19 starting in 2023 and are assumed to apply to Wyoming starting in 2024. The final
20 rule has been issued, but there remains uncertainty regarding the implementation, and
21 a decision on the inclusion of Wyoming in 2024 has been deferred.

¹¹ The cost impacts of the Energy Gateway transmission expansion are not included in the analysis that demonstrates the reasonableness of the Company's proposed NPC for the test period because they are already captured in the historical data that supports that reasonability analysis.

1 **Q. How did you implement the OTR in the NPC forecast?**

2 A. Functionally, NO_x emissions limits are no different from coal contract volumetric
3 limits, transmission capacity limits, generator capacity limits, or any of the other
4 myriad limits inherent to the Company's operations. All Company operated gas-fired
5 and coal-fired generation units in the states of Wyoming and Utah are now
6 constrained by specific NO_x emissions limits across the ozone season. These unit
7 level NO_x emissions limits are directly input into Aurora, which natively allows for
8 this type of modeling.

9 **Q. There is uncertainty around the implementation of the OTR, how will you**
10 **manage this uncertainty in the NPC forecast?**

11 A. Pending further clarifying guidance from the EPA the Company proposes to refresh
12 the NPC forecast with updated data on this environmental compliance requirement
13 during the normal update schedule, during the pendency of this case, up to and
14 inclusive of the final filing in November.

15 **Q. What is the impact to NPC of this environmental compliance requirement?**

16 A. Assuming that both Utah and Wyoming are subject to the OTR in 2024, the impact of
17 this adjustment is an increase of \$202 million on a total-company basis or \$58 million
18 on an Oregon-allocated basis. This increase is driven by increased market purchases
19 to cover the generation reduction.

20 Assuming that only Utah is subject to the OTR in 2024, the impact of this
21 adjustment is an increase of \$31 million on a total-company basis or \$8.8 million on
22 an Oregon-allocated basis.

1 **The Washington Cap and Invest Program**

2 **Q. How does the Washington Cap and Invest Program impact the Company's load**
3 **service in Oregon?**

4 A. The Washington Cap and Invest Program requires that the Company purchase GHG
5 allowances for any GHG emissions output within the state of Washington for export
6 outside the state of Washington. The only source of GHG emitting energy owned by
7 the Company in the state of Washington is the Chehalis gas-fired plant. For all
8 energy exported out of Washington from the Chehalis plant, there is an associated
9 GHG cost proportionate to the energy exported. Therefore, for all energy allocated to
10 Oregon from the Chehalis plant, there is an incremental dollar-per-megawatt-hour
11 (\$/MWh) cost based on the GHG allowance price for the test period.

12 **Q. What is the GHG allowance price applied to the Chehalis plant for this test**
13 **period?**

14 A. The GHG allowance price is currently forecasted as [REDACTED] for calendar year
15 2024 based off the auction clearing price as of March 7, 2023.¹² The Company
16 proposes to refresh the NPC forecast with updated data, inclusive of more granular
17 prices, on this environmental compliance requirement during the normal update
18 schedule, during the pendency of this case, up to and inclusive of the final filing in
19 November.

¹² WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY, *Washington Cap-and-Invest Program Auction #1 Summary Report* (Mar. 7, 2023) available at <https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/publications/documents/2302022.pdf>.

1 **Q. How are the Washington Cap and Invest Program costs similar to other costs or**
2 **revenues that have been previously included in NPC?**

3 A. The Washington Cap and Invest Program is a *de-facto* tax program that assesses a
4 charge per megawatt-hour (MWh) of energy produced from certain types of resources
5 located in Washington state. From a cost perspective, the impact of this program on
6 the Company's service territory is identical to: 1) the impact of the current EIM GHG
7 benefits received as a result of California's Cap and Trade program; 2) the impact of
8 the current EIM inter-regional transfer benefits received from the CAISO's EIM,
9 which reduces EIM export benefits by assessing a GHG related energy tax on inter-
10 regional transfers into the state of California from the Company's thermal generators;
11 and 3) Wyoming's wind tax.

12 **Q. What is the impact to NPC of this environmental compliance requirement?**

13 A. The impact of this adjustment is an increase of \$73 million on a total-company basis
14 or \$21 million on an Oregon-allocated basis. This increase is driven by increased
15 market purchases to cover the generation reduction.

16 **Jim Bridger Power Plant's Natural Gas Conversion – Units 1 and 2**

17 **Q. Please describe what is taking place at Jim Bridger units 1 and 2.**

18 A. Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 are proposed to be converted to gas-fired units. Currently,
19 these two units are coal-fired.

20 **Q. Why are Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 being converted to gas?**

21 A. Emissions requirements imposed by the EPA required the installation of a selective
22 catalytic reduction system to reduce NO_x emissions from Jim Bridger units 1 and 2
23 for continued coal-fired operations past December 31, 2023. Gas conversion was

1 identified as a more economically viable option in the long-term analysis of the
2 integrated resource planning process partially driven by a need for the Company to
3 retain as much upward-dispatchable capacity as possible.

4 **Q. What is the impact to NPC of this conversion?**

5 A. There are two impacts. The first impact is the result of replacing the coal-fired units
6 with similarly sized gas-fired units, all other things equal. The impact of this
7 adjustment is an increase of \$92 million on a total-company basis or \$26 million on
8 an Oregon-allocated basis. This increase is driven by the fact that natural gas fuel is
9 more expensive than coal fuel. The second impact is the result of the outage period
10 necessary to accomplish the gas conversion. With both units being out of service
11 from [REDACTED] there is a \$42 million increase on a total-
12 company basis or \$12 million on an Oregon-allocated basis. This increase is driven
13 by increased market purchases to cover the generation loss.

14 **Q. Why are the NPC impacts of the Jim Bridger units' gas conversion separated**
15 **into two components?**

16 A. The first impact is permanent and starts with a counterfactual in which the units are
17 instantaneously converted to gas on January 1, 2024, this counterfactual is necessary
18 due to the EPA's requirement that coal-fired operations cease on December 31, 2023.
19 The second impact is temporary (the gas conversion process is a one-off event) and
20 presents an isolated impact of the outage in 2024, which examines the effect of
21 replacing gas generation with market purchases.

1 **Hydroelectric Generation Reduction**

2 **Q. How much has hydroelectric generation decreased between the 2023 TAM and**
3 **this current filing?**

4 A. The forecast for calendar year 2024 hydroelectric generation has decreased by
5 approximately 569,000 MWh (16 percent) as compared to the 2023 TAM filing.

6 **Q. Why has hydroelectric generation decreased?**

7 A. The pending removal of the four Company-operated hydroelectric projects¹³ along the
8 Klamath river drives this decrease. These projects total approximately 180
9 megawatts of capacity and will cease operations by the end of 2023.

10 **Q. What is the impact to NPC of these hydroelectric projects' removal?**

11 A. The impact of this adjustment is an increase of \$53 million on a total-company basis
12 or \$15 million on an Oregon-allocated basis. This increase is driven by increased
13 market purchases to cover the generation reduction.

14 **Gateway South Transmission Project**

15 **Q. What is the Gateway South Transmission Project?**

16 A. As part of the Company's Energy Gateway transmission expansion, the Company is
17 building a 500-kilovolt high-voltage transmission line, known as Gateway South,
18 extending from the Aeolus substation in southeastern Wyoming into the Clover
19 substation in central Utah.

20 **Q. What are the qualitative benefits of this Gateway South transmission build?**

21 A. The Gateway South Project will meet load growth, provide increased reliability, and
22 improve operational flexibility in conjunction with future generation resources,

¹³ J.C. Boyle, Copco 1, Copco 2 and Iron Gate hydroelectric projects.

1 including renewable energy. Specifically, it will allow for the release of “trapped
2 energy” from wind resources in Wyoming. This concept of trapped energy is
3 discussed in more detail, below in my testimony.

4 **Q. What is the impact to NPC of the Gateway South transmission build?**

5 A. The line is forecast to go into service in October of 2024, resulting in a decrease in
6 NPC of \$19 million on a total-company basis or \$5.5 million on an Oregon-allocated
7 basis, primarily driven by increased wind generation.

8 **Coal Supply Limitations**

9 **Q. What limitations are there on projected coal supply in this 2024 TAM?**

10 A. Please refer to the testimony of Company witness Owen who elaborates on projected
11 limitations to the availability of coal in the state of Utah.

12 **Q. What is the impact to NPC of this coal supply limitation?**

13 A. The impact of this limitation is an increase of \$108 million on a total-company basis
14 or \$31 million on an Oregon-allocated basis. This increase is driven by increased
15 market purchases to cover the generation reduction.

16 **VIII. MODELING IMPROVEMENTS**

17 **Q. In addition to the modeling improvements proposed in last year’s filing, is the**
18 **Company incorporating any additional modeling improvements into this year’s**
19 **TAM?**

20 A. Yes. The Company is proposing the following modeling improvement:

- 21 • Trapped energy will be appropriately substituted for curtailment of generation
22 to reflect actual operations.

1 **Trapped Energy**

2 **Q. Please explain the Company's trapped energy concept.**

3 A. Primarily, trapped energy is a modeling concept only and does not exist in actual
4 operations. It represents any excess generation that cannot be used to serve load due
5 to transmission constraints or system-level oversupply. Because of limited
6 transmission and the need for supply and demand to always be balanced, the trapped
7 energy is captured within a modeled trapped energy zone and serves "pseudo load"
8 that is regulated by a "pseudo generator" with an infinite ramp rate ("pseudo" - *i.e.*,
9 the load and generation in the trapped energy zone are also modeling constructs that
10 do not exist in actual operations).

11 **Q. Why was the trapped energy modeling concept necessary in the old Generation
12 and Regulation Initiative Decision Tools (GRID) model?**

13 A. Conceptually, the trapped energy zones allow for a feasible model solution in the
14 event of an inability to maintain the supply/demand balance when there is excess
15 supply. However, the primary function of trapped energy zones in prior GRID NPC
16 simulations was to allow for Company-owned PTC eligible wind to be modeled with
17 a reasonable degree of accuracy. Due to an inability in GRID to model resources
18 with a negative dispatch cost (representative of PTCs, in the case of wind), these wind
19 resources could not provide the proper price signal to the model and therefore could
20 not be accurately represented within GRID's resource stack. As a work-around, the
21 wind resources were simulated as must run resources and all excess wind generation
22 within a transmission constrained area was funneled into a trapped energy zone.

1 **Q. How was energy in the trapped energy zone valued?**

2 A. In the 2023 TAM, the Company valued trapped energy at 25 percent of market prices,
3 which led to overstated sales revenue. Since this trapped energy concept does not
4 exist in actual operations, the value of trapped energy should be zero.

5 **Q. How does Aurora eliminate the need for trapped energy zones?**

6 A. Aurora eliminates the need for trapped energy zones by allowing for wind curtailment
7 while recognizing the PTC benefits that produce an implied negative dispatch cost.

8 The NPC simulation in Aurora places the wind resources at the bottom of the
9 resource stack and allows the model to dispatch the wind resources downwards when
10 there is more energy from the wind resources than there is transmission to move the
11 energy to load or when the ramp capability of dispatchable resources is unable to
12 follow sharp hour-to-hour ramps in wind generation. This reflects how wind
13 resources are actually operated and actually dispatched downwards in actual
14 operations.

15 **Q. Please quantify the NPC impact of allowing wind to be curtailed in similar fashion**
16 **as actual operations.**

17 A. The impact of allowing for realistic wind curtailment is an increase of \$14 million on
18 a total-company basis or \$4.1 million on an Oregon-allocated basis, driven by: 1) a
19 reduction in pseudo-wholesale sales revenue earned from the sales of energy derived
20 from a modeling construct that does not exist in actual operations; and 2) incremental
21 wind curtailments needed to maintain the supply/demand balance within a
22 transmission congested region when considering that sharp hour-to-hour ramps in

1 wind generation cannot be completely balanced by relatively slow ramping coal units
2 present in the region.

3 **Q. Is it still necessary to value the trapped energy zone at zero percent of market**
4 **prices after allowing for wind curtailments?**

5 A. No, there would be no impact. After allowing for appropriate wind curtailment, the
6 trapped energy modeling construct has been removed. That is to say, there are no
7 more trapped energy zones modeled in this filing.

8 **IX. COMPLIANCE WITH TAM ORDERS**

9 **Q. The 2021 TAM Order describes certain actions that need to be taken prior to the**
10 **2024 TAM filing. What are those actions?**

11 A. In Order No. 20-392, the Commission adopted the stipulation reached between the
12 parties.¹⁴ The Company agreed to the following:

- 13 • Performing an informational model run that removes any operational
14 constraints related to the minimum take provisions in the coal supply
15 agreements and uses an average coal price for purposes of dispatching coal
16 plants (to be provided in 15-day workpapers).

17 **Q. Has the Company performed this informational model run?**

18 A. Yes. The informational model run will be provided with the 15-day workpapers for
19 this filing.

20 **Q. The 2023 TAM Order describes certain actions that need to be taken prior to the**
21 **2024 TAM filing. What are those actions?**

22 A. In Order No. 22-389, the Commission adopted the stipulation reached between the

¹⁴ See *In the matter of PacifiCorp dba Pacific Power's 2021 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 375, Order No. 20-392 (Oct. 30, 2020).

1 parties.¹⁵ The Company agreed to the following:

- 2 • PacifiCorp will make best efforts to provide to parties a benchmarking study
3 that uses inputs from 2019 actuals on February 1, 2023.

4 **Q. Did the Company provide the benchmarking study on February 1, 2023 as**
5 **requested in the 2023 TAM Order?**

6 A. Yes. The study was provided and is attached to this testimony as Exhibit PAC/106.
7 The relevant workpapers are also provided concurrently with this filing.

8 **Q. Were there other items that needed to be followed-up on from the 2023 TAM**
9 **Order?**

10 A. Yes. The following Table 4 lists some of the information that was ordered or agreed
11 to by joint stipulation in the 2023 TAM Order and describes where it has been
12 provided:

Table 4: Information Requested in Order No. 22-389

Order/Stipulation Requirement	Details
PacifiCorp shall explain further how dispatch of generation resources is changing materially year over year in response to the changing utilization of coal plants from 2021 to 2022 and 2022 to 2023 and discuss the drivers of the change in resource mix in 2023.	Provided in Section X of this testimony.
PacifiCorp shall provide a unit-by-unit comparison of the PacifiCorp portion of the projected coal delivery in tons, coal burned, energy generation in MWh, and coal cost by month and in total between the respective TAM forecast years of 2021 to 2022 and 2022 to 2023.	Provided in the concurrent workpapers that accompany this filing.
PacifiCorp affirms that the Schedule 296 calculations used to calculate the Consumer Opt-Out Charge, including all supporting work papers, will be provided consistent with the TAM guidelines, 30 days after filing the TAM.	Will be provided in the 30-day workpapers for this filing.

¹⁵ See *In the matter of PacifiCorp dba Pacific Power's 2023 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 400, Order No. 22-389 (Oct. 25, 2022).

As long as there are coal-fired Jim Bridger units in Oregon rates and they are fueled with coal from Bridger Coal Company, PacifiCorp will provide a copy of the updated annual Bridger Coal Company mine plan along with any alternatives that were also evaluated for PacifiCorp in future TAM filings.	These are provided in PacifiCorp's workpapers associated with this filing.
For the 2024 TAM proceeding, PacifiCorp is directed to provide projections for its Hunter contract, including an analysis of the appropriate minimum take and overall thermal fleet usage in multiple scenarios.	This is discussed in Section IV of Company witness Owen's testimony.
PacifiCorp to hold a workshop with Staff and parties within a reasonable time after PacifiCorp's execution of the CSA and prior to the 2025 TAM.	As discussed in Company witness Owen's testimony, this workshop will be held before the 2025 TAM.
PacifiCorp shall within 30 days of the issuance of this order provide a current version of the "Contract Minimum" table provided in docket UE 375 in response to ALJ Bench Request 3.2 and in docket UE 390 in response to ALJ Bench Request 1. PacifiCorp shall file an updated version of this table in its 2024 TAM filing, as well.	PacifiCorp submitted this table on November 21, 2022 in docket UE 400. A revised version is provided as Exhibit PAC/205 to Company witness Owen's testimony.

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X. CHANGE IN GENERATION RESOURCE DISPATCH

Q. Please explain the Commission's first order as tabulated above in Table 4.

A. In the 2023 TAM Order, the Commission ordered the Company to explain further how dispatch of generation resources is changing materially year over year in response to the changing utilization of coal plants from 2021 to 2022 and 2022 to 2023 and discuss the drivers of the change in resource mix in 2023.

Q. Please explain your interpretation of the Commission's order.

A. From a cause-and-effect perspective, variable power costs and the associated resource stack drives generation resource dispatch, as opposed to coal generation dispatch driving all other generation resource dispatch. From this perspective, the Company understands the Commission's order as directing the Company to explain how all

1 generation resource dispatch is changing materially year over year in response to
2 variable power costs and the associated resource stack from 2021 to 2022 and 2022 to
3 2023, from the perspective of the relevant TAMs.

4 In the context of changing generation resource dispatch, the concept of
5 changes in resource mix is related to the changes in generation resource dispatch
6 produced by different generation technology types as opposed to the installed
7 capacity of different generation technology types. From this perspective, the
8 Company understands the Commission's order as directing the Company to discuss
9 the drivers of the change in generation resource dispatch as it pertains to the MWh
10 production of different generation technology types forecasted in the 2023 TAM as
11 compared to the 2022 TAM.

12 **Q. Please explain how generation resource dispatch changes year over year from**
13 **2021 to 2022 and 2022 to 2023.**

14 A. Changes in generation dispatch are a function of the prevailing resource stack when
15 considering that customer load is served based on the principles of least cost dispatch.
16 Any year-over-year change in generation resource dispatch is correlated with changes
17 in the order and dispatch of the resources in the resource stack. This order is based
18 upon the resources' marginal costs (incremental variable power costs) and the
19 dispatch is dependent on the resources' technology type and prevailing operational
20 constraints.

21 **Q. Elaborate further on the resource stack and how it relates to the principles of**
22 **least cost dispatch.**

23 A. Customer load is served through a combination of generation resources and market

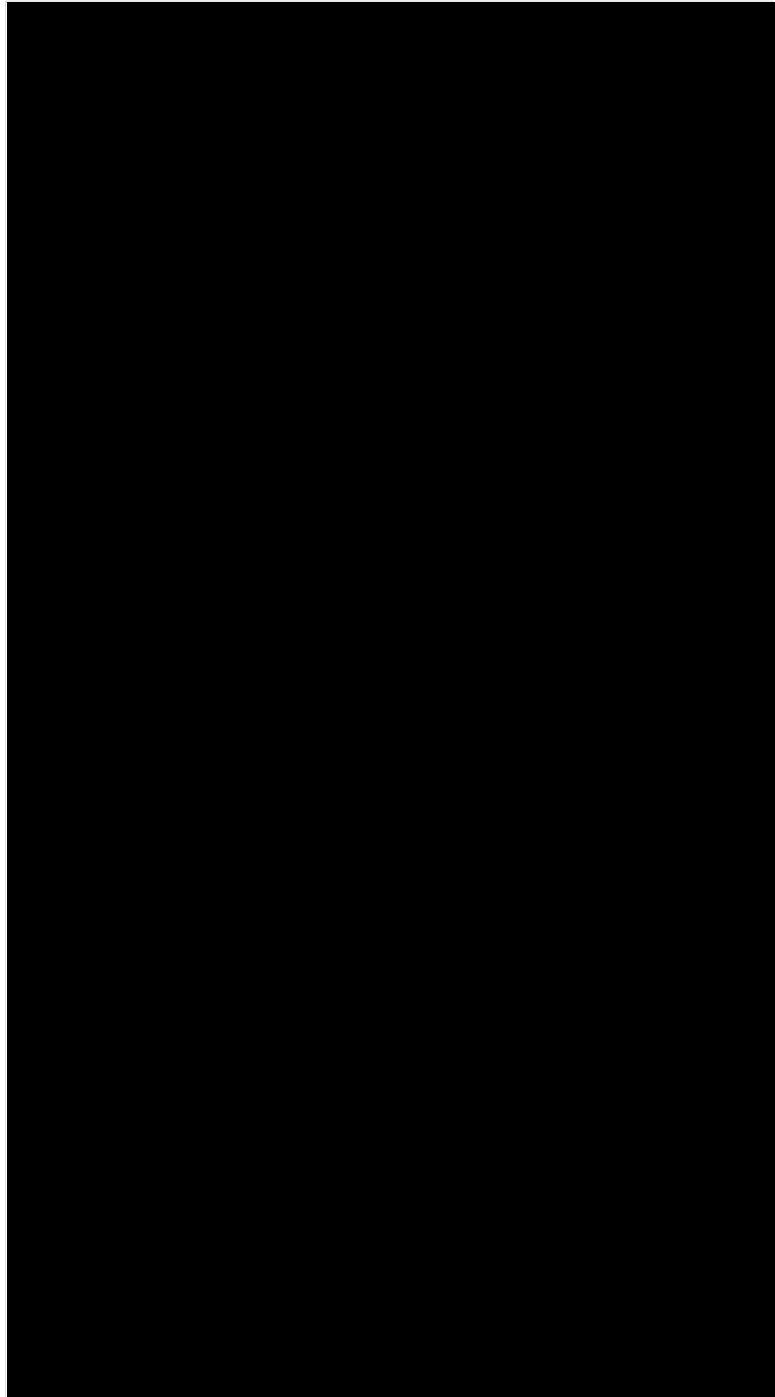
1 resources based on least cost dispatch principles. Least cost dispatch principles
2 establish a resource stack wherein the lowest marginal cost resource is at the bottom
3 of the stack (whether bottom or top is subject to the reader's visualization
4 preferences) and as one moves up the stack the resources become more expensive,
5 with the highest marginal cost resource at the top of the stack. In the context of NPC,
6 the marginal cost of a resource is a measure of the variable cost incurred to serve the
7 next MWh of customer load. Additionally, each resource within the resource stack
8 has a dispatch that determines the resource's size within the stack. This dispatch is
9 dependent on the resource's technology type and prevailing operational constraints.
10 Customer load is satisfied first by the resource at the bottom of the stack and then by
11 going up the stack until the total of the dispatch equals the total customer load.

12 **Q. Please anchor this discussion on the resource stack with an illustration of and**
13 **commentary on the 2021 TAM resource stack.**

14 A. In the context of generation resource dispatch, Confidential Figure 4 below illustrates
15 the annual aggregate generation resource stack from the 2021 TAM projected to serve
16 customer load in 2021.

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Confidential Figure 4: 2021 Resource Stack



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Confidential Figure 4 above illustrates the generation resource stack

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segmented by technology type, with the exception of long-term firm purchases, with

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each segment differentiated and labeled by annual aggregate average prices. The

1 resource stack illustrates the following: 1) at the bottom of the resource stack, 11.5
2 million MWh of generation dispatch from Company owned renewables at \$0/MWh,
3 the least-cost resources on the system; 2) 0.3 million MWh of generation dispatch
4 from Company owned geothermal at an average price of \$17/MWh, differentiated
5 from the renewable portion of the stack due to non-zero costs; 3) 31.5 million MWh
6 of generation dispatch from coal at an average price of \$21/MWh; 4) 11.0 million
7 MWh of generation dispatch from gas at an average price of \$24/MWh; and 5) 10.3
8 million MWh of generation dispatch from long-term firm purchases (qualifying
9 facilities (QF), purchase power agreements (PPA), etc.) at an average price of
10 \$50/MWh. The size of each segment corresponds to the generation dispatch.

11 **Q. How do operational constraints impact the size (generation dispatch) of each**
12 **segment of the resource stack?**

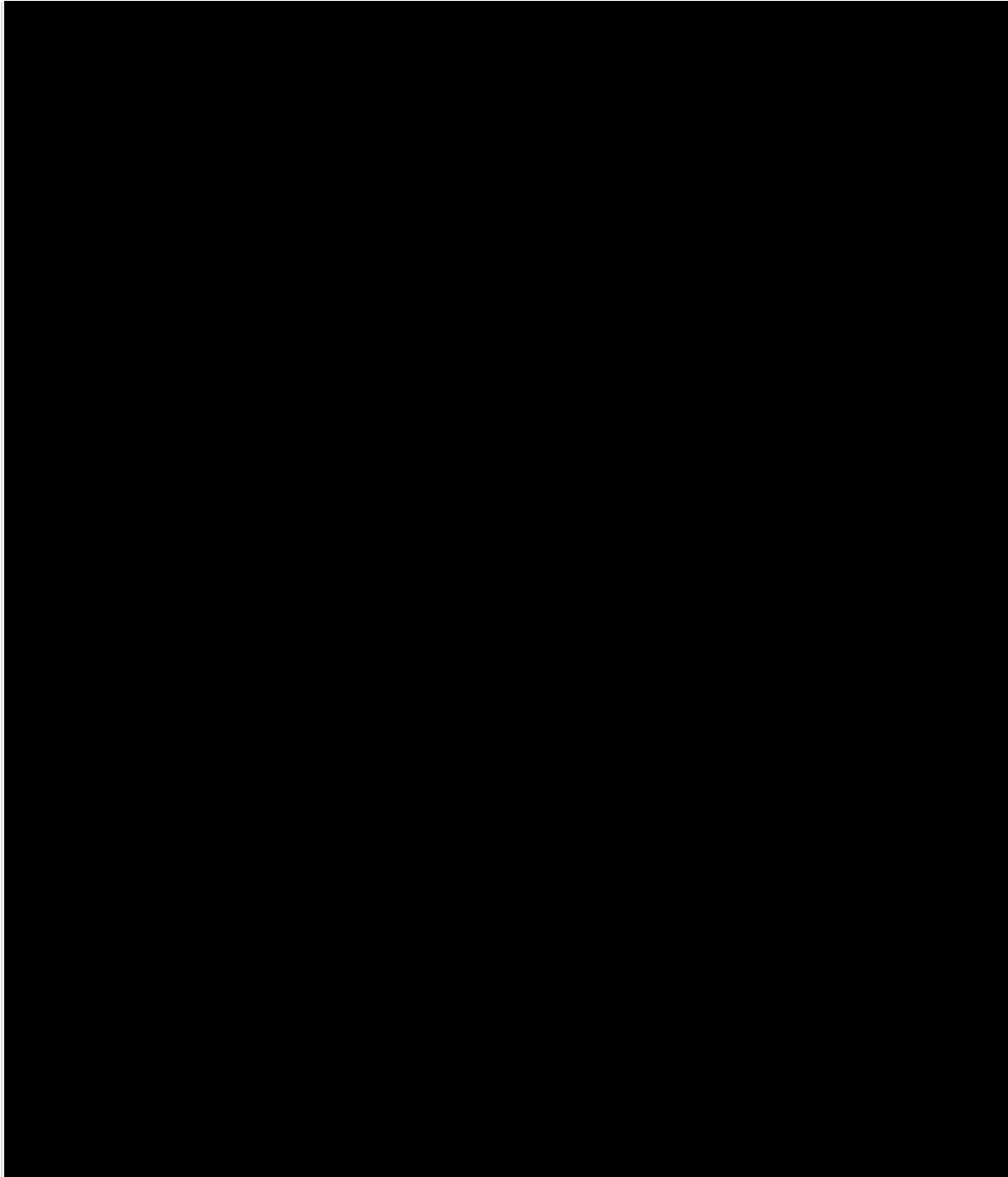
13 A. It depends on the technology type: 1) The generation dispatch of company owned
14 renewables (inclusive of geothermal) are based primarily on natural production
15 (subject to transmission constraints and supply/demand constraints) and their
16 generation dispatch is variable and, absent curtailments or reservoir storage at
17 hydroelectric facilities, out of the Company's control; 2) long-term firm purchases are
18 primarily wind, solar or hydro QFs or PPAs and their generation dispatch is also
19 based on natural production and outside of the Company's control; 3) coal and gas
20 generation dispatch is limited primarily by reserve requirement constraints, as
21 discussed in more detail further below in my testimony, and other operational
22 considerations such as ambient temperature constraints and transmission constraints.

1 **Q. Regarding the Company's interpretation of the Commission's order, please**
2 **explain how all generation resource dispatch is changing materially year over**
3 **year in response to variable power costs.**

4 A. Confidential Figure 5 below compares the 2021 TAM generation resource stack with
5 the 2022 TAM generation resource stack. Across the two years, gas prices increased
6 substantially and this drove a reduction in gas generation dispatch. All other
7 generation dispatch remained relatively constant but for a slight decrease in
8 renewable generation dispatch. The net decrease in gas generation dispatch and
9 renewable generation dispatch was mostly offset by market transactions.

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Confidential Figure 5: 2021 and 2022 Resource Stack



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Confidential Figure 6 below compares the 2022 TAM generation resource

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stack with the 2023 TAM generation resource stack. Across the two years the

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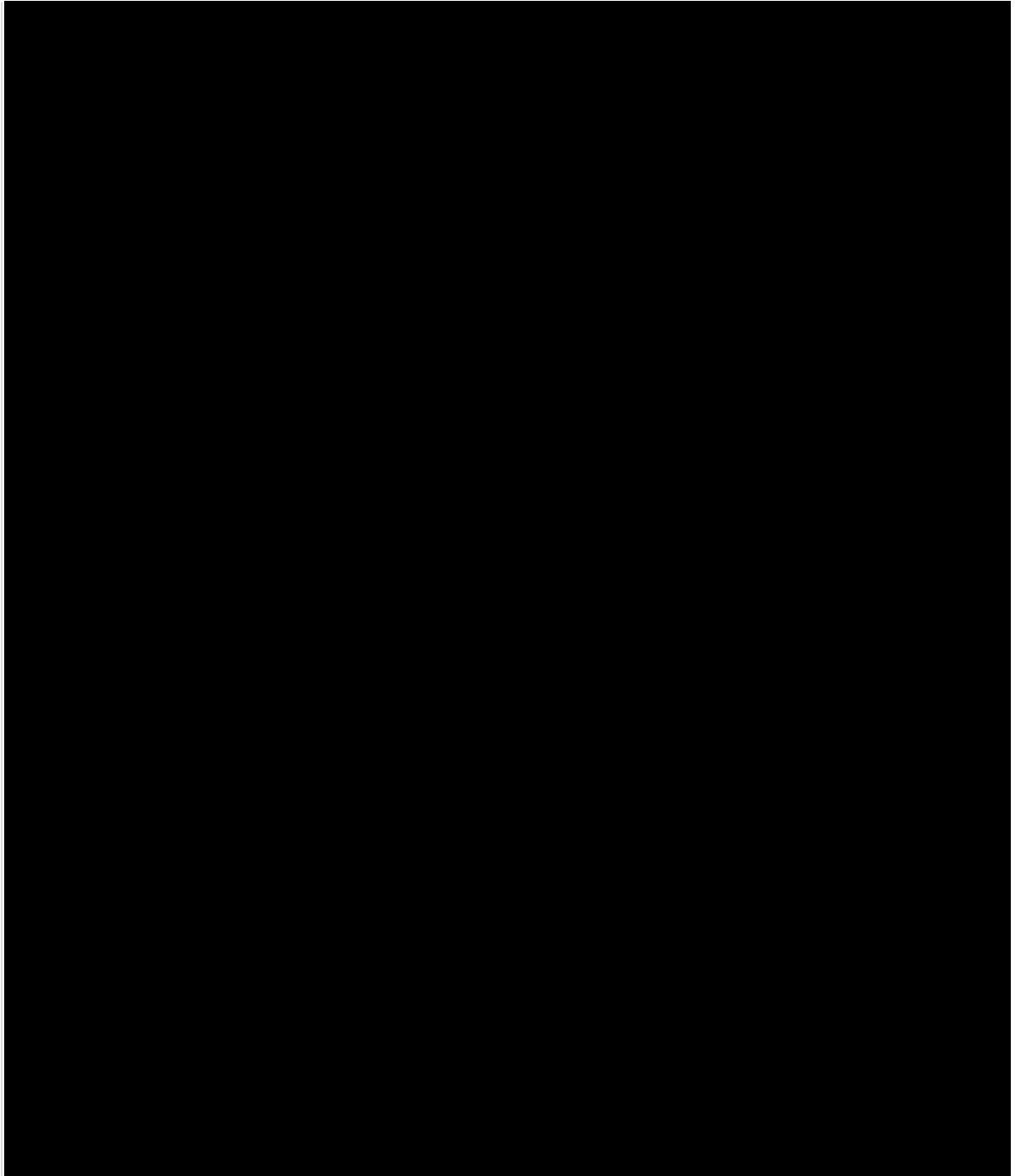
Company transitioned to the Aurora model and incorporated higher regulating reserve

1 requirements to reflect higher operating, reliability and resource adequacy
2 requirements.¹⁶ This increased operational constraint, within the context of a new
3 model that incorporates ramp constraints to maintain the supply-demand balance,
4 reduced the generation availability and associated generation dispatch of coal to: 1)
5 allow for gas to balance sharp hour to hour variations in renewable generation
6 dispatch; and 2) hold additional regulation reserves. Inversely, gas generation
7 dispatch increased to allow for supply-demand balancing, inclusive of the
8 aforementioned variations in renewable generation dispatch, with increases in
9 renewable generation dispatch and long-term firm purchases' generation dispatch
10 offsetting the net decrease across coal and gas generation dispatch.

¹⁶ Docket No. UE 400, PAC/100, Wilding/33.

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Confidential Figure 6: 2022 and 2023 Resource Stack



1 **Q. Please discuss the drivers of the change in generation resource dispatch as it**
2 **pertains to the production of different generation technology types forecasted in**
3 **the 2023 TAM as compared to the 2022 TAM.**

4 A. With changes in dispatch by technology type being equivalent to changes in energy
5 resource mix and with the generation resource stacks in Confidential Figure 6 above
6 as a guide, please refer to the explanation above of how generation resource dispatch
7 (broken out by technology type) changed materially year over year, from 2022 to
8 2023.

9 **Q. In the 2023 TAM Order, the Commission notes that “[i]n the company’s initial**
10 **testimony in the 202[3] TAM, PacifiCorp stated that there was a decline in coal**
11 **generation and volume. In reply testimony, PacifiCorp stated that there was an**
12 **increase in coal generation as part of the company’s optimized dispatch for its**
13 **system.”¹⁷ How do you explain this discrepancy?**

14 A. In reply testimony, the Company’s statement on coal generation increase¹⁸ was in
15 response to a claim made by the Sierra Club in their initial testimony which reads,
16 “PacifiCorp projects higher coal generation compared to the 2022 TAM.”¹⁹ At first
17 glance, it would appear that the Sierra Club’s assertion of higher coal generation may
18 have been deliberately misleading based on the clear and unambiguous data in the
19 2023 TAM NPC workbooks, which showed lower coal generation on aggregate in the
20 2023 TAM initial filing as compared to the 2022 TAM final filing as plainly stated in
21 the Company’s initial testimony.²⁰

¹⁷ Order No. 22-389.

¹⁸ Docket No. UE 400, PAC/600, Mitchell/83 (June 22, 2022).

¹⁹ Docket No. UE 400, Sierra Club/100, Burgess/13 (May 25, 2022).

²⁰ Docket No. UE 400, PAC/100, Wilding/13.

1 In that context, the Company interpreted the Sierra Club’s response as poorly
2 worded as opposed to deliberately misleading and assumed their reference to higher
3 coal generation as being specific to the **one** plant which showed higher coal
4 generation compared to the 2022 TAM. This plant [REDACTED]
5 [REDACTED] amongst the Company’s coal fleet.

6 **Q. In the isolated context of the Company’s response to the Sierra Club’s poorly**
7 **worded statement on higher coal generation, how does “increased coal**
8 **generation as part of the system’s optimized dispatch”²¹ not contradict “lower**
9 **coal generation volume at the Company’s coal plants”²²**

10 A. Interpreting the Sierra Club’s reference to higher coal generation as specific to the
11 [REDACTED], increased coal generation from the least cost coal resource
12 as part of the system’s approach to optimized dispatch is not an unexpected result.
13 This explains the Company’s statement on an increase in coal generation.

14 However, the Company then noted that “[t]his approach optimizes the
15 dispatch of the Company’s existing system in the most economic, or least-cost,
16 manner **while accounting for constraints** [emphasis added].”²³ Within the broader
17 context of the Company’s initial testimony, it was emphasized that the regulating
18 reserve requirement constraint in the 2023 TAM was increased to “reflect the higher
19 operating, reliability and resource adequacy requirements PacifiCorp is currently
20 subject to.”²⁴ Consequently, “[d]ue to the increased resource adequacy standard,

²¹ Docket No. UE 400, PAC/600, Mitchell/83.

²² Docket No. UE 400, PAC/100, Wilding/13.

²³ Docket No. UE 400, PAC/600, Mitchell/84.

²⁴ Docket No. UE 400, PAC/100, Wilding/33.

1 resource generation availability to meet load is reduced”.²⁵ This explains the
2 Company’s statement on a decline in coal generation, which was observed in
3 aggregate.

4 **XI. PRODUCTION TAX CREDITS**

5 **Q. Please describe the treatment of renewable energy PTCs in the 2024 TAM.**

6 A. The 2024 TAM includes changes in projected levels of PTCs. Confidential Exhibit
7 PAC/103 shows the forecast level of PTCs for 2024 compared to the level of PTCs
8 established in the 2023 TAM. The forecast value of Oregon-allocated PTCs for the
9 2024 test period is approximately \$80.4 million, which is higher than the \$72.6
10 million included in the 2023 TAM, resulting in a decrease to the 2024 TAM of \$7.8
11 million.

12 **Q. How are PTCs calculated for the 2024 TAM?**

13 A. The PTC provides a federal income tax credit for the first 10 years of a renewable
14 energy facility’s operation. The PTC is calculated by multiplying the qualifying
15 generation by the current PTC rate of 2.9 cents per kilowatt-hour (kWh) for pre-2022
16 projects or the current PTC rate of 3.0 cents per kWh for projects placed in service
17 after 2022, and then grossing-up for taxes.

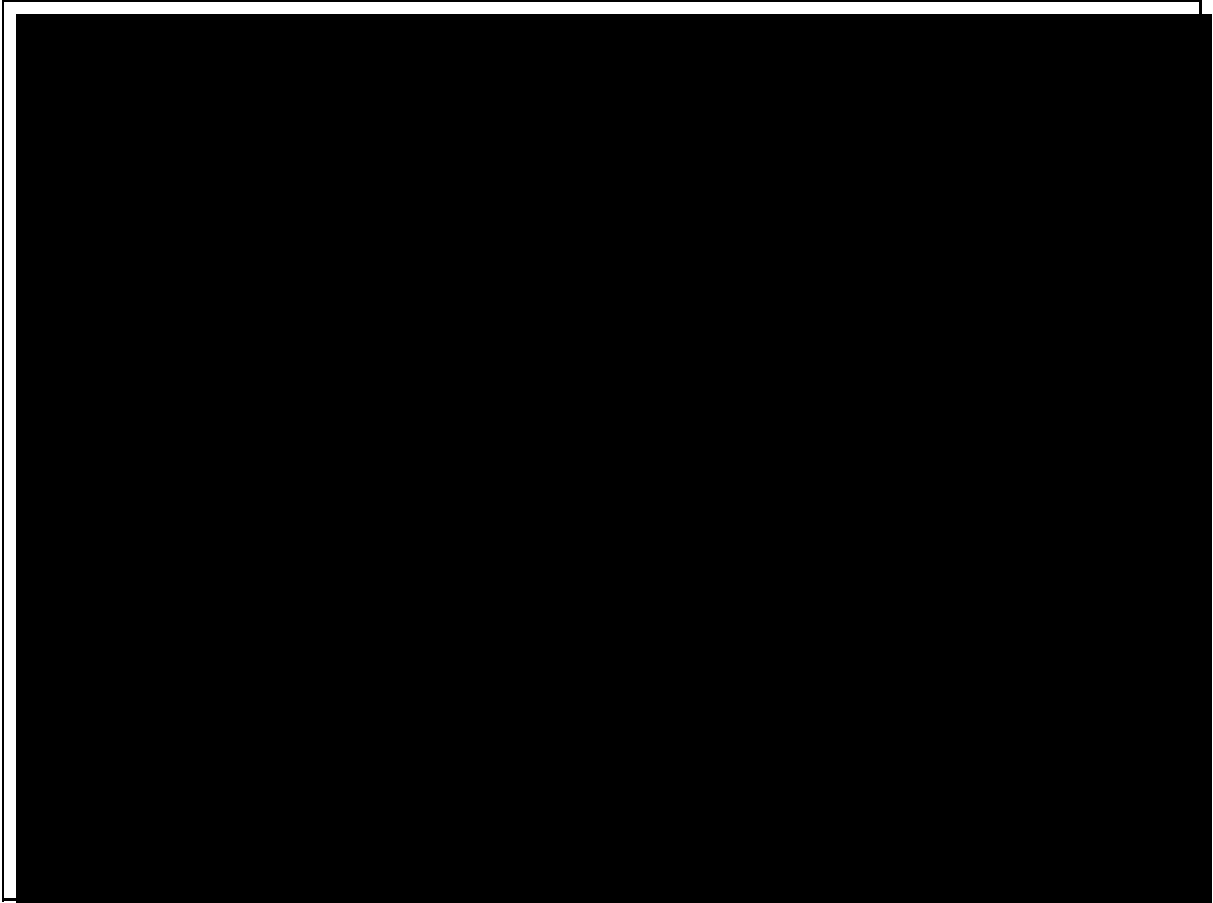
18 **Q. Please describe the capacity, capacity factors, generation and PTCs for the wind
19 projects in the 2024 TAM.**

20 A. As seen in Confidential Table 5 below, on a total-company basis, the total-company-
21 owned wind capacity is 2,198 MW. Total forecast generation on a total-company

²⁵ Docket No. UE 400, PAC/100, Wilding/34.

1 basis is 7,178,397 MWh. The total tax-adjusted PTCs on an Oregon-allocated basis
2 are \$80.4 million.

3 **Confidential Table 5: Company-Owned Wind Projects Generation and PTC Data**



4 **Q. Why is the aggregate wind generation in the 2024 TAM lower than the aggregate**
5 **wind generation in the 2023 TAM?**

6 A. In a review of the 2021 Power Cost Adjustment Mechanism, Commission Staff
7 observed that the Company's wind generation was substantially over-forecast (i.e.,
8 more wind generation in the forecast as compared to the wind generation that
9 materialized in reality). After a review of the TAM filings from calendar years 2016
10 to 2022 the Company found that all seven years, but one, had an over-forecast of
11 wind generation in each final TAM filing as illustrated below in Table 6. The trapped

1 energy modeling enhancement, as discussed above in my testimony, now shows the
2 2024 forecast²⁶ to be more accurate, within 2.0% of 2022 actual wind generation²⁷ as
3 compared to the historical average 11.0% over-forecast of wind generation.

4 **Table 6: Wind Forecast - Variance to Actual**

Period	Actual (MWh)	Forecast (MWh)	Over Forecast/ (Under Forecast)
2024 Counterfactual ²⁶		7,089,449	
2023		7,573,819	
2022	6,949,590	7,545,687	8.6%
2021	6,389,267	7,064,532	10.6%
2020	3,404,418	3,312,773	(2.7%)
2019	1,952,733	2,857,240	46.3%
2018	2,700,550	2,874,335	6.4%
2017	2,400,316	2,874,335	19.7%
2016	2,711,238	2,869,840	5.8%
Historical Result ²⁸ :	11.0%	Over-Forecast	
2024 vs 2022	2.0%	Over-Forecast	
2022 Wind Year	4.3%	Above Normal Wind Year	

5 **XII. TRANSITION ADJUSTMENT AND CONSUMER OPT-OUT CHARGE**

6 **Q. What is the Transition Adjustment?**

7 A. The transition adjustment²⁹ is the difference between the estimated market value of
8 the electricity that is freed up when a customer chooses to leave Cost-Based Supply
9 Service for Direct Access versus the Company's regulated price. The estimated
10 market value of the freed-up electricity is determined by running two NPC forecasts –

²⁶ A modeling sensitivity which keeps constant within the 2024 forecast the wind and transmission assets as of 2022 for the purposes of comparing to the 2022 actual wind generation.

²⁷ Wherein 2022 was also an above normal wind year: i.e., the wind blew 4.3% harder compared to the most recent four-year average.

²⁸ The historical aggregate 11.0% over-forecast excludes calendar year 2021.

²⁹ *Pacific Power Tariff Schedule 294, First Revision of Sheet 294-I*, P.U.C. OR No. 36, available at https://www.pacificpower.net/content/dam/pcorp/documents/en/pacificpower/rates-regulation/oregon/tariffs/rates/294_Transition_Adjustment.pdf.

1 one forecast with the Company serving the Direct Access Consumer and one forecast
2 with the Company not serving the Direct Access Consumer. The difference between
3 the two forecasts is analyzed to calculate the impact on the Company's total system.
4 The impacts are then used to determine the Weighted Market Value of the energy,
5 which is then compared to the Customer's energy-only tariff schedule rate.

6 **Q. What is the Consumer Opt-Out Charge?**

7 A. The Consumer Opt-Out Charge is a transition adjustment applicable to the
8 Company's five-year direct access program and is intended to recover transition costs
9 incurred during years six through 10 following the departure of the direct access load.
10 The Commission approved the Consumer Opt-Out Charge in docket UE 267, after
11 finding that the Company will experience transition costs for 10 years and approved
12 the Consumer Opt-Out Charge to recover the Company's fixed generation costs in
13 years six through 10.³⁰

14 **Q. Has the Company identified any errors in the calculation of the Transition
15 Adjustments and the Consumer Opt-Out Charge?**

16 A. Yes, the Company has identified a discrepancy in the calculation of the Weighted
17 Market Value of the energy (weighted price) for Transition Adjustments and
18 Consumer Opt-Out Charges, as used in Schedules 294, 295 and 296. Currently, the
19 spreadsheet calculations of these weighted prices do not include the DA/RT price
20 adjustment used by the Company in its NPC forecasts. This creates a discrepancy in
21 the weighted price spreadsheet calculations whereby the NPC forecasts that form the
22 foundation of the weighted price spreadsheet calculations are subject to the DA/RT

³⁰ *Re PacifiCorp's Transition Adjustment, Five-Year Cost of Service Opt-Out*, Docket No. UE 267, Order No. 15-060 at 6-7 (Feb. 24, 2016).

1 price adjustment, but the weighted price spreadsheet calculations that derive the
2 Transition Adjustments and Consumer Opt-Out Charges are not subject to the DA/RT
3 price adjustment.

4 **Q. Please explain the DA/RT price adjustment**

5 A. The DA/RT price adjustment is used to better reflect system balancing costs that are
6 not fully captured in NPC forecasts. This adjustment indicates a deviation of actual
7 power market prices available to the Company in real operations from the historical
8 monthly trading-hub-indexed power market prices. To better reflect the market prices
9 available to the Company when it transacts in the power market, the Company
10 calculates separate prices for forecast system balancing sales and for forecast system
11 balancing purchases. These prices account for the historical price differences
12 between the Company's purchases and sales as compared to the monthly average
13 power market-indexed prices. Without consideration of intra-month modifications to
14 the DA/RT price adjustment which are not relevant to this discussion, the DA/RT
15 modeling enhancement was approved by the Commission in the 2016, 2017, and
16 2018 TAM proceedings.³¹

17 **Q. Please explain how the weighted price spreadsheet calculations use power
18 market prices.**

19 A. In the determination of Transition Adjustments or Consumer Opt-Out Charges, all
20 company generation resources are marked-to-market at the monthly granularity in a
21 spreadsheet calculation. More specifically, instead of determining the Transition

³¹ *In re PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power's 2016 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 296, Order No. 15-394 at 4 (Dec. 11, 2015); *In re PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power 2017 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 307, Order No. 16-482 at 13 (Dec. 20, 2016); *In re PacifiCorp, dba Pac. Power 2018 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 323, Order No. 17-444 at 5-9 (Nov. 1, 2017).

1 Adjustments or Consumer Opt-Out Charges using the true marginal costs of the
2 Company's generation resources, the marginal costs are adjusted to be the weighted
3 average of forecast monthly trading-hub-indexed power market prices (the OFPC)
4 and the marginal cost itself. After the DA/RT price adjustment was approved by the
5 Commission, the company adjusted the OFPC within the NPC forecast model, but did
6 not adjust the OFPC within the weighted price spreadsheet calculation.

7 **Q. How has the Company remedied this oversight?**

8 A. The Company has now aligned across its calculations by correcting for this oversight
9 through application of the monthly granularity DA/RT price adjustment to the
10 weighted price spreadsheet calculation.

11 **XIII. COMPANY SUPPLY SERVICE ACCESS CHARGE**

12 **Q. What is the Company Supply Service Access Charge?**

13 A. If a new customer elects new load direct access and then subsequently switches to
14 standard offer or cost-based service, resulting in an increase to rates for existing cost-
15 of-service customers of more than 0.5 percent, the consumer electing to switch to
16 standard offer service or cost-based service will be subject to a four-year forward
17 looking rate adder, the Company Supply Service Access Charge. The 0.5 percent
18 assessment is a reasonable threshold for the Company Supply Service Access Charge
19 that represents a material and significant impact to customers and was acknowledged
20 by the Commission at a public meeting on February 26, 2019.³²

³² *PacifiCorp Schedule 193 New Large Load Direct Access Program*, Docket No. ADV 900, Advice No. 18-010, acknowledged Feb. 26, 2019.

1 **Q. How is the Company Supply Service Access Charge calculated?**

2 A. The Company Supply Service Access Charge is calculated as the incremental
3 difference between the four-year levelized cost of capacity that is calculated for
4 avoided cost and the fixed generation costs, Schedule 200. This calculation fairly
5 assigns the new load direct access consumer that is switching to cost-of-service the
6 additional fixed cost associated with the Company's obligation to serve that consumer
7 less the additional recovery that will be received from that consumer for existing
8 fixed generation in rates. The levelized cost of capacity for the upcoming four years
9 is currently less than the fixed generation costs contained in Schedule 200 and
10 therefore the Company Supply Service Access Charge is \$0/MWh.

11 **XIV. COMPLIANCE WITH TAM GUIDELINES**

12 **Q. Did the Company prepare this filing in accordance with the TAM Guidelines**
13 **adopted by Order No. 09-274, as clarified and amended in later orders?**

14 A. Yes. The Company has complied with the TAM Guidelines applicable to the initial
15 filing in a TAM.

16 **Q. Does this filing include updates to all NPC components identified in Attachment**
17 **A to the TAM Guidelines?**

18 A. Yes.

19 **Q. What workpapers did the Company provide with this filing?**

20 A. In compliance with Attachment B to the TAM Guidelines, the Company provided
21 access to the Aurora project and workpapers concurrently with this initial filing.
22 Specifically, the Company provided the NPC report workbook and the Aurora
23 project.

1 **Q. Did the Company provide a step log of model and input changes describing**
2 **changes to the Company's modeling or inputs that are not considered a standard**
3 **annual update?**

4 A. Yes. The Company has provided the step log as Exhibit PAC/104.

5 **Q. Does this conclude your direct testimony?**

6 A. Yes.

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Exhibit PAC/101
Witness: Ramon J. Mitchell

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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Exhibit Accompanying Direct Testimony of Ramon J. Mitchell

Oregon-Allocated Net Power Costs

April 2023

PacifiCorp
CY 2024 TAM
Initial Filing

Line no	ACCT.	Total Company				Factor	Factors CY 2023	Factors CY 2024 Initial Filing	Oregon Allocated	
		UE-400		TAM					UE-400	TAM
		CY 2023 - Final Filing	CY 2024 - Initial Filing	CY 2023 - Final Filing	CY 2024 - Initial Filing					
1		Sales for Resale								
2		447	6,381,695	-	SG	26.002%	28.701%	1,659,353	-	
3		447	-	-	SG	26.002%	28.701%	-	-	
4		447	556,906,202	426,328,887	SG	26.002%	28.701%	144,805,420	122,362,385	
5		447	-	-	SE	24.920%	28.515%	-	-	
6			Total Sales for Resale	426,328,887				146,464,773	122,362,385	
7										
8		Purchased Power								
9		555	59,530,582	22,795,100	SG	26.002%	28.701%	15,479,000	6,542,514	
10		555	9,126,863	9,531,665	SG	26.002%	28.701%	2,373,145	2,735,722	
11		555	171,504,893	71,888,724	SE	24.920%	28.515%	42,739,259	20,499,156	
12		555	1,094,540,292	1,389,718,118	SG	26.002%	28.701%	284,599,752	398,868,641	
13		555	-	-	SE	24.920%	28.515%	-	-	
14		555	-	-	SG	26.002%	28.701%	-	-	
15			Total Purchased Power	1,493,933,607				345,191,156	428,646,032	
16										
17		Wheeling Expense								
18		565	23,886,724	22,898,000	SG	26.002%	28.701%	6,210,969	6,572,048	
19		565	-	-	SG	26.002%	28.701%	-	-	
20		565	124,541,723	134,214,173	SG	26.002%	28.701%	32,383,041	38,521,355	
21		565	6,893,033	9,027,449	SE	24.920%	28.515%	1,717,753	2,574,188	
22			Total Wheeling Expense	166,139,622				40,311,763	47,667,591	
23										
24		Fuel Expense								
25		501	635,260,287	547,388,163	SE	24.920%	28.515%	158,307,751	156,088,389	
26		501	-	-	SE	24.920%	28.515%	-	-	
27		501	19,326,688	156,802,484	SE	24.920%	28.515%	4,816,238	44,712,416	
28		547	396,871,314	692,508,768	SE	24.920%	28.515%	98,900,886	197,469,703	
29		547	13,620,689	7,592,963	SE	24.920%	28.515%	3,394,295	2,165,143	
30		503	4,484,106	4,440,902	SE	24.920%	28.515%	1,117,446	1,266,329	
31			Total Fuel Expense	1,408,733,280				266,536,615	401,701,979	
32										
33			TAM Settlement Adjustment*	(18,844,704)	-		As Settled	(4,900,000)	-	
34										
35			Net Power Cost (Per Aurora)	2,642,477,623				500,674,760	755,653,217	
36										
37			Oregon Situs NPC Adjustments	(1,091,313)	(905,561)	OR	100.000%	100.000%	(1,091,313)	(905,561)
38			Total NPC Net of Adjustments	2,641,572,061				499,583,447	754,747,655	
39										
40			Production Tax Credit (PTC)	(279,202,594)	(280,217,247)	SG	26.002%	28.701%	(72,597,592)	(80,426,290)
41			Total TAM Net of Adjustments	2,361,354,814				426,985,855	674,321,365	
42										
43								Increase Absent Load Change	247,335,510	
44										
45								Oregon-allocated NPC (incl. PTC) Baseline in Rates from UE-400	\$426,985,855	
46								\$ Change due to load variance from UE-400 forecast	83,509,234	
47								2024 Recovery of NPC (incl. PTC) in Rates	\$510,495,090	
48										
49								Increase Including Load Change	\$ 163,826,275	
50										
51			*TAM Settlement Filing UE-400 - Agreed to decrease Oregon-allocated NPC by					Add Other Revenue Change	-	
52			\$4,900,000.							
53								Total TAM Increase/(Decrease)	\$ 163,826,275	

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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
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Exhibit Accompanying Direct Testimony of Ramon J. Mitchell

Net Power Costs Report

April 2023

Purchased Power & Net Interchange																												
Long Term Firm Purchases																												
Appaloosa 1A Solar	\$	6,781,386	\$	476,579	\$	523,356	\$	771,696	\$	833,331	\$	975,792	\$	1,030,696	\$	902,929	\$	879,702	\$	829,738	\$	660,259	\$	490,655	\$	406,654		
Appaloosa 1B Solar	\$	9,854,258	\$	317,719	\$	348,904	\$	514,464	\$	555,554	\$	650,528	\$	687,130	\$	601,953	\$	586,468	\$	553,159	\$	440,172	\$	327,103	\$	271,103		
Castle Solar UoU	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Castle Solar IHC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Cedar Springs Wind	\$	11,764,725	\$	1,348,848	\$	1,136,654	\$	1,032,244	\$	1,016,035	\$	830,825	\$	743,881	\$	742,782	\$	585,990	\$	827,498	\$	1,090,534	\$	1,068,343	\$	1,341,093		
Cedar Springs Wind III	\$	8,939,587	\$	1,025,293	\$	863,560	\$	784,236	\$	772,111	\$	631,271	\$	565,347	\$	564,366	\$	445,199	\$	628,829	\$	828,668	\$	811,823	\$	1,018,881		
Cedar Springs Wind IV	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Combine Hills Wind	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Cove Mountain Solar	\$	3,824,831	\$	183,114	\$	199,253	\$	335,342	\$	365,062	\$	420,185	\$	451,894	\$	438,350	\$	414,770	\$	355,679	\$	286,322	\$	205,725	\$	169,135		
Cove Mountain Solar II	\$	9,457,003	\$	453,001	\$	492,928	\$	829,598	\$	903,121	\$	1,039,489	\$	1,117,932	\$	1,084,426	\$	1,026,092	\$	879,908	\$	708,326	\$	506,098	\$	416,084		
Deseret Purchase	\$	27,684,996	\$	3,228,408	\$	3,092,614	\$	3,010,571	\$	2,973,793	\$	3,009,156	\$	2,719,178	\$	3,228,408	\$	3,228,408	\$	3,194,459	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Eagle Mountain - UAMPS/UMPA	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Elektron Solar 20yr	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Elektron Solar 25yr	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Gemstate	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Graphite Solar	\$	6,247,480	\$	311,883	\$	365,922	\$	557,963	\$	612,332	\$	686,777	\$	704,723	\$	687,351	\$	642,989	\$	576,256	\$	480,478	\$	355,140	\$	265,665		
Hermiston Purchase	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Horseshoe Solar	\$	5,332,320	\$	233,718	\$	300,509	\$	437,779	\$	495,804	\$	591,109	\$	654,482	\$	643,280	\$	609,542	\$	507,018	\$	407,367	\$	251,783	\$	199,930		
Hunter Solar	\$	7,031,207	\$	369,331	\$	433,852	\$	637,666	\$	665,722	\$	759,120	\$	785,546	\$	746,797	\$	702,015	\$	654,578	\$	558,601	\$	396,190	\$	321,788		
Hurricane Purchase	\$	43,768	\$	43,768	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
MagCorp Buythru	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
MagCorp Reserves	\$	3,264,140	\$	272,680	\$	264,660	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680	\$	272,680		
Milican Solar	\$	2,899,880	\$	95,313	\$	150,647	\$	222,859	\$	280,511	\$	332,937	\$	362,395	\$	408,109	\$	360,617	\$	290,222	\$	190,032	\$	121,715	\$	83,523		
Milford Solar	\$	6,937,492	\$	350,630	\$	418,195	\$	595,592	\$	662,485	\$	778,851	\$	821,177	\$	731,293	\$	704,005	\$	656,707	\$	529,625	\$	385,321	\$	303,612		
Nucor	\$	7,129,800	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150	\$	594,150		
Old Mill Solar	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Monsanto Reserves	\$	20,600,000	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667	\$	1,716,667		
Pavant III Solar	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
PG&E Cove	\$	140,000	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667	\$	11,667		
Pinetree Solar	\$	1,931,376	\$	65,430	\$	103,415	\$	148,062	\$	186,364	\$	221,194	\$	240,766	\$	271,137	\$	239,584	\$	192,816	\$	126,252	\$	80,864	\$	55,491		
Rocket Solar	\$	5,684,265	\$	257,917	\$	322,155	\$	469,126	\$	531,644	\$	621,291	\$	698,208	\$	715,730	\$	647,631	\$	544,498	\$	414,062	\$	252,964	\$	209,039		
Sigurd Solar	\$	5,900,441	\$	308,030	\$	356,200	\$	507,232	\$	553,807	\$	636,517	\$	699,581	\$	650,415	\$	596,230	\$	556,646	\$	451,695	\$	317,435	\$	266,651		
Skysol Solar	\$	5,920,135	\$	277,872	\$	373,145	\$	543,932	\$	572,773	\$	517,340	\$	856,561	\$	578,605	\$	797,081	\$	416,253	\$	495,730	\$	251,550	\$	239,252		
Small Purchases east	\$	14,288	\$	1,173	\$	1,213	\$	1,172	\$	1,172	\$	1,233	\$	1,203	\$	1,226	\$	1,202	\$	1,153	\$	1,157	\$	1,209	\$	1,176		
Small Purchases west	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Soda Lake Geotherma	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Three Buttes Wind	\$	20,858,257	\$	2,812,455	\$	1,934,623	\$	2,152,484	\$	1,628,729	\$	1,438,793	\$	1,215,151	\$	811,932	\$	957,067	\$	1,194,423	\$	1,748,905	\$	2,371,134	\$	2,592,560		
Top of the World Wind	\$	38,689,566	\$	3,276,985	\$	3,065,567	\$	3,276,985	\$	3,171,276	\$	3,276,985	\$	3,171,276	\$	3,276,985	\$	3,276,985	\$	3,171,276	\$	3,276,985	\$	3,171,276	\$	3,276,985		
Wolverine Creek Wind	\$	10,735,370	\$	793,717	\$	942,652	\$	1,181,937	\$	1,087,538	\$	821,216	\$	882,210	\$	698,831	\$	664,714	\$	785,048	\$	864,179	\$	1,004,655	\$	1,008,672		
Glen Canyon	\$	337,293	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,616	\$	325,678		
Rush Lake	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Fremont Solar	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Green River Energy Cente	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Anticline Wind	\$	18,647	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	18,647		
Boswell Springs Wind	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Two River Wind LLC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		
Cedar Creek	\$	9,824,810	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	19,719	\$	1,377,208	\$	1,089,634	\$	1,309,941	\$	2,181,521	\$	2,132,507	\$	1,714,280		
UT Schedule Adjustment	\$	(33,209,363)	\$	(1,465,261)	\$	(1,769,465)	\$	(2,995,070)	\$	(3,347,722)	\$	(3,979,428)	\$	(4,027,451)	\$	(3,768,575)	\$	(3,517,076)	\$	(3,033,387)	\$	(2,526,832)	\$	(1,597,900)	\$	(1,181,194)		
Long Term Firm Purchases Total	\$	202,636,958	\$	17,361,088	\$	16,242,842	\$	17,611,277	\$	17,116,603	\$	16,856,346	\$	16,996,767	\$	17,988,702	\$	17,534,013	\$	17,687,882	\$	15,809,202	\$	15,512,370	\$	15,919,867		

Qualifying Facilities													
QF California	\$ 1,689,996	\$ 143,982	\$ 143,943	\$ 156,491	\$ 157,787	\$ 137,793	\$ 134,130	\$ 135,443	\$ 134,275	\$ 129,451	\$ 135,642	\$ 142,120	\$ 138,938
QF Idaho	\$ 7,320,703	\$ 589,189	\$ 537,640	\$ 620,168	\$ 680,495	\$ 750,735	\$ 742,113	\$ 653,722	\$ 551,745	\$ 515,445	\$ 577,897	\$ 553,586	\$ 557,917
QF Oregon	\$ 42,906,895	\$ 2,075,059	\$ 2,592,944	\$ 3,498,862	\$ 4,439,794	\$ 4,752,983	\$ 4,927,770	\$ 5,207,762	\$ 4,661,076	\$ 3,856,461	\$ 2,976,207	\$ 2,152,383	\$ 1,811,583
QF Utah	\$ 6,089,824	\$ 359,735	\$ 403,634	\$ 480,489	\$ 577,321	\$ 633,622	\$ 651,572	\$ 593,822	\$ 598,387	\$ 589,286	\$ 510,761	\$ 383,471	\$ 307,744
QF Washington	\$ 231,326	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 22,558	\$ 23,309	\$ 44,797	\$ 46,291	\$ 46,291	\$ 44,797	\$ 3,283	\$ -	\$ -
QF Wyoming	\$ 206,138	\$ 25,105	\$ 19,178	\$ 24,010	\$ 20,453	\$ 18,880	\$ 7,576	\$ 11,504	\$ 12,860	\$ 17,487	\$ 16,668	\$ 18,737	\$ 13,680
Biomass One QF	\$ 18,597,518	\$ 1,467,149	\$ 1,682,299	\$ 1,801,148	\$ 1,780,367	\$ 1,478,176	\$ 1,902,739	\$ 1,373,031	\$ 1,795,085	\$ 1,379,180	\$ 1,774,602	\$ 1,408,658	\$ 775,084
Chopin Wind QF	\$ 2,052,812	\$ 193,044	\$ 216,789	\$ 168,226	\$ 188,753	\$ 161,959	\$ 177,933	\$ 160,795	\$ 152,387	\$ 133,330	\$ 156,651	\$ 177,435	\$ 165,528
DCFP QF	\$ 147,652	\$ 5,078	\$ 1,899	\$ 1,965	\$ 2,612	\$ 5,237	\$ 8,926	\$ 19,768	\$ 63,161	\$ 20,220	\$ 14,726	\$ 8,333	\$ 7,725
Enterprise Solar I QF	\$ 12,428,315	\$ 605,776	\$ 772,740	\$ 956,940	\$ 1,100,161	\$ 1,246,936	\$ 1,367,030	\$ 1,552,309	\$ 1,503,979	\$ 1,161,053	\$ 940,221	\$ 689,473	\$ 531,699
Escalante Solar I QF	\$ 11,464,945	\$ 555,383	\$ 702,390	\$ 861,800	\$ 1,001,202	\$ 1,180,119	\$ 1,278,616	\$ 1,437,770	\$ 1,392,853	\$ 1,073,040	\$ 857,708	\$ 627,972	\$ 496,091
Escalante Solar II QF	\$ 10,801,514	\$ 522,020	\$ 659,365	\$ 811,762	\$ 941,605	\$ 1,115,246	\$ 1,221,823	\$ 1,358,137	\$ 1,305,905	\$ 1,011,320	\$ 804,026	\$ 587,622	\$ 462,683
Escalante Solar III QF	\$ 9,936,063	\$ 507,994	\$ 644,271	\$ 787,602	\$ 915,846	\$ 1,085,562	\$ 731,324	\$ 1,315,175	\$ 1,267,280	\$ 982,800	\$ 735,763	\$ 538,302	\$ 424,125
ExxonMobil QF	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Five Pine Wind QF	\$ 9,710,176	\$ 563,431	\$ 1,038,012	\$ 944,560	\$ 1,014,433	\$ 442,482	\$ 736,691	\$ 615,701	\$ 733,643	\$ 820,900	\$ 869,560	\$ 933,939	\$ 976,823
Granite Mountain East Solar QF	\$ 10,778,945	\$ 538,975	\$ 634,052	\$ 873,532	\$ 974,584	\$ 1,145,735	\$ 1,244,331	\$ 1,333,659	\$ 1,255,131	\$ 959,245	\$ 795,497	\$ 568,358	\$ 455,845
Granite Mountain West Solar QF	\$ 7,121,644	\$ 356,801	\$ 420,253	\$ 579,379	\$ 646,457	\$ 758,828	\$ 823,479	\$ 883,781	\$ 831,879	\$ 634,512	\$ 509,122	\$ 375,534	\$ 301,619
Iron Springs Solar QF	\$ 11,073,378	\$ 623,133	\$ 681,626	\$ 875,888	\$ 1,002,096	\$ 1,119,438	\$ 1,269,977	\$ 1,344,268	\$ 1,314,577	\$ 987,521	\$ 802,236	\$ 566,110	\$ 486,508
Laligo Wind Park QF	\$ 9,793,430	\$ 1,008,523	\$ 974,723	\$ 1,127,257	\$ 888,162	\$ 870,272	\$ 743,515	\$ 687,491	\$ 587,983	\$ 624,430	\$ 606,218	\$ 703,907	\$ 790,950
Mountain Wind 1 QF	\$ 9,042,366	\$ 1,421,577	\$ 1,090,928	\$ 884,151	\$ 899,375	\$ 494,107	\$ 509,817	\$ 413,520	\$ 443,831	\$ 466,242	\$ 672,794	\$ 930,752	\$ 1,015,271
Mountain Wind 2 QF	\$ 14,002,090	\$ 2,060,743	\$ 1,624,957	\$ 1,360,834	\$ 1,082,104	\$ 769,391	\$ 912,714	\$ 759,165	\$ 732,764	\$ 769,110	\$ 1,005,488	\$ 1,432,507	\$ 1,492,316
North Point Wind QF	\$ 20,647,148	\$ 1,124,011	\$ 2,125,702	\$ 1,999,790	\$ 2,164,701	\$ 938,564	\$ 1,585,605	\$ 1,359,834	\$ 1,726,325	\$ 1,853,270	\$ 1,964,389	\$ 1,885,477	\$ 1,919,480
Oregon Wind Farm QF	\$ 14,121,537	\$ 1,003,550	\$ 1,532,569	\$ 1,246,680	\$ 1,005,615	\$ 725,755	\$ 954,399	\$ 1,241,939	\$ 2,818,117	\$ 871,584	\$ 870,570	\$ 715,262	\$ 1,135,497
Orchard Wind 1 QF	\$ 1,137,294	\$ 63,171	\$ 69,701	\$ 97,721	\$ 124,816	\$ 110,803	\$ 123,524	\$ 123,448	\$ 105,362	\$ 79,489	\$ 84,148	\$ 75,107	\$ 80,003
Orchard Wind 2 QF	\$ 1,137,294	\$ 61,356	\$ 68,707	\$ 91,023	\$ 124,993	\$ 112,506	\$ 123,255	\$ 125,420	\$ 108,117	\$ 79,928	\$ 85,857	\$ 76,765	\$ 81,588
Orchard Wind 3 QF	\$ 1,137,294	\$ 63,522	\$ 66,945	\$ 105,763	\$ 122,943	\$ 112,010	\$ 124,350	\$ 121,662	\$ 105,662	\$ 78,908	\$ 84,637	\$ 72,465	\$ 78,427
Orchard Wind 4 QF	\$ 1,137,294	\$ 63,331	\$ 69,219	\$ 103,949	\$ 122,994	\$ 111,676	\$ 123,692	\$ 122,969	\$ 105,683	\$ 78,915	\$ 82,859	\$ 73,472	\$ 78,535
Pavant II Solar QF	\$ 5,116,247	\$ 208,969	\$ 282,470	\$ 407,283	\$ 478,347	\$ 499,355	\$ 597,409	\$ 546,878	\$ 758,285	\$ 464,865	\$ 411,225	\$ 254,555	\$ 206,606
Pioneer Wind Park I QF	\$ 10,709,139	\$ 1,308,719	\$ 979,538	\$ 1,188,677	\$ 905,868	\$ 709,742	\$ 649,747	\$ 657,551	\$ 685,231	\$ 449,790	\$ 819,706	\$ 1,261,619	\$ 1,092,950
Power County North Wind QF	\$ 6,161,396	\$ 445,195	\$ 643,434	\$ 644,236	\$ 645,185	\$ 315,946	\$ 462,404	\$ 349,087	\$ 435,452	\$ 404,038	\$ 598,734	\$ 548,859	\$ 668,826
Power County South Wind QF	\$ 5,500,991	\$ 394,670	\$ 587,830	\$ 581,722	\$ 598,265	\$ 271,124	\$ 409,979	\$ 308,756	\$ 408,414	\$ 359,373	\$ 525,200	\$ 496,807	\$ 581,053
Roseburg Dillard QF	\$ 1,605,357	\$ 64,337	\$ 238,412	\$ 149,346	\$ 176,614	\$ 110,536	\$ 109,492	\$ 182,380	\$ 248,535	\$ 60,050	\$ 116,684	\$ 74,410	\$ 74,560
Sage I Solar QF	\$ 2,224,606	\$ 79,115	\$ 80,953	\$ 185,750	\$ 201,479	\$ 230,722	\$ 255,841	\$ 328,474	\$ 328,474	\$ 202,900	\$ 152,736	\$ 102,564	\$ 73,604
Sage II Solar QF	\$ 2,226,990	\$ 79,198	\$ 81,049	\$ 185,945	\$ 201,695	\$ 230,934	\$ 256,127	\$ 330,821	\$ 328,839	\$ 203,129	\$ 152,889	\$ 102,691	\$ 73,674
Sage III Solar QF	\$ 1,832,725	\$ 66,690	\$ 67,449	\$ 153,415	\$ 164,218	\$ 189,113	\$ 209,266	\$ 269,677	\$ 267,843	\$ 167,470	\$ 128,126	\$ 86,929	\$ 62,528
Spanish Fork Wind 2 QF	\$ 2,929,265	\$ 196,128	\$ 217,811	\$ 233,814	\$ 182,707	\$ 141,420	\$ 288,685	\$ 247,949	\$ 427,513	\$ 236,345	\$ 290,348	\$ 233,997	\$ 232,649
Sunnyside QF	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Sweetwater Solar QF	\$ 7,625,670	\$ 253,990	\$ 379,040	\$ 551,639	\$ 673,027	\$ 797,595	\$ 957,706	\$ 1,095,186	\$ 1,019,583	\$ 792,992	\$ 615,295	\$ 292,965	\$ 196,650
Tesoro QF	\$ 420,138	\$ 33,480	\$ 70,038	\$ 56,601	\$ 34,143	\$ 10,708	\$ 9,267	\$ 8,273	\$ 59,913	\$ 9,285	\$ 11,582	\$ 24,123	\$ 92,725
Three Peaks Solar QF	\$ 8,474,921	\$ 409,850	\$ 492,863	\$ 614,683	\$ 835,185	\$ 866,466	\$ 913,479	\$ 1,061,665	\$ 1,017,830	\$ 791,169	\$ 669,197	\$ 437,902	\$ 364,633
Threemile Canyon Wind QF	\$ 1,802,363	\$ 82,972	\$ 180,579	\$ 139,659	\$ 183,820	\$ 181,293	\$ 218,186	\$ 208,329	\$ 161,311	\$ 120,822	\$ 125,922	\$ 99,256	\$ 80,214
Utah Pavant Solar QF	\$ 6,844,979	\$ 259,763	\$ 352,596	\$ 549,244	\$ 642,550	\$ 673,453	\$ 965,705	\$ 762,907	\$ 996,306	\$ 617,919	\$ 578,864	\$ 318,588	\$ 270,697
Utah Red Hills Solar QF	\$ 11,458,023	\$ 480,440	\$ 640,061	\$ 773,732	\$ 1,020,201	\$ 1,193,809	\$ 1,227,730	\$ 1,524,395	\$ 1,463,201	\$ 1,300,074	\$ 800,670	\$ 579,337	\$ 454,337
Qualifying Facilities Total	\$ 309,645,401	\$ 20,375,152	\$ 24,008,407	\$ 26,870,737	\$ 28,705,529	\$ 26,724,323	\$ 29,897,721	\$ 30,882,659	\$ 32,907,174	\$ 25,397,527	\$ 24,154,528	\$ 20,612,262	\$ 19,109,381
Mid-Columbia Contracts													
Douglas - Wells	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Grant Reasonable	\$ (9,177,438)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)	\$ (764,786)
Grant Meaningful Priority	\$ 63,502,271	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856	\$ 5,291,856
Grant Surplus	\$ 2,448,617	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051	\$ 204,051
Mid-Columbia Contracts Total	\$ 56,773,451	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121	\$ 4,731,121
Total Long Term Firm Purchases	\$ 569,055,810	\$ 42,467,361	\$ 44,982,370	\$ 49,213,135	\$ 50,553,253	\$ 48,311,790	\$ 51,625,609	\$ 53,602,482	\$ 55,172,308	\$ 47,816,530	\$ 44,694,851	\$ 40,855,752	\$ 39,760,370

Storage & Exchange														
Rush Lake BESS	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Fremont Solar BESS	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Green River Energy Center BESS	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Umpqua Storage Placeholder	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Cowlitz Swift	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
EWEB FC I	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
PSCO Exchange	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
PSCO FC III	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
SCL State Line	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Total Storage & Exchange	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Short Term Firm Purchases														
COB	\$	20,243,300	\$	2,925,000	\$	2,812,500	\$	2,925,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,910,400
Colorado	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Four Corners	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Idaho	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Mead	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Mid Columbia	\$	5,719,560	\$	1,931,280	\$	1,857,000	\$	1,931,280	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Mona	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
NOB	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Palo Verde	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
SP15	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Utah	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Washington	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
West Main	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Wyoming	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Total Short Term Firm Purchases	\$	25,962,860	\$	4,856,280	\$	4,669,500	\$	4,856,280	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,910,400
System Balancing Purchases														
COB	\$	63,650,089	\$	3,577,370	\$	8,917,148	\$	8,552,901	\$	2,229,624	\$	568,896	\$	3,419,430
Four Corners	\$	57,150,782	\$	5,038,616	\$	3,026,652	\$	3,352,904	\$	3,724,323	\$	2,731,166	\$	4,102,289
Mead	\$	2,569,643	\$	82,684	\$	2	\$	2	\$	119,953	\$	2	\$	390,192
Mid Columbia	\$	708,245,970	\$	70,845,648	\$	55,765,266	\$	46,933,777	\$	40,790,339	\$	42,892,477	\$	43,556,401
Mona	\$	15,719,250	\$	1,312,218	\$	1,085,540	\$	342,409	\$	552,746	\$	248,182	\$	780,738
NOB	\$	147,513,317	\$	14,086,456	\$	13,678,938	\$	11,240,988	\$	4,563,410	\$	8,143,196	\$	8,225,246
Palo Verde	\$	22,139,003	\$	2,630,475	\$	1,278,512	\$	1,691,866	\$	1,319,328	\$	1,319,328	\$	1,800,881
Utah	\$	(132,040,852)	\$	(14,965,950)	\$	(11,323,929)	\$	(9,984,684)	\$	(7,446,441)	\$	(7,446,441)	\$	(8,104,493)
EIM Imports/Exports	\$	(132,040,852)	\$	(14,965,950)	\$	(11,323,929)	\$	(9,984,684)	\$	(7,446,441)	\$	(7,446,441)	\$	(8,104,493)
Emergency Purchases	\$	13,967,736	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	4,026,201	\$	2,296,161	\$	6,012,075
Total System Balancing Purchases	\$	898,914,937	\$	82,407,518	\$	72,428,127	\$	62,130,162	\$	49,378,254	\$	50,428,153	\$	60,182,758
Total Purchased Power & Net Interchange	\$	1,493,933,607	\$	129,731,159	\$	122,079,997	\$	116,199,577	\$	99,931,507	\$	98,739,943	\$	111,808,367
Wheeling & U. of F. Expense														
Firm Wheeling	\$	163,405,118	\$	12,492,560	\$	13,134,268	\$	13,941,364	\$	14,029,707	\$	13,304,354	\$	13,897,944
C&T EIM Admin fee	\$	2,734,506	\$	210,477	\$	192,813	\$	230,652	\$	220,405	\$	231,652	\$	233,135
ST Firm & Non-Firm	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Total Wheeling & U. of F. Expense	\$	166,139,624	\$	12,703,037	\$	13,327,082	\$	14,172,016	\$	14,250,112	\$	13,536,005	\$	14,131,079
Coal Fuel Burn Expense														
Colstrip	\$	19,942,369	\$	1,347,207	\$	1,720,509	\$	1,775,532	\$	1,541,829	\$	1,267,360	\$	986,761
Craig	\$	19,546,377	\$	1,963,381	\$	1,480,932	\$	1,514,896	\$	988,914	\$	1,232,927	\$	1,440,005
Dave Johnston	\$	45,234,123	\$	4,464,757	\$	4,355,264	\$	5,005,749	\$	4,046,745	\$	1,893,284	\$	2,734,596
Hayden	\$	11,875,630	\$	1,013,218	\$	1,007,905	\$	851,433	\$	662,831	\$	950,011	\$	950,431
Hunter	\$	167,870,240	\$	16,022,092	\$	12,824,884	\$	8,287,338	\$	7,676,028	\$	12,266,290	\$	13,677,299
Huntington	\$	76,807,787	\$	7,442,481	\$	6,044,206	\$	4,868,430	\$	3,615,108	\$	4,451,337	\$	5,825,312
Jim Bridger	\$	157,086,494	\$	14,708,800	\$	13,428,289	\$	13,285,622	\$	13,028,232	\$	11,162,372	\$	13,513,866
Naughton	\$	31,553,788	\$	4,191,003	\$	3,097,930	\$	2,701,049	\$	2,887,089	\$	2,049,051	\$	1,841,459
Wyodak	\$	17,471,353	\$	2,152,929	\$	1,883,038	\$	1,498,364	\$	1,988,513	\$	511,479	\$	966,576
Total Coal Fuel Burn Expense	\$	547,388,163	\$	53,305,868	\$	45,842,956	\$	39,788,413	\$	36,435,289	\$	35,784,111	\$	41,936,304
Gas Fuel Burn Expense														
Chehalis	\$	194,110,343	\$	26,735,556	\$	20,849,638	\$	16,691,508	\$	10,634,181	\$	14,030,812	\$	12,964,719
Curran Creek	\$	116,612,906	\$	18,272,562	\$	14,951,100	\$	10,470,425	\$	7,265,618	\$	5,605,940	\$	3,693,810
Gadsby	\$	33,029,691	\$	4,646,070	\$	4,406,756	\$	3,840,494	\$	2,602,572	\$	859,282	\$	818,785
Gadsby CT	\$	7,592,963	\$	1,312,879	\$	1,269,180	\$	1,146,022	\$	1,087,915	\$	-	\$	922,320
Hermiston	\$	47,324,426	\$	6,626,650	\$	5,733,652	\$	2,777,825	\$	2,102,643	\$	3,192,642	\$	2,258,359
Jim Bridger - Gas	\$	123,772,793	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	11,265,229	\$	11,749,182	\$	16,054,356
Lake Side 1	\$	121,045,775	\$	17,168,922	\$	15,356,186	\$	9,742,872	\$	6,409,977	\$	6,325,007	\$	5,130,088
Lake Side 2	\$	127,129,351	\$	19,829,623	\$	16,279,320	\$	12,580,399	\$	2,684,077	\$	248,312	\$	7,810,002
Naughton - Gas	\$	66,229,395	\$	7,434,787	\$	5,525,861	\$	1,800,416	\$	5,983,443	\$	6,586,705	\$	4,781,948
Total Gas Fuel Burn Expense	\$	836,847,643	\$	102,027,249	\$	84,296,826	\$	63,775,406	\$	34,587,400	\$	47,510,667	\$	51,011,650
Gas Physical														
Gas Physical	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Gas Swaps	\$	(19,945,513)	\$	(10,260,271)	\$	(8,075,297)	\$	(510,368)	\$	778,905	\$	1,007,515	\$	788,955
Clay Basin Gas Storage	\$	(1,988,037)	\$	(733,232)	\$	(647,448)	\$	(211,830)	\$	52,242	\$	52,242	\$	52,242
Pipeline Reservation Fees	\$	41,990,122	\$	3,531,271	\$	3,464,667	\$	3,527,991	\$	3,492,943	\$	3,437,503	\$	3,410,229
Total Gas Fuel Burn Expense	\$	856,904,215	\$	94,565,016	\$	79,038,748	\$	66,581,198	\$	38,911,491	\$	52,007,927	\$	55,263,077
Total Gas Fuel Burn Expense	\$	856,904,215	\$	94,565,016	\$	79,038,748	\$	66,581,198	\$	38,911,491	\$	52,007,927	\$	55,263,077
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Update to Renewable Energy Production Tax Credits

April 2023

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Net Power Costs Step Log

April 2023

2024 TAM Step Log			
<u>ORTAM23</u>			<u>\$ 1,977,454,591</u>
	Description	Detail	Impact
	Routine Updates		\$ 98,994,040
Step 1	Trapped Energy	Removing the trapped energy modeling construct in favor of wind curtailment to reflect the realities of system operations.	\$ 14,354,348
Step 2	Ozone Transport Rule	Impact of the EPA's Ozone Transport Rule on NPC.	\$ 202,475,788
Step 3	Jim Bridger Outage	Assesses the impact of JB Gas units 1 & 2 going on outage to convert to gas.	\$ 41,973,900
Step 4	Jim Bridger Gas Conversion	Impact of converting Jim Bridger Coal to Jim Bridger Gas (units 1 and 2).	\$ 92,194,553
Step 5	WA Cap and Invest	Impact of the WA Cap and Invest program on NPC.	\$ 72,970,628
Step 6	Klamath Deconstruction	Impact of the deconstruction of the hydroelectric projects on the Klamath river (dam removal).	\$ 53,467,853
Step 7	Gateway South	Gateway South transmission project in-service by October 2024	\$ (19,031,995)
Step 8	Coal Supply Limitations	Impact of the reduced availability of coal for all Company coal-fired plants in Utah	\$ 107,623,919
<u>ORTAM24</u>			<u>\$ 2,642,477,625</u>

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February 28, 2023 Notice Letter

April 2023



February 28, 2023

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Attn: Parties to docket UE 400

RE: 2024 Transition Adjustment Mechanism – PacifiCorp’s Notice of Methodology Changes

Under the Transition Adjustment Mechanism (TAM) Guidelines, PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power provides this Notice of Methodology Changes for the 2024 TAM. This notice complies with an amendment to the TAM Guidelines adopted by the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) in Order No. 09-432. This amendment provides that “[t]he Company will provide notice of substantial changes to the methodologies used to calculate the cost elements and other inputs to the Aurora model or to the logic of the Aurora model by March 1st of the year of a stand-alone TAM filing.”¹ Consistent with the TAM Guidelines, PacifiCorp will be filing the TAM on April 3, 2023. As a result, the company is providing this notice to comply with the pre-filing review requirement and the methodology change notice requirement on February 28, 2022.

PacifiCorp provides notice of the following planned changes to the 2024 TAM:²

- The trapped energy zone modeling construct will be removed to more accurately reflect how the Company’s system is operated.

Please direct any questions regarding this notice to Cathie Allen, regulatory affairs manager at 503-813-5934.

Sincerely,

Matthew McVee
Vice President, Regulatory Policy and Operations

cc: UE 400 Service List

¹ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power 2010 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket UE-207, Order No. 09-432, Appendix A at 4-5 (Oct. 30, 2009).

² PacifiCorp is incorporating the changes supported in testimony in the 2023 TAM (UE 400), and described as non-precedential in the settlement to that proceeding. *See* Order No. 22-389, Appendix A at ¶27. Since these changes were described in-depth in that proceeding, they are not included in this letter.

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2019 Benchmark Report

April 2023



825 NE Multnomah, Suite 2000
Portland, Oregon 97232

February 1, 2023

Re: UE 400—Benchmarking Study

In Order No. 22-389, the Commission adopted an all-party stipulation which commits the Company to “make best efforts to provide to parties a benchmarking study that uses inputs from 2019 actuals on February 1, 2023”¹

Results of the Benchmarking Study

The results of the benchmarking study show that Aurora simulated 2019 historical net power costs (NPC) at \$74 million less than actual NPC. Aurora estimated total company 2019 NPC to be \$1,586 million compared to actual 2019 costs of \$1,660 million, a variance of 4.5 percent.

Confidential Table 1 illustrates a detailed comparison between the benchmarking study and 2019 Actual NPC. Long-term firm sales and long-term firm purchase dollars and megawatt-hours (MWh) are based on actual transactions. Hydroelectric generation, wind generation and solar generation are based on actual generation. The variance between short-term firm and system balancing sales and purchases is driven by the fact that Aurora balances the system differently than the Company does in actual operations. More specifically, Aurora faces a different set of operational constraints compared to what the Company faces in real time. For example, market liquidity in the benchmarking study is predetermined based on market capacity limits that allow more sales transactions than the Company’s historical experience.

It is important to note that the NPC forecast is designed with hourly average inputs. Given a certain set of hourly average input variables, Aurora applies its system balancing logic to meet load and wholesale obligations under the operational constraints assumed in the model. In actual operations, the Company faces a different set of real (moment-to-moment) system constraints, many of which are not able to be fully reflected in Aurora’s modeling assumptions. Furthermore, Aurora is not able to forecast thermal dispatch in the same way that PacifiCorp dispatches its thermal plants in real time and Aurora’s optimization of the system is perfect which means that after the optimization is complete no net savings can be further achieved by backing down one unit and ramping up another unit.

In actual operations, as a matter of prudence, PacifiCorp seeks to optimize the system. However, in reality, PacifiCorp faces a different set of constraints resulting from actual market conditions, and in real time, system dispatch will choose to balance the system using coal plants, gas plants and system balancing purchases and sales in an order that is feasible to current market conditions. The order of selection of coal plants, gas plants and system balancing purchase and sales results in differences in each resource category compared to the benchmarking study results. Consequently, and as shown in Confidential Table 1 below, the coal and natural gas

¹ In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power, 2023 Transition Adjustment Mechanism, Docket No. UE-400, Order No. 22-389, Appendix A at 6 (October 25, 2022).

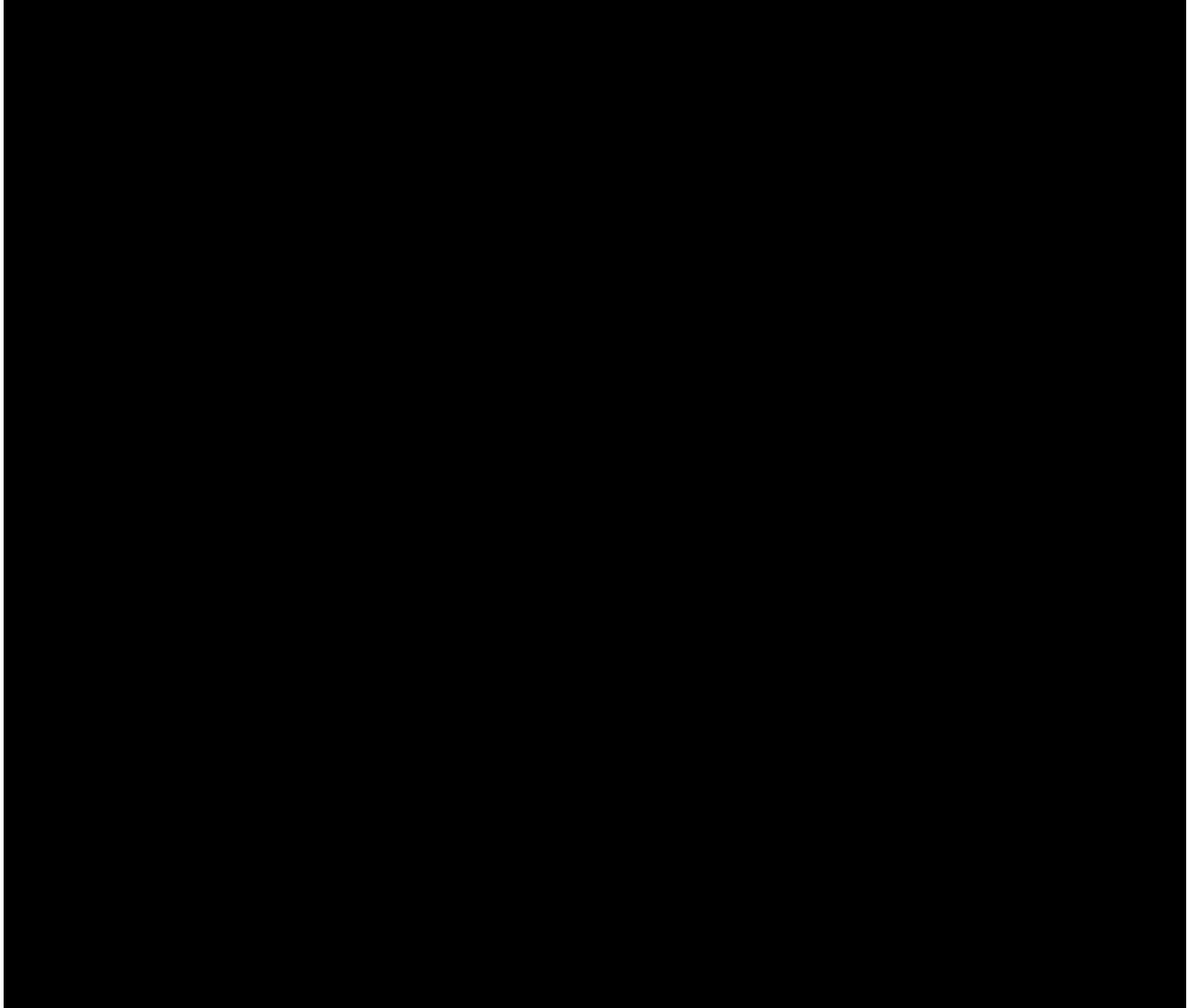
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dispatch (on a MWh basis) in Aurora was eight percent more and 26 percent more than actuals, respectively.

Confidential Table 1 – Net Power Cost Differential Summary – Benchmark
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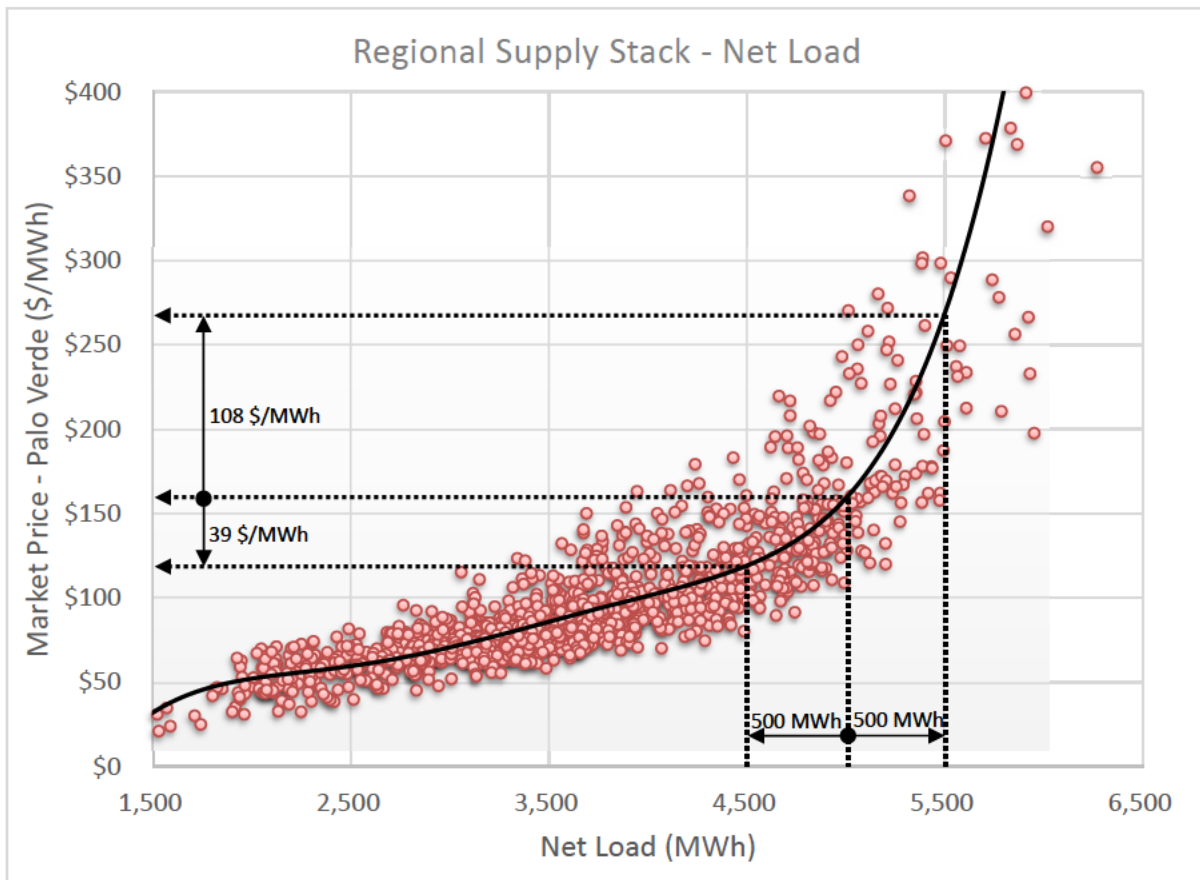
Conclusions

When actual data is used as inputs, Aurora produces 2019 NPC below the actual 2019 NPC and this is to be expected.

First, Aurora applies its system balancing logic with perfect foresight and perfect execution. That is to say, Aurora knows the future and operates the system with perfect efficiency in every hour. In reality, the future is uncertain, humans cannot know exactly at what level variable resources will be producing in a future hour and there will always be some inefficiency within a grouping of individuals (people). In the context of NPC, this reality of the human experience deviates from the perfection inherent in Aurora and the associated perfectly-low Aurora NPC.

Second, there is an asymmetry in the response of market prices to changes in load and generation. As an illustrative example, Figure 1 shows a proxy supply/demand curve (with inelastic demand) based on actual load, wind, and solar data within the region. It is observed that because of the asymmetry of market price response, a 500 MWh increase in net load (load less wind less solar) results in a \$108 dollar per MWh (\$/MWh) increase in market price, whereas an identical 500 MWh decrease in net load results in only a \$39/MWh decrease to market price.

Figure 1



This asymmetrical response impacts actual operations because the net load forecasts, in reality, are uncertain (i.e., there is no perfect foresight). This uncertainty results in an equal chance of net load being higher or lower than forecasted. However, the impact to NPC is an asymmetric response wherein the actual NPC has a greater chance of being higher than the forecast NPC and

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consequently the forecast NPC is biased downwards relative to the actual NPC. This is the result observed in this benchmarking study.

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Witness: James Owen

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
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Direct Testimony of James Owen

April 2023

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ATTACHED EXHIBITS

Highly Confidential Exhibit PAC/201—Hunter/Gentry CSA Analysis

Highly Confidential Exhibit PAC/202—Dave Johnston CSA Analysis

Highly Confidential Exhibit PAC/203—Wyodak CSA Analysis

Highly Confidential Exhibit PAC/204—Hunter/Bronco CSA Analysis

Confidential Exhibit PAC/205—CSA Contract Minimums Table

1 **I. INTRODUCTION AND QUALIFICATIONS**

2 **Q. Please state your name, business address, and present position with PacifiCorp**
3 **d/b/a Pacific Power (PacifiCorp or the Company).**

4 A. My name is James Owen. My business address is 1407 West North Temple, Suite
5 210, Salt Lake City, Utah 84116. My title is Vice President of Environmental, Fuels,
6 and Mining.

7 **Q. Briefly describe your education and professional experience.**

8 A. I have a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mining Engineering, a Master of Business
9 Administration Degree, and a Juris Doctor Degree, all from the University of Utah. I
10 joined the Utah Department of Natural Resources – Division of Oil Gas and Mining
11 in November 2008, and held positions of increasing responsibility within the agency,
12 including responsibilities for environmental permitting, enforcement of
13 environmental compliance, engineering design, oversight of mine reclamation
14 bonding, environmental program management, and legislative and policy
15 management. I joined PacifiCorp as Director of Environmental in February 2018.
16 I have assumed positions of increasing responsibility since that time and currently
17 serve as Vice President of Environmental, Fuels, and Mining. My current
18 responsibilities encompass strategic planning, stakeholder engagement, regulatory
19 support, support of major generation resource additions, direct oversight of fueling
20 strategy, management of mining operations, and direct oversight of major
21 environmental compliance projects.

22 **Q. Have you testified in previous regulatory proceedings?**

23 A. Yes. I have provided testimony on behalf of the Company in proceedings before the

1 Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Commission) and the public utility
2 commissions in California, Idaho, Utah, and Wyoming.

3 **II. PURPOSE AND SUMMARY**

4 **Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?**

5 A. I explain PacifiCorp’s overall approach to providing the coal supply for its coal-fired
6 generating plants, and I support the level of coal costs included in fuel expense in
7 PacifiCorp’s 2024 Transition Adjustment Mechanism (TAM). To demonstrate the
8 reasonableness of these costs, my testimony:

- 9 • Provides a brief update of recent changes in the coal market and how those
10 changes impact the 2024 TAM fuel costs;
- 11 • Details new coal supply agreements (CSA) that PacifiCorp entered into
12 since the 2023 TAM, and provides highly confidential exhibits detailing
13 the new CSAs and the analysis that was undertaken to support the
14 prudence of these agreements;
- 15 • Provides an update on the Company’s evaluation of the termination
16 provisions for the Huntington CSA, and explains the primary reasons
17 behind the reduction to the total-company coal costs—close to
18 \$92 million—reflected in the 2024 TAM;¹ and
- 19 • Provides updated coal pricing and background on third-party coal
20 contracts and affiliate-owned mines.

¹ Unless otherwise stated, all figures in my testimony are stated on a total-company basis.

1 **III. CHANGES IN COAL MARKET CONDITIONS**

2 **Q. What significant changes have occurred in the coal market since 2021?**

3 A. Beginning in the third quarter of 2021, market coal prices throughout the United
4 States began to increase significantly. This was caused by multiple factors, including
5 but not limited to: increased coal demand due to high domestic natural gas prices; low
6 inventories at coal mines and coal-fired power plants; increased demand abroad for
7 coal exports; international and domestic supply chain constraints; labor and material
8 shortages; and general market inflation. The coal market has experienced
9 unprecedented prices and significant fluctuation since 2021.

10 **Q. How do increases to coal prices in the market impact PacifiCorp?**

11 A. Higher prices in the coal market result in higher costs per ton for coal purchased by
12 PacifiCorp when negotiating new or amended coal supply agreements. Fixed pricing
13 and reasonable term provisions in PacifiCorp's coal supply agreements have insulated
14 the Company from significant exposure to market fluctuations. However, market
15 exposure returns when the Company is negotiating new or amended contracts, or in
16 cases where a coal supplier does not meet its coal delivery obligations and the
17 Company is forced to seek sources for replacement coal supply in the market.

18 **Q. How have increased foreign and domestic coal prices impacted PacifiCorp's coal
19 suppliers?**

20 A. Higher market prices result in coal suppliers receiving a higher price per ton for coal
21 sold by the supplier. Coal suppliers have also been impacted by international and
22 domestic supply chain constraints; labor and material shortages; and general market
23 inflation. The Company has observed that coal suppliers are at an increasing risk of

1 becoming insolvent and failing to deliver coal, particularly in cases where their
2 operating costs are increasing due to inflation and other pressures, but the coal
3 supplier is subject to fixed pricing under a coal supply agreement.

4 **Q. Are there additional factors that have impacted coal markets and coal**
5 **availability for PacifiCorp since 2021?**

6 A. Yes. The Utah coal market was significantly disrupted and depleted due to a mine fire
7 that ignited at American Consolidated Natural Resources' (ACNR) Lila Canyon mine
8 in September 2022. As a result of the fire, the Lila Canyon mine ceased operations
9 and has not resumed coal production as of the date of this filing. PacifiCorp was
10 informed in February 2023 that the extent of the damage from the mine fire is
11 significant. The Lila Canyon mine accounted for more than 25 percent of Utah's total
12 coal production in recent years and was expected to supply [REDACTED]
13 [REDACTED] In 2022, Utah coal
14 mines produced 10.7 million tons while PacifiCorp's Utah plants consumed 5.8
15 million tons. PacifiCorp's Utah plants have generally consumed more than 50 percent
16 of the coal produced in the state. The significant production shortfall due to the Lila
17 Canyon mine fire negatively affected all large coal consumers including PacifiCorp.
18 Unfortunately, this negative impact is expected to continue into the foreseeable
19 future. In addition to the mine fire, coal suppliers have experienced issues relating to
20 unfavorable geologic and mining conditions, delays and pressure relating to securing
21 federal mining leases, limited availability of trucking and railway transportation for
22 coal, long lead-times for procurement of necessary mining equipment, and limitations
23 in availability of financing.

1 **Q. Have the coal market issues you described resulted in force majeure claims by**
2 **coal suppliers and declined coal deliveries?**

3 A. Yes. Two of PacifiCorp's largest coal suppliers in Utah made force majeure claims in
4 2022 that resulted in significant delivery shortfalls of PacifiCorp's contracted coal
5 supply. These coal supply shortfalls have raised reliability concerns and have forced
6 PacifiCorp to utilize other system resources and market purchases to ensure ongoing
7 system reliability. The impact of reduced available coal supplies and higher coal
8 pricing discussed above informed both coal volumes and pricing assumptions in the
9 2024 TAM.

10 **Q. Has PacifiCorp attempted to procure alternative coal supply to offset the**
11 **impacts of the supply shortfalls in Utah?**

12 A. Yes. PacifiCorp initiated a Request for Proposals (RFP) in August 2022 to identify all
13 potential alternative coal supply sources. The RFP process resulted in two coal
14 suppliers being selected. One new contract was executed in early 2023, and
15 negotiations are taking place with the second supplier. PacifiCorp has also continued
16 working with coal suppliers that have made force majeure claims and has pursued
17 strategies to continue coal deliveries from those suppliers and minimize the impacts
18 of supply shortfall.

19 **Q. Is PacifiCorp pursuing options under the coal supply agreements in response to**
20 **coal suppliers' failure to deliver contracted coal quantities?**

21 A. Yes. In accordance with the terms of the CSAs, PacifiCorp initiated arbitration to
22 challenge the force majeure claim from one supplier. PacifiCorp continues to review

1 options under the agreement with the second supplier because the second supplier's
2 force majeure claim [REDACTED]

3 **Q. How are PacifiCorp's coal facilities impacted by the coal supply constraints in**
4 **Utah, and how has that been reflected for coal volumes in the 2024 TAM?**

5 A. The coal supply constraints discussed above have resulted in lower than forecasted
6 coal deliveries at both the Hunter and Huntington plants in late 2022 and early 2023.
7 PacifiCorp's stockpiled inventories in Utah have been significantly depleted.
8 PacifiCorp anticipates there will be a continuation of coal supply shortages and
9 market instability in 2024. Therefore, PacifiCorp has adjusted its forecasts for tons of
10 coal received and consumed in the 2024 TAM and has not assumed it can use any
11 stockpiled inventory. The forecasted volumes of consumed coal in 2024 do not match
12 the contracted volumes for coal in the CSAs for 2024. Furthermore, to ensure targeted
13 coal inventory balances are available for reliability purposes, received and consumed
14 coal quantities at the Utah plants are balanced in the 2024 TAM. The table below
15 provides a comparison of 2022 actuals and the 2024 TAM direct filing for both
16 Hunter and Huntington.

Plant	Received (mm tons)	Inventory Used (mm tons)	Consumed (mm tons)	Contracted (mm tons)
Hunter – 2022 Actuals	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Hunter – 2024 TAM	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Huntington – 2022 Actuals	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Huntington – 2024 TAM	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

2 [REDACTED]

1 **Q. How has the increase in market coal prices impacted the 2024 TAM estimated**
2 **fuel costs?**

3 A. Although total coal fuel expense decreases in the 2024 TAM, coal prices on a per-ton
4 basis increase significantly at some plants. Historically, the Company's prudent coal
5 contracting practices have largely shielded the Company and its customers from
6 significant, short-term coal price increases. The Company purchases coal from
7 captive mines and third-party suppliers, typically under short- to medium-term
8 contracts. Currently, due to the increased demand for coal in both foreign and
9 domestic markets, coal suppliers have increased opportunities for coal sales. This has
10 limited the volume of coal available for PacifiCorp. Most of the Company's coal
11 contracts include fixed pricing provisions that do not escalate with general inflation.
12 As a result, the impact of the increased coal pricing is largely contained to PacifiCorp
13 plants with CSAs that terminate in 2022 or 2023, or where the Company was forced
14 to respond to supplier force majeure claims. Specifically, the increased market prices
15 are impacting 2024 pricing at the Black Butte mine which serves the Jim Bridger
16 plant and the Wolverine, Gentry, and Bronco mines which serve the Hunter plant.
17 These impacts are discussed in more detail later in my testimony.

1 IV. HUNTINGTON ENVIRONMENTAL PROVISION

2 Q. In docket UE 400 TAM Order No. 22-389, the Commission stated that [REDACTED]

3 [REDACTED]

4 [REDACTED]

5 [REDACTED]

6 [REDACTED]. How do you
7 respond?

8 A. PacifiCorp would like to clarify the record on this issue. The Huntington CSA
9 includes a specific clause that allows the Company to take Huntington CSA coal to
10 the Hunter plant when a change in environmental regulation, defined as a Coal
11 Consumption Event (CCE), affects the Company's ability to burn a minimum of [REDACTED]
12 [REDACTED] tons per contract year at the plant. The Huntington CSA does not include a
13 general reopener or renegotiation clause. PacifiCorp has consistently noted that
14 exercising the environmental regulations clause requires the occurrence of a CCE.⁴
15 PacifiCorp has not previously had the ability to exercise this clause due to the lack of
16 a qualifying CCE. Article VIII of the Huntington coal supply agreement further
17 defines environmental regulation to include [REDACTED]
18 [REDACTED]
19 [REDACTED] At the time of both the 2021 and 2022
20 TAM filings, there were no qualifying events that could have triggered the

³ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power, 2023 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 400, Order No. 22-2389 at 6 (Oct. 25, 2022).

⁴ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power, 2022 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, PAC/500, Schwartz/23 (Jul. 9, 2021); *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power, 2022 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, PAC/600, Ralston/26-30 (Jul. 9, 2021).

1 environmental provision in the contract. All PacifiCorp CSAs have some form of
2 force majeure provisions to allow either party to be excused from performance of
3 certain contract provisions due to external unforeseen events that have adverse
4 effects on either the buyer or the supplier, such as government impositions or acts of
5 God.

6 PacifiCorp discussed this force majeure position and the operation of this
7 clause when the Commission reviewed the Deer Creek transaction in 2015. At the
8 time, Company witness Cindy Crane noted, “The first paragraph of Article 8
9 describes a ‘Coal Consumption Event’ (CCE) and states that, if a CCE occurs,

10 [REDACTED]

11 [REDACTED]

12 [REDACTED]

13 [REDACTED]”⁵ In that

14 testimony, Company witness Crane also noted, “Article 8 allows the Company to
15 terminate if a regulation [REDACTED]

16 [REDACTED]” per year. Under Article 3 of the CSA, the Company’s

17 minimum requirement is [REDACTED] tons and its maximum requirement is [REDACTED]

18 [REDACTED] tons.”⁶

19 Supplying the Hunter plant through the Huntington CSA in 2021 and 2022
20 was not possible because there was no environmental event or CCE to trigger the
21 contract provision. Additionally, in actual operations, PacifiCorp burned 2.8 million

⁵ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power, Application for Approval of the Deer Creek Mine Transaction*, Docket No. UM 1712, PAC/500, Crane/5 (Mar. 19, 2015).

⁶ Docket No. UM 1712, PAC/500, Crane/6.

1 tons of coal in 2021 and 2.5 million tons of coal in 2022 at the Huntington plant,
2 which [REDACTED]

3 **Q. For the 2024 TAM, the Commission also directed PacifiCorp to provide**
4 **projections for its Hunter contract, including an analysis of the appropriate**
5 **minimum take and overall thermal fleet usage in multiple scenarios, including a**
6 **scenario with no minimum take requirement. How did PacifiCorp meet this**
7 **requirement?**

8 A. The assumptions used for the model to determine the need for a new coal supply
9 agreement included an estimated incremental price up to a given volume based on
10 discussions with suppliers and did not include a minimum take constraint. This
11 allowed the model to determine the optimal amount to select from the new potential
12 source without minimum requirements. The model selected the full volume available
13 from the new source, which validates the incremental pricing assumption used for the
14 volume selected. This analysis is provided as Highly Confidential Exhibit PAC/201.

15 **Q. For the 2024 TAM, the Commission stated that PacifiCorp’s analysis for a new**
16 **Hunter CSA “should include review of how additional flexibility in the Utah coal**
17 **plants could be achieved in order to deliver the customer benefits described in**
18 **the company’s selection of the short list in docket UM 2059” which “linked the**
19 **projected benefits of the Gateway South transmission capacity and Wyoming**
20 **wind resources to the significant displacement of Hunter and Huntington coal**
21 **generation beginning in 2025.”⁷ How did PacifiCorp meet this requirement?**

22 A. The modeling that was conducted for a new Hunter coal supply included assumptions

⁷ Order No. 22-389 at 7.

1 for the Gateway South transmission and wind renewables referred to in docket UM
2 2059. Specifically, “ [REDACTED]

3 [REDACTED]
4 [REDACTED]

5 [REDACTED]
6 [REDACTED]

7 The model selected all proposed coal supplies
8 available at the Hunter plant and would have selected additional coal volumes if they
9 were available in 2024 and 2025. The current low coal inventory levels at the Hunter
10 plant provide further support for the need to procure additional coal supplies.

11 PacifiCorp is also seeking to balance as much flexibility as possible against the costs
12 of having this flexibility in negotiations with coal suppliers.

12 V. THIRD PARTY COAL CONTRACTS

13 **Q. Has PacifiCorp entered into any new CSAs since it filed reply testimony in the**
14 **2023 TAM?**

15 **A.** Yes. PacifiCorp has entered into new CSAs for the Wyodak plant (Wyodak CSA), for
16 the Dave Johnston plant (Eagle Butte CSA), and for the Hunter plant (Gentry CSA).
17 In addition, amendments have been signed for the Dave Johnston plant Caballo CSA
18 (Caballo CSA) and for the Hunter plant Bronco CSA (Bronco CSA) and the Gentry
19 CSA. Consistent with the requirements of the order from the 2023 TAM,⁸ my
20 testimony and the corresponding exhibits provide additional information
21 demonstrating the prudence of these new and amended CSAs.

⁸ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power, 2022 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 390, Order No. 21-379 at 6-7 (Nov. 1, 2021).

1 **Q. Please discuss the change in overall third-party coal-supply costs in the 2024**
2 **TAM.**

3 A. PacifiCorp expects a price variance net increase for the third-party coal-supply costs
4 of [REDACTED], as shown in Confidential Table 2 below. The details of significant
5 changes to costs are described for Black Butte later in my testimony, and further
6 details are provided for Hunter below.

7 **WYODAK COAL SUPPLY AGREEMENT**

8 **Q. Please provide some background on the Wyodak plant and the Wyodak CSA.**

9 A. The Wyodak plant (Wyodak) is located in Campbell County, Wyoming and is jointly
10 owned with Black Hills Energy (Black Hills), which has 20 percent ownership. There
11 is one unit at the Wyodak plant that has an output capacity of 335 megawatts (MW).
12 The Wyodak plant receives its coal from the adjacent Wyodak Mine by conveyor,
13 thus eliminating the need to store coal inventory at the plant. Black Hills owns and
14 operates the mine. PacifiCorp's prior agreement for Wyodak's coal supply terminated
15 December 31, 2022. PacifiCorp executed the Wyodak CSA with the Wyodak Mine to
16 supply coal to the plant through 2026.

17 **Q. What are the key terms of the Wyodak CSA?**

18 A. The duration of the Wyodak CSA is January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2026.
19 This term is consistent with PacifiCorp's recent practice of limiting its CSAs to five
20 years or less to maintain flexibility in fuel supply and generation planning. The price
21 effective January 1, 2023, was [REDACTED] and is subject to adjustment each
22 calendar month, based on specified indices for labor, materials and supplies, inflation,
23 etc.

1 **Q. Does the Wyodak CSA include a minimum take requirement?**

2 A. No, the Wyodak CSA is a requirements agreement. Under a requirements agreement,
3 the buyer agrees to purchase 100 percent of the buyer's coal fuel requirements for a
4 particular plant from a single supplier. Under the Wyodak CSA, PacifiCorp made a
5 commitment to purchase all the Wyodak plant's coal needs from Black Hills. As a
6 joint owner of the plant, Black Hills is familiar with PacifiCorp's historical coal
7 consumption. Due to Black Hills' unique understanding of and familiarity with the
8 needs of the Wyodak plant, PacifiCorp was able to negotiate a contract without a
9 contract minimum volume obligation. As I have stated in prior testimony, without
10 some form of commitment by the buyer, a coal supplier, especially those which are
11 captive in whole or in part to coal-fired power plants, cannot develop adequate mine
12 permits and plans, project for capital and operating costs, or have an assured revenue
13 stream for the coal they produce. In short, coal mines cannot operate without the
14 ability to sell coal. In this case, the commitment was to make the supplier the sole
15 source for the plant's coal supply.

16 **DAVE JOHNSTON COAL SUPPLY AGREEMENT**

17 **Q. Please provide some background on the Dave Johnston plant and the Eagle**
18 **Butte CSA.**

19 A. The Dave Johnston plant is located in Glenrock, Wyoming, approximately 20 miles
20 east of Casper, Wyoming. The plant is supplied by coal from multiple Powder River
21 Basin (PRB) mines, and the coal is delivered by Burlington Northern Santa Fe rail.
22 PacifiCorp owns and operates all four units at the plant. The output capacity at the
23 plant is as follows: Unit 1: 106 MW; Unit 2 – 106 MW; Unit 3 – 220 MW; and

1 Unit 4 – 330 MW. PacifiCorp has executed the Eagle Butte CSA, operated by Eagle
 2 Specialty Materials, for a portion of the Dave Johnston coal supply through 2024.
 3 This contract was executed after performing an RFP process to identify the best
 4 available risk-adjusted price for additional coal for the Dave Johnston plant.

5 **Q. What are the volume and pricing terms of the Eagle Butte CSA?**

6 A. The annual volume and pricing are as follows:

Year	Quantity	Price/Ton
2023	██████████	██████████
2024	██████████	██████████

7 **Q. What contract terms were changed by the Caballo CSA amendment?**

8 A. The original term for the Caballo CSA was January 1, 2021, through December 31,
 9 2024. The first amendment to the Caballo CSA was entered into on December 21,
 10 2022. It extended the term for another year, through December 31, 2025. The number
 11 of tons delivered for 2024 increased from ██████████ tons to ██████████ tons, and
 12 the annual tons to be delivered in 2025 is ██████████ tons. The Caballo CSA was
 13 amended after an RFP process (which was completed on May 31, 2022) to identify
 14 the best available risk-adjusted price for additional coal for the Dave Johnston plant.

15 **HUNTER COAL SUPPLY AGREEMENT**

16 **Q. Please provide some background on the Hunter plant and the Gentry CSA.**

17 A. The Hunter plant is located approximately 2.5 miles south of Castle Dale, Utah, in
 18 Emery County. The plant is supplied with coal from Wolverine Fuel Sales, LLC,
 19 Bronco Utah Operations, LLC and Gentry Mountain Mining, LLC. The coal is
 20 delivered to the plant by truck. PacifiCorp is the operator and majority owner of the
 21 Hunter plant. There are three units at the Hunter plant and the ownership is as

1 follows:

- 2 • Unit 1: 94% PacifiCorp, 6% Utah Municipal Power Agency (UMPA)
- 3 • Unit 2: 60% PacifiCorp, 25% Deseret Power Electric Cooperative (DPEC),
- 4 15% Utah Associated Municipal Power Systems (UAMPS)
- 5 • Unit 3: 100% PacifiCorp

6 The output capacity at the plant is as follows: Units 1 and 2 – 446 MW; Unit
 7 3 – 471 MW. PacifiCorp has executed a new CSA, the Gentry CSA, operated by
 8 Gentry Mountain Mining, LLC, to purchase additional coal for Hunter plant through
 9 2025. This contract that provides for [REDACTED] to be delivered in 2023, 2024 and
 10 2025 was executed on January 20, 2023, after performing an RFP process (which was
 11 completed on September 28, 2022) to identify the best available risk-adjusted price
 12 for additional coal for the Hunter plant. On February 1, 2023, the contract was further
 13 amended to increase the 2023 contract volume to [REDACTED].

14 **Q. What are the volume and pricing terms of the Gentry CSA?**

15 A. The annual volume and pricing are as follows:

Year	Quantity	Price/Ton
2023	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
2024	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
2025	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

16 **Q. Does the Gentry CSA include a minimum take requirement?**

17 A. Yes, the Gentry CSA is a take-or-pay agreement.

18 **Q. What contract terms were changed by the Bronco CSA second amendment?**

19 A. The second amendment for the Bronco CSA was signed on August 3, 2022. Bronco,
 20 the coal supplier, asserted that events and circumstances were in place that supported
 21 a declaration of force majeure and a complete suspension of their coal delivery

1 obligations. PacifiCorp disagreed with Bronco and initiated arbitration processes, but
2 also determined that a suspension of coal deliveries would result in significant
3 disruptions to the Company's planned and expected generation of electricity at the
4 Hunter Plant and lead to higher costs for customers. Because of the potential harmful
5 consequences of a disruption of coal supply to the Hunter Plant, PacifiCorp and
6 Bronco Utah Operations, LLC agreed to the second amendment to the Bronco CSA,
7 which states that PacifiCorp would issue a new RFP in 2022 to secure a reliable and
8 suitable coal supply for the Hunter Plant. In the interim, the two parties agreed to

9 [REDACTED]
10 [REDACTED]

11 [REDACTED], if no RFP offer was deemed to provide a more prudent option.

12 On November 29, 2022, PacifiCorp notified Bronco that it had completed the RFP
13 process and deemed it in the best interests of the Company and customers to [REDACTED]

14 [REDACTED].

15 **Q. Why did PacifiCorp execute a third amendment to the Bronco CSA?**

16 A. After PacifiCorp notified the coal supplier of its intent to [REDACTED]
17 [REDACTED] of the Bronco CSA through the end
18 of 2024, the coal supplier notified the Company that due to ongoing labor, market,
19 and financial pressures, it was "unable to supply the Hunter Plant at the price offered"
20 and expressed its intent to cease coal deliveries to the Company. PacifiCorp evaluated
21 the potential unfavorable cost impacts to the Company and its customers that would
22 result from the immediate loss of coal supply from the Bronco CSA. PacifiCorp
23 engaged in negotiations with the supplier and ultimately agreed to a price increase

1 under the third amendment, which ensured continued coal deliveries and was
2 determined to be beneficial for the Company and its customers. [REDACTED]

3 [REDACTED]

4 [REDACTED]

5 [REDACTED]

6 [REDACTED]

7 [REDACTED]

8 [REDACTED]

9 **Q. What are the volume and pricing terms of the Bronco CSA third amendment?**

10 A. The annual volume and pricing are as follows:

Year	Quantity	Price/Ton
2023	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
2024	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
2025	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

11 **Q. Please describe the change in delivered coal costs at the Hunter plant in the 2024**
12 **TAM.**

13 A. The price of delivered coal from Bronco increased from [REDACTED] in the 2023
14 TAM to [REDACTED] in the 2024 TAM, and the price of delivered coal from
15 [REDACTED] increased from [REDACTED] in the 2023 TAM to [REDACTED] in the
16 2024 TAM. These increases in price are the result of the force majeure circumstances
17 described earlier in my testimony, and reflects the pricing received as a result of the
18 RFP process.

9 [REDACTED]

1 **Q. The Commission directed PacifiCorp to hold a workshop with Parties within a**
2 **reasonable time after the execution of the Hunter CSA. When will PacifiCorp be**
3 **holding this workshop?**

4 A. As I have noted above, there are significant coal supply constraints in Utah, and
5 fueling the Hunter plant in 2024 will take place with at least three different coal
6 supply agreements or amendments resulting from the recent RFP, one of which is still
7 being negotiated. Once that CSA has been executed, PacifiCorp will reach out to
8 Parties to schedule a workshop to walk through the complete coal supply
9 arrangements at the Hunter plant.

10 **NEW CSA ANALYSIS DOCUMENTATION**

11 **Q. In the order from the 2022 TAM, the Commission identified several elements**
12 **that should be addressed when presenting a new CSA. What are those**
13 **elements?**

14 A. The 2022 order stated the following items should be addressed when PacifiCorp
15 presents a new CSA:

- 16 • PacifiCorp will need to explain in detail how economic cycling was
17 considered when deciding on minimum take levels in the contract, a
18 comparison of the MMBtu level from generation analysis to the contracted-for
19 level, and to provide the workpapers used in analysis of the generation
20 forecasts for CSA negotiations.¹⁰

¹⁰ Order No. 21-379 at 5.

- 1 • PacifiCorp will need to explain how it incorporates its integrated resource
2 plan (IRP) planning into its TAM-reviewed fuel contracts, or its management
3 of those contracts.¹¹
- 4 • PacifiCorp will need to show it considered future costs in multiyear contracts,
5 especially given that its plans for operating a plant generally would be
6 expected to show declining production before retirement.¹²
- 7 • PacifiCorp will need to explain how it is allowing for an orderly sequence
8 towards retirement and ensuring flexibility for reduced capacity factors and
9 consumption of the coal pile, and how it will manage the contract in the event
10 that circumstances change from those expected when it was signed.¹³

11 **Q. Has PacifiCorp conducted an analysis for the Wyodak, Gentry, and Eagle Butte**
12 **CSAs and the Bronco and Caballo amendments that involve these elements?**

13 A. Yes. Please refer to Highly Confidential Exhibits PAC/201-204 which contain an
14 overview and the background of the newly signed CSAs and amendments. These
15 documents also describe in detail the economic analysis that PacifiCorp conducted to
16 support the execution of the CSAs. Highly Confidential Exhibits PAC/201-204
17 demonstrates how PacifiCorp incorporated planning and modeling into the decision
18 process relating to the new CSAs.

¹¹ *Id.* at 7.

¹² *Id.*

¹³ *Id.*

1 **Q. In the Commission’s 2023 TAM Order, PacifiCorp was also directed that**
2 **“information should include minimum take provisions and other key contract**
3 **terms.”¹⁴ Has this information been included?**

4 A. Yes.

5 **Q. The Commission has also stated that “[w]hen a new CSA is under negotiation**
6 **and thus only a forecast is incorporated in a TAM, the first-year anticipated**
7 **nomination as well as estimations of the total cost forecast are necessary.” Has**
8 **this information been provided?**

9 A. Yes, the CSAs under negotiation are shown with forecasted nominations in
10 Confidential Table 1 below in the “Future Contracts” section. The full costs of these
11 contracts are reflected in the workpapers.

12 VI. OVERVIEW OF PACIFICORP’S COAL SUPPLIES

13 **Q. How does PacifiCorp plan to meet fuel supply requirements for its coal plants in**
14 **2024?**

15 A. PacifiCorp employs a diversified coal supply strategy, as reflected below in
16 Confidential Table 1. PacifiCorp will supply 85.4 percent of its 2024 coal
17 requirements with third-party coal supplies and 14.6 percent with coal from its
18 captive affiliate mines. Within the third party contracts: (1) 51.3 percent of the total
19 coal requirement will be supplied from fixed-price contracts; (2) 10.4 percent will be
20 supplied under variable-priced contracts that increase or decrease based on changes to
21 producer and consumer price indices; and (3) 23.7 percent of the total coal
22 requirement will be supplied from contracts for the Jim Bridger, Hunter, and Dave

¹⁴ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power, 2023 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 400, Order No. 22-389 at 5 (Oct. 25, 2022).

1 Johnston plants to be negotiated in 2023, which is further discussed in other sections
2 of my testimony.

3 **Confidential Table 1: Coal Source Deliveries**

2024 Company/Mine	Plant	Price Reopener	New Contract	MMBtus (000s)	MMBtus (000s)	Percent
Affiliate Mines						
Bridger Coal/Bridger	Jim Bridger					
Trapper Mining/Trapper	Craig					
Subtotal Affiliate Mines						14.6%
Fixed Price Contracts						
Wolverine/Sufco, Skyline	Huntington					
Bronco/Emery	Hunter					
Gentry Mountain/Gentry	Hunter		√			
Peabody/Twenty mile	Hayden					
Peabody/NARM	Dave Johnston					
Peabody/Caballo	Dave Johnston					
Bluegrass/Eagle Butte	Dave Johnston		√			
Kenmerer Operations	Naughton					
Subtotal Fixed Price Contracts						51.3%
Variable Price Contracts						
Westmoreland/Rosebud	Colstrip					
Black Hills/Wyodak	Wyodak		√			
Subtotal Variable Price Contracts						10.4%
Future Contracts						
Wolverine/Sufco, Skyline	Hunter					
Lighthouse Resources/Black Butte	Jim Bridger					
Unspecified PRB Mines	Dave Johnston					
Total Other						23.7%
Total Coal Supplies						100%

Note: Delivered MMBtus are calculated from consumption estimates provided by the generation requirements in Aurora to accommodate targeted inventory stockpiles

4 **Q. Has total coal-fuel expense in the 2024 TAM decreased from the level reflected**
5 **in PacifiCorp’s 2023 TAM?**

6 **A.** Yes. Total coal-fuel expense has decreased by \$91.5 million in the 2024 TAM. This
7 decrease is the result of a \$216.8 million volume reduction in coal-fired generation,
8 partially offset by approximately \$125.3 million in higher coal prices. These

1 variances are shown in Confidential Table 2 below.

2 **Confidential Table 2: Coal Fuel Variance - 2024 TAM vs. 2023 TAM**

Plant	Contract	Millions (\$)
Price Variance		
<u>Affiliate Mines</u>		
Jim Bridger	Bridger Coal Company	[REDACTED]
Craig	Trapper Mining	[REDACTED]
Subtotal Affiliate Mines		[REDACTED]
<u>Third-Party Contracts</u>		
Naughton	Kemmerer Operations	[REDACTED]
Wyodak	Wyodak Resources	[REDACTED]
Dave Johnston	Powder River Basin	[REDACTED]
Dave Johnston	BNSF	[REDACTED]
Jim Bridger	Black Butte Coal	[REDACTED]
Jim Bridger	UPRR	[REDACTED]
Hunter	Wolverine Fuels	[REDACTED]
Hunter	Bronco	[REDACTED]
Hunter	Gentry Mountain	[REDACTED]
Huntington	Wolverine Fuels	[REDACTED]
Colstrip	Westmoreland	[REDACTED]
Hayden	Peabody	[REDACTED]
Subtotal Third-party Contracts		[REDACTED]
Total Price Variance		\$ 125.3
Volume Variance		
Jim Bridger		[REDACTED]
Hunter		[REDACTED]
Naughton		[REDACTED]
Dave Johnston		[REDACTED]
Craig		[REDACTED]
Wyodak		[REDACTED]
Other Plants		[REDACTED]
Total Volume Variance		\$ (216.8)
Total Coal Fuel Variance - Increase/(Decrease)		\$ (91.5)

1 **Q. Please provide an overview of the cost changes by supplier in the 2024 TAM.**

2 A. The following tables compare values from the 2024 TAM Initial Filing versus the 2023
3 TAM Reply Filing. Confidential Table 3 shows updates to the CSA prices per ton
4 received from each supplier:

5 **Confidential Table 3**

Cost Comparison by Coal Source						
Plant	Supplier	2024 TAM Direct	2023 TAM Reply	Variance \$	Variance %	Variance Explanation
Colstrip	Westmoreland/Rosebud					
Craig	Trapper Mining Inc					
Dave Johnston	Peabody/NARM					
Dave Johnston	Peabody/Caballo					
Dave Johnston	Unspecified PRB Mines					
Dave Johnston	Eagle Butte					
Hayden	Peabody/Twenty mile					
Hunter	Wolverine/Various					
Hunter	Bronco/Emery					
Hunter	Gentry Mountain					
Huntington	Wolverine/Various					
Jim Bridger	Lighthouse Resources/Black Butte					
Jim Bridger	Bridger Coal Company					
Naughton	Kemmerer Operations					
Wyodak	Black Hills/Wyodak					

1 Confidential Table 4 compares the tons of coal consumed:

2 **Confidential Table 4**

Consumed Volume (tons, millions)				
Plant	2024 TAM Direct	2023 TAM Reply	Variance \$	Variance %
Colstrip				
Craig				
Dave Johnston				
Hayden				
Hunter				
Huntington				
Jim Bridger				
Naughton				
Wyodak				
Total	10.9	16.6	(5.7)	(34%)

3 Confidential Table 5 details the changes to total coal fuel costs:

4 **Confidential Table 5**

Fuel Cost (\$, millions)				
Plant	2024 TAM Direct	2023 TAM Reply	Variance \$	Variance %
Colstrip				
Craig				
Dave Johnston				
Hayden				
Hunter				
Huntington				
Jim Bridger				
Naughton				
Wyodak				
Total	547.3	638.8	(91.5)	(14%)

5 Coal fuel costs have decreased by \$91.5 million, driven mainly by a reduced coal
6 generation forecast in the 2024 TAM Aurora results.

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VII. JIM BRIDGER FUEL SUPPLY**A. Bridger Coal Company (BCC)**

3 **Q. Please briefly summarize the benefits for PacifiCorp customers which are**
4 **associated with PacifiCorp's partial ownership of BCC.**

5 A. Ownership in BCC allows PacifiCorp to flex coal deliveries up or down, within
6 certain constraints, to better align Jim Bridger plant delivered and consumed coal
7 quantities. Mine ownership also reduces coal supply delivery risk, mitigates
8 unfavorable impacts of unexpected coal delivery changes, and has historically
9 improved contract price terms with the third-party coal supplier.

10 **Q. Please describe the change in BCC costs in the 2024 TAM.**

11 A. BCC costs in the 2024 TAM are forecast to be [REDACTED] higher than the
12 2023 TAM. The cost for the base mine plan increased by [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]
13 [REDACTED], from [REDACTED] in the 2023 TAM to [REDACTED] in the 2024 TAM as
14 shown in Confidential Table 3. The 2024 TAM assumes [REDACTED] base tons are
15 delivered, which is [REDACTED] less tons delivered than in the 2023 TAM. In the
16 2024 TAM, the cost for supplemental coal decreases by [REDACTED], from [REDACTED]
17 [REDACTED] in the 2023 TAM to [REDACTED] in the 2024 TAM. Delivering [REDACTED]
18 [REDACTED] fewer tons results in an unfavorable supplemental price variance of [REDACTED]
19 [REDACTED].

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Confidential Table 6: Jim Bridger Plant Coal Deliveries

	2024 TAM			2023 TAM Update			Variance			Price
	Tons	Dollars	\$ / Ton	Tons	Dollars	\$ / Ton	Tons	Dollars	\$ / Ton	Variance
Bridger Coal Deliveries										
Bridger Base Mine Plan										
Supplemental Coal										
Total Bridger Coal										
Black Butte Deliveries										
Total Jim Bridger Plant										

2 **Q. Please summarize why BCC mine costs increase by [REDACTED] in the 2024**
 3 **TAM.**

4 **A.** The cost increase is primarily due to delivering [REDACTED] tons in the 2024 TAM
 5 vs the 2023 TAM. The lower volume results in fixed mining costs being allocated to
 6 fewer tons, thus raising the cost per ton delivered.

7 **Q. Has PacifiCorp identified a need to restock its inventory at the Jim Bridger**
 8 **facility?**

9 **A.** As explained above, coal market conditions changed significantly beginning in late
 10 2021 and those conditions continue to the current date. The changes had a significant
 11 impact on Jim Bridger plant operations and current coal inventory is significantly
 12 lower than the optimal amount targeted to ensure plant availability. PacifiCorp has
 13 optimized deliveries from the Company’s Bridger Coal mine in 2024, and is

14 [REDACTED]

15 **Q. In the stipulation approved by the Commission in the 2023 TAM, PacifiCorp has**
 16 **been required to provide the updated annual BCC mine plan. Has this document**
 17 **been provided in the workpapers to this filing?**

18 **A.** Yes, this document has been provided in my highly confidential workpapers.

1 **Q. In Order No. 13-387, the Commission ordered the Company to remove certain**
2 **operations and maintenance costs embedded in the costs of coal from its affiliate**
3 **captive mines.¹⁵ In this filing, does PacifiCorp adjust the price of coal from BCC**
4 **consistent with this order?**

5 A. Yes. In the 2024 TAM the Company reduces BCC costs by approximately
6 [REDACTED] to reflect removal of management overtime and 50 percent of annual
7 incentive plan awards.

8 **B. Jim Bridger Third-Party Coal Supply**

9 **Q. What is the expected change in third-party coal prices for the Jim Bridger plant**
10 **in the 2024 TAM?**

11 A. Delivered costs for the [REDACTED] of Black Butte coal increased from [REDACTED]
12 [REDACTED] in the 2023 TAM to [REDACTED] in the 2024 TAM, or [REDACTED] overall.
13 The Black Butte price for 2024 assumed a lower minimum volume which resulted in
14 a higher cost per ton estimate of [REDACTED] based on indicative pricing received
15 from the vendor, and the price for 2023 was estimated at [REDACTED] as per the
16 pricing terms of the CSA signed in 2022. The estimate for 2024 will be updated if a
17 new contract is executed prior to the TAM update submittal deadline. The estimated
18 costs for delivery of coal from Black Butte is forecasted to decrease by \$0.1 million
19 in delivered costs.

20 **Q. Why are you assuming that PacifiCorp will execute a new CSA with Black Butte**
21 **for 2024?**

22 A. Continued coal shortages that are occurring in 2023 and that are projected to continue

¹⁵ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp d/b/a Pacific Power 2014 Transition Adjustment Mechanism*, Docket No. UE 264, Order No. 13-387 (Oct. 28, 2013).

1 into 2024 indicate the need for a CSA with Black Butte in 2024. A full analysis will
2 be performed later in 2023 to determine the prudence of executing a new Black Butte
3 agreement, and any changes as a result of the analysis will be reflected in the TAM
4 update.

5 **Q. Why is executing a new Black Butte CSA necessary to address coal shortages at**
6 **the Jim Bridger plant?**

7 A. The Jim Bridger plant inventory levels have declined since the latter half of 2022 and
8 are projected to further decline below target levels intended to maintain availability at
9 the plant. Without coal supplied by Black Butte in 2024, it would not be possible to
10 restore inventory levels to prudent operating levels.

11 **Q. If the Long-Term Fuel Plan and analysis in the IRP shows that it is uneconomic**
12 **to pursue a short-term contract with Black Butte, will PacifiCorp still pursue a**
13 **new CSA with Black Butte?**

14 A. No.

15 VIII. CONCLUSION

16 **Q. Please summarize the benefits of PacifiCorp's coal fuel strategy.**

17 A. Customers have significantly benefited from PacifiCorp's prudent and diversified
18 fueling strategy, which relies upon fixed-price contracts, index-priced contracts, and
19 affiliate-owned mines to meet the fuel needs of its coal-fired generating plants. The
20 overall decrease in coal-fuel expense in this filing has been primarily driven down by
21 reduced coal volumes, as shown in Confidential Table 2 above. PacifiCorp's fixed
22 price coal contracts have continued to benefit customers as natural gas and power
23 prices rise. However, the demand and cost for coal has increased both nationally and

1 globally, and PacifiCorp continues to work with its coal suppliers and mines to ensure
2 the best risk-adjusted pricing for the benefit of our customers.

3 **Q. Does this conclude your direct testimony?**

4 **A. Yes.**

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CSA Contract Minimums Table

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Confidential: Coal Supply Agreement Contract Minimums
(all figures are in tons of coal)

Plant	Coal Mine	Contractual Minimum	2024 TAM Forecast Deliveries	Minimum %
Colstrip	Rosebud			
Craig	Trapper			
Dave Johnston	North Antelope Rochelle			
Dave Johnston	Eagle Butte			
Dave Johnston	Caballo-Contract 2			
Dave Johnston Total				
Hayden	Twentymile			
Hunter	Wolverine			
Hunter	Gentry			
Hunter	Bronco			
Hunter Total				
Huntington	Wolverine ¹			
Jim Bridger	Black Butte			
Jim Bridger	Bridger			
Jim Bridger Total				
Naughton	Kemmerer			
Wyodak	Wyodak			

Notes

1. As described in testimony, force majeure claim by supplier has impacted contractual minimum. Forecast numbers provided are from 2024 TAM initial filing

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Exhibit PAC/301—Proposed TAM Rate Spread and Rates

Exhibit PAC/302—Proposed Tariff Schedule

Exhibit PAC/303—Estimated Effect of Proposed TAM Price Change

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I. INTRODUCTION AND QUALIFICATIONS

2 **Q. Please state your name, business address, and present position with PacifiCorp**

3 **d/b/a Pacific Power (PacifiCorp or the Company).**

4 A. My name is Judith M. Ridenour. My business address is 825 NE Multnomah Street,

5 Suite 2000, Portland, Oregon 97232. My current position is Specialist, Pricing and

6 Cost of Service, in the regulation department.

7 **Q. Briefly describe your education and professional experience.**

8 A. I have a Bachelor of Arts degree in Mathematics from Reed College. I joined the

9 Company in the regulation department in October 2000. I assumed my present

10 responsibilities in May 2001. In my current position, I am responsible for the

11 preparation of rate design used in retail price filings and related analyses. Since 2001,

12 with levels of increasing responsibility, I have analyzed and implemented rate design

13 proposals throughout the Company's six-state service territory.

14

II. PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY

15 **Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?**

16 A. I present PacifiCorp's proposed rate spread, rates, and revised tariff pages for the

17 2024 Transition Adjustment Mechanism (TAM) to recover the Oregon-allocated

18 forecast net power costs (NPC) and other amounts identified by Mr. Ramon J.

19 Mitchell. I also provide a summary of the impact of the proposed rate change on

20 customers' bills.

1 **III. PROPOSED RATE SPREAD AND RATE DESIGN**

2 **Q. Please describe the Company’s tariff rate schedule that collects the TAM.**

3 A. PacifiCorp collects the TAM through Schedule 201, Net Power Costs, Cost-Based
4 Supply Service. Collecting the TAM through a separate rate schedule allows NPC to
5 be more easily and accurately updated through TAM filings.

6 **Q. What is the test period for this TAM?**

7 A. In accordance with the TAM Guidelines adopted in Order 09-274,¹ the test period for
8 this stand-alone TAM is the year during which the Schedule 201 rates will be
9 effective, which is the forecast 12 months ending December 31, 2024.

10 **Q. How did the Company allocate the proposed TAM revenues to the rate schedule**
11 **classes?**

12 A. PacifiCorp allocated proposed TAM revenues to the rate schedules based on the
13 present spread of TAM revenues. This is consistent with the TAM Guidelines and
14 the generation allocation in the Company’s last general rate case, docket UE 399,
15 updated for the change in load.

16 **Q. Did you prepare an exhibit showing the rate spread and present and proposed**
17 **Schedule 201 rates and revenues?**

18 A. Yes. Exhibit PAC/301 shows the TAM rate spread and revenue targets along with
19 the present and proposed Schedule 201 rates and revenues. As explained by Mr.
20 Mitchell, forecast NPC is subject to updates throughout this proceeding.

21 **Q. Is the proposed Schedule 201 rate design consistent with the TAM Guidelines?**

22 A. Yes. The proposed Schedule 201 rates are designed to collect revenues from rate

¹ *In the Matter of PacifiCorp, d/b/a Pacific Power, 2009 Transition Adjustment Mechanism Schedule 200, Cost-Based Supply Service, Docket No. UE 199, Order No. 09-274 (July 16, 2009).*

1 schedules based on the proposed rate spread described above. Additionally, the rates
2 in PacifiCorp's proposed Schedule 201 follow the proposed rate blocks and
3 relationships between rate blocks as the existing Schedule 201 rates.

4 **Q. Are changes necessary in the 2024 TAM to Schedule 205 related to TAM**
5 **Adjustment for Other Revenues?**

6 A. No. PacifiCorp's Schedule 205, TAM Adjustment for Other Revenues, has been used
7 to collect or distribute the adjustment related to other revenues in a stand-alone TAM
8 filing. No adjustment is required as part of this filing and the rates are currently zero.

9 **Q. Please describe Exhibit PAC/302.**

10 A. Exhibit PAC/302 contains the proposed revised Schedule 201.

11 **Q. Is the Company proposing changes to its transition adjustment tariff schedules**
12 **at this time?**

13 A. No. The Company will file changes to the transition adjustment tariffs—
14 Schedules 294, 295, and 296—once the final TAM rates have been posted and are
15 known. The Transition Adjustment rates will be established in November, just before
16 the open enrollment window.

17 **Q. Are there other tariff changes which will be made in the compliance filing in this**
18 **docket?**

19 A. Yes. The Company will file Schedule 293 to reflect any changes to the Company
20 Supply Service Access Charge and Schedule 220 to reflect updated market
21 weightings based on the final TAM results in November.

1 **IV. COMPARISON OF PRESENT AND PROPOSED CUSTOMER RATES**

2 **Q. What are the overall rate effects of the changes proposed in this filing?**

3 A. The overall proposed effect is a rate increase of \$163.8 million or 9.5 percent, on a
4 net basis. The rate change varies by customer type. Page one of Exhibit PAC/303
5 shows the estimated effect of PacifiCorp's proposed prices by delivery service
6 schedule both excluding (base) and including (net) applicable adjustment schedules.
7 The net rates in Columns 7 and 10 exclude effects of the Low Income Bill Payment
8 Assistance Fund (Schedule 91), Low Income Discount Cost Recovery Adjustment
9 (Schedule 92), the Adjustment Associated with the Pacific Northwest Electric Power
10 Planning and Conservation Act (Schedule 98), the Public Purpose Charge (Schedule
11 290), and the System Benefits Charge (Schedule 291).

12 **Q. Did you prepare an exhibit that shows the impact on customer bills as a result of
13 the proposed TAM rate change?**

14 A. Yes. Exhibit PAC/303, beginning on page two, contains monthly billing comparisons
15 for customers at different usage levels served on each of the major delivery service
16 schedules. Each bill impact is shown in both dollars and percentages. These bill
17 comparisons include the effects of all adjustment schedules including the Low
18 Income Bill Payment Assistance Fund (Schedule 91), Low Income Discount Cost
19 Recovery Adjustment (Schedule 92), the Adjustment Associated with the Pacific
20 Northwest Electric Power Planning and Conservation Act (Schedule 98), the Public
21 Purpose Charge (Schedule 290), and the System Benefits Charge (Schedule 291).

22 **Q. What is the estimated monthly impact to an average residential customer?**

23 A. The estimated average monthly impact to the average residential customer using

1 900 kilowatt-hours per month is a bill increase of \$9.58.

2 **Q. Does this conclude your direct testimony?**

3 **A. Yes.**

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**PACIFIC POWER
STATE OF OREGON
Schedule 201 - Net Power Costs - Cost-Based Supply Service
Proposed Rate and Revenue Adjustments
Forecast 12 Months Ended December 31, 2024**

Rate Schedule	Forecast Energy	Present Schedule 201		Generation Rate Spread	Target Revenues	Proposed Schedule 201	
		Rates	Revenues			Rates	Revenues
Schedule 4, Residential							
All kWh	5,829,080,761	3.269 ¢	\$190,552,650	37.3825%	\$251,704,065	4.318 ¢	\$251,699,707
	5,829,080,761		\$190,552,650		\$251,704,065		\$251,699,707
Employee Discount							
All kWh	13,481,008	3.269	\$440,694			4.318 ¢	\$582,110
Discount	13,481,008		\$440,694				\$582,110
			-\$110,174		-\$145,528		-\$145,528
Schedule 23, Small General Service							
Secondary Voltage							
1st 3,000 kWh, per kWh	911,866,507	3.262 ¢	\$29,745,085	5.8354%	\$39,290,762	4.309 ¢	\$39,292,328
All additional kWh, per kWh	251,083,824	2.418 ¢	\$6,071,207	1.1910%	\$8,019,555	3.194 ¢	\$8,019,617
	1,162,950,331		\$35,816,292		\$47,310,317		\$47,311,945
Primary Voltage							
1st 3,000 kWh, per kWh	1,848,595	3.163 ¢	\$58,471	0.0115%	\$77,235	4.178 ¢	\$77,234
All additional kWh, per kWh	1,551,757	2.346 ¢	\$36,404	0.0071%	\$48,087	3.099 ¢	\$48,089
	3,400,352		\$94,875		\$125,322		\$125,323
Schedule 28, General Service 31-200kW							
Secondary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	2,059,282,012	3.041 ¢	\$62,622,766	12.2853%	\$82,719,420	4.017 ¢	\$82,721,358
	2,059,282,012		\$62,622,766		\$82,719,420		\$82,721,358
Primary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	24,744,600	2.971 ¢	\$735,162	0.1442%	\$971,087	3.924 ¢	\$970,978
	24,744,600		\$735,162		\$971,087		\$970,978
<i>Schedule 29 TOU Pilot, untiered, per kWh</i>		3.837 ¢				5.068 ¢	
Schedule 30, General Service 201-999kW							
Secondary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	1,223,348,242	2.982 ¢	\$36,480,245	7.1567%	\$48,187,343	3.939 ¢	\$48,187,687
	1,223,348,242		\$36,480,245		\$48,187,343		\$48,187,687
Primary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	101,732,550	2.972 ¢	\$3,023,491	0.5931%	\$3,993,778	3.926 ¢	\$3,994,020
	101,732,550		\$3,023,491		\$3,993,778		\$3,994,020
Schedule 41, Agricultural Pumping Service							
Secondary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	237,609,947	2.938 ¢	\$6,980,980	1.3695%	\$9,221,289	3.881 ¢	\$9,221,642
	237,609,947		\$6,980,980		\$9,221,289		\$9,221,642
Primary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	34,304	2.893 ¢	\$992	0.0002%	\$1,310	3.820 ¢	\$1,310
	34,304		\$992		\$1,310		\$1,310
<i>Net TOU Adders</i>			-\$636		-\$636		-\$636
Schedule 47, Large General Service, Partial Requirements 1,000kW and over							
Primary Voltage							
On-Peak, per on-peak kWh	6,937,804	3.480 ¢	\$241,436			4.597 ¢	\$318,931
Off-Peak, per off-peak kWh	9,669,725	2.471 ¢	\$238,939			3.264 ¢	\$315,620
	16,607,529		\$480,375		\$634,551		\$634,551
Transmission Voltage							
On-Peak, per on-peak kWh	5,163,458	3.370 ¢	\$174,009			4.451 ¢	\$229,826
Off-Peak, per off-peak kWh	9,129,839	2.344 ¢	\$214,003			3.096 ¢	\$282,660
	14,293,297		\$388,012		\$512,486		\$512,486

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Proposed Rate and Revenue Adjustments
Forecast 12 Months Ended December 31, 2024

Rate Schedule	Forecast Energy	Present Schedule 201		Generation Rate Spread	Target Revenues	Proposed Schedule 201	
		Rates	Revenues			Rates	Revenues
Schedule 48, Large General Service, 1,000kW and over							
Secondary Voltage							
On-Peak, per on-peak kWh	463,483,442	3.577 ¢	\$16,578,803	3.2524%	\$21,899,208	4.725 ¢	\$21,899,593
Off-Peak, per off-peak kWh	752,720,550	2.578 ¢	\$19,405,136	3.8069%	\$25,632,557	3.405 ¢	\$25,630,135
	<u>1,216,203,992</u>		<u>\$35,983,939</u>		<u>\$47,531,765</u>		<u>\$47,529,728</u>
Primary Voltage							
On-Peak, per on-peak kWh	936,940,456	3.480 ¢	\$32,605,528	6.3965%	\$43,069,167	4.597 ¢	\$43,071,153
Off-Peak, per off-peak kWh	1,536,799,519	2.471 ¢	\$37,974,316	7.4498%	\$50,160,886	3.264 ¢	\$50,161,136
	<u>2,473,739,975</u>		<u>\$70,579,844</u>		<u>\$93,230,053</u>		<u>\$93,232,289</u>
Transmission Voltage							
On-Peak, per on-peak kWh	915,695,287	3.370 ¢	\$30,858,931	6.0539%	\$40,762,059	4.451 ¢	\$40,757,597
Off-Peak, per off-peak kWh	1,517,786,997	2.344 ¢	\$35,576,927	6.9795%	\$46,994,136	3.096 ¢	\$46,990,685
	<u>2,433,482,284</u>		<u>\$66,435,858</u>		<u>\$87,756,195</u>		<u>\$87,748,282</u>
Schedule 15, Outdoor Area Lighting Service							
Secondary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	<u>8,050,392</u>	1.035 ¢	<u>\$83,284</u>	0.0163%	<u>\$110,011</u>	1.368 ¢	<u>\$110,151</u>
	8,050,392		\$83,284				\$110,151
Schedule 51, Street Lighting Service, Company-Owned System							
Secondary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	<u>21,063,034</u>	1.216 ¢	<u>\$256,137</u>	0.0502%	<u>\$338,336</u>	1.610 ¢	<u>\$339,137</u>
	21,063,034		\$256,137				\$339,137
Schedule 53, Street Lighting Service, Consumer-Owned System							
Secondary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	<u>7,518,996</u>	1.021 ¢	<u>\$76,769</u>	0.0151%	<u>\$101,405</u>	1.349 ¢	<u>\$101,431</u>
	7,518,996		\$76,769				\$101,431
Schedule 54, Recreational Field Lighting							
Secondary Voltage							
All kWh, per kWh	<u>1,393,660</u>	1.021 ¢	<u>\$14,229</u>	0.0028%	<u>\$18,795</u>	1.349 ¢	<u>\$18,800</u>
	1,393,660		\$14,229				\$18,800
Total before Employee Discount			<u>\$510,605,264</u>	100.0000%	<u>\$674,466,893</u>		<u>\$674,460,189</u>
Employee Discount			-110,174		-145,528		-145,528
TOTAL	<u>16,834,536,258</u>		<u>\$510,495,090</u>		<u>\$674,321,365</u>		<u>\$674,314,662</u>
						Change	<u>\$163,819,572</u>
Schedule 47 Unscheduled kWh	1,362,310						
Total Forecast kWh	16,835,898,568						

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Proposed Tariff Schedule

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**OREGON
SCHEDULE 201**

**NET POWER COSTS
COST-BASED SUPPLY SERVICE**

Available

In all territory served by the Company in the State of Oregon.

Applicable

To Residential Consumers and Nonresidential Consumers who have elected to take Cost-Based Supply Service under this schedule or under Schedules 210, 211, 212, 213 or 247. This service may be taken only in conjunction with the applicable Delivery Service Schedule. Also applicable to Nonresidential Consumers who, based on the announcement date defined in OAR 860-038-275, do not elect to receive standard offer service under Schedule 220 or direct access service under the applicable tariff. In addition, applicable to some Large Nonresidential Consumers on Schedule 400 whose special contracts require prices under the Company's previously applicable Schedule 48T. For Consumers on Schedule 400 who were served on previously applicable Schedule 48T prices under their special contract, this service, in conjunction with Delivery Service Schedule 48, supersedes previous Schedule 48T.

Nonresidential Consumers who had chosen either service under Schedule 220 or who chose to receive direct access service under the applicable tariff may qualify to return to Cost-Based Supply Service under this Schedule after meeting the Returning Service Requirements and making a Returning Service Payment as specified in this Schedule.

Monthly Billing

The Monthly Billing shall be the Energy Charge, as specified below by Delivery Service Schedule.

<u>Delivery Service Schedule No.</u>		<u>Delivery Voltage</u>			
		<u>Secondary</u>	<u>Primary</u>	<u>Transmission</u>	
4	All kWh, per kWh	4.318¢			(l)
5	All kWh, per kWh	4.318¢			(l)
6	Per kWh	4.318¢			(l)
	plus All kWh	14.270¢			
	plus per On-Peak kWh	-3.790¢			
	plus per Off-Peak kWh (credit)				
For Schedule 6, On-Peak hours are from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m., all days. Off-Peak hours are all remaining hours.					
23	First 3,000 kWh, per kWh	4.309¢	4.178¢		(l)
	All additional kWh, per kWh	3.194¢	3.099¢		(l)
28	All kWh, per kWh	4.017¢	3.924¢		(l)

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**OREGON
SCHEDULE 201**

**NET POWER COSTS
COST-BASED SUPPLY SERVICE**

Monthly Billing (continued)

<u>Delivery Service Schedule No.</u>		<u>Delivery Voltage</u>		Transmission	
		Secondary	Primary		
29	All kWh, per kWh Plus per Off-Peak kWh (credit)	5.068¢ -0.739¢	5.068¢ -0.739¢		(l)

For Schedule 29, Summer On-Peak hours are from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday excluding holidays in the Summer months of April through October. Non-Summer On-Peak hours are from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday excluding holidays in the Non-Summer months of November through March. Off-Peak hours are all remaining hours.

30	All kWh, per kWh	3.939¢	3.926¢		(l)
41	All kWh, per kWh Optional TOU Adders Plus per On-Peak kWh Plus per Off-Peak kWh (credit)	3.881¢ 4.989¢ -0.992¢	3.820¢ 4.989¢ -0.992¢		(l)

Schedule 41 Consumers may choose to participate in one of two Time-of-Use (TOU) rate options, Option A and Option B which provide time-varying rates in the Summer months of July, August and September. Consumers may choose to participate in Option A with On-Peak hours from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. all days in Summer or Option B with On-Peak hours from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. all days in Summer. Off-peak hours for each Option are all other Summer hours which are not On-Peak. All other months have no time-of-use periods or rate adders.

47/48	Per kWh On-Peak Per kWh, Off-Peak	4.725¢ 3.405¢	4.597¢ 3.264¢	4.451¢ 3.096¢	(l) (l)
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For Schedule 47 and Schedule 48, Summer On-Peak hours are from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. all days in the Summer months of June through September. Non-Summer On-Peak hours are from 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. in the Non-Summer months of October through May. Off-Peak hours are all remaining hours.

15	<u>Type of Lamp</u>	<u>LED Equivalent Lumens</u>	<u>Monthly kWh</u>	<u>Rate per Lamp</u>	
	Level 1	0-5,000	19	\$1.02	(l)
	Level 2	5,001-12,000	34	\$1.82	(l)
	Level 3	12,001+	57	\$3.05	(l)

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**NET POWER COSTS
COST-BASED SUPPLY SERVICE**

Monthly Billing (continued)

Delivery Service Schedule No.

51	Type of Lamp	LED Equivalent Lumens	Monthly kWh	Rate per Lamp		
	Level 1	0-3,500	8	\$0.37	(I)	
	Level 2	3,501-5,500	15	\$0.69		
	Level 3	5,501-8,000	25	\$1.14		
	Level 4	8,001-12,000	34	\$1.56		
	Level 5	12,001-15,500	44	\$2.02		
	Level 6	15,501+	57	\$2.62		
53	Types of Luminaire	Nominal rating	Watts	Monthly kWh	Rate Per Luminaire	
	High Pressure Sodium	5,800	70	31	\$0.42	(I)
	High Pressure Sodium	9,500	100	44	\$0.59	
	High Pressure Sodium	16,000	150	64	\$0.86	
	High Pressure Sodium	22,000	200	85	\$1.15	
	High Pressure Sodium	27,500	250	115	\$1.55	
	High Pressure Sodium	50,000	400	176	\$2.37	
	Metal Halide	9,000	100	39	\$0.53	
	Metal Halide	12,000	175	68	\$0.92	
	Metal Halide	19,500	250	94	\$1.27	
	Metal Halide	32,000	400	149	\$2.01	
	Metal Halide	107,800	1,000	354	\$4.78	
	Non-Listed Luminaire, per kWh				1.349¢	
54	Per kWh				1.349¢	(I)

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Estimated Effect of Proposed TAM Price Change

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PACIFIC POWER
ESTIMATED EFFECT OF PROPOSED PRICE CHANGE
ON REVENUES FROM ELECTRIC SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS
DISTRIBUTED BY RATE SCHEDULES IN OREGON
FORECAST 12 MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024

Line No.	Description	Sch No.	No. of Cust	MWh	Present Revenues (\$000)			Proposed Revenues (\$000)			Change				Line No.
					Base Rates	Adders ¹	Net Rates	Base Rates	Adders ¹	Net Rates	Base Rates		Net Rates		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	
						(5) + (6)			(8) + (9)	(8) - (5)	(11)/(5)	(10) - (7)	(13)/(7)		
Residential															
1	Residential	4	540,041	5,829,081	\$737,548	\$8,977	\$746,525	\$798,695	\$8,977	\$807,672	\$61,147	8.3%	\$61,147	8.2%	1
2	Total Residential		540,041	5,829,081	\$737,548	\$8,977	\$746,525	\$798,695	\$8,977	\$807,672	\$61,147	8.3%	\$61,147	8.2%	2
Commercial & Industrial															
3	Gen. Svc. < 31 kW	23	85,313	1,166,351	\$149,483	\$2,496	\$151,978	\$161,009	\$2,496	\$163,504	\$11,526	7.7%	\$11,526	7.6%	3
4	Gen. Svc. 31 - 200 kW	28	10,587	2,084,027	\$186,116	\$20,590	\$206,706	\$206,451	\$20,590	\$227,041	\$20,334	10.9%	\$20,334	9.8%	4
5	Gen. Svc. 201 - 999 kW	30	872	1,325,081	\$105,890	\$12,417	\$118,307	\$118,568	\$12,417	\$130,985	\$12,678	12.0%	\$12,678	10.7%	5
6	Large General Service >= 1,000 kW	48	182	6,123,426	\$435,177	\$16,877	\$452,053	\$490,687	\$16,877	\$507,564	\$55,511	12.7%	\$55,511	12.2%	6
7	Partial Req. Svc. >= 1,000 kW	47	6	32,263	\$4,320	\$88	\$4,409	\$4,599	\$88	\$4,687	\$279	12.7%	\$279	12.2%	7
8	Dist. Only Lg Gen Svc >= 1,000 kW	848	1	0	\$1,219	\$111	\$1,329	\$1,219	\$111	\$1,329	\$0	0.0%	\$0	0.0%	8
9	Agricultural Pumping Service	41	7,913	237,644	\$30,384	(\$2,916)	\$27,468	\$32,625	(\$2,916)	\$29,709	\$2,241	7.4%	\$2,241	8.2%	9
10	Total Commercial & Industrial		104,874	10,968,792	\$912,589	\$49,663	\$962,251	\$1,015,158	\$49,663	\$1,064,820	\$102,569	11.2%	\$102,569	10.7%	10
Lighting															
11	Outdoor Area Lighting Service	15	5,703	8,050	\$788	\$242	\$1,031	\$815	\$242	\$1,058	\$27	3.4%	\$27	2.6%	11
12	Street Lighting Service Comp. Owned	51	1,121	21,063	\$2,715	\$933	\$3,648	\$2,798	\$933	\$3,731	\$83	3.1%	\$83	2.3%	12
13	Street Lighting Service Cust. Owned	53	292	7,519	\$392	\$221	\$613	\$417	\$221	\$637	\$25	6.3%	\$25	4.0%	13
14	Recreational Field Lighting	54	100	1,394	\$88	\$52	\$140	\$92	\$52	\$144	\$5	5.2%	\$5	3.3%	14
15	Total Public Street Lighting		7,215	38,026	\$3,983	\$1,448	\$5,431	\$4,122	\$1,448	\$5,570	\$139	3.5%	\$139	2.6%	15
16	Subtotal		652,131	16,835,899	\$1,654,120	\$60,087	\$1,714,207	\$1,817,975	\$60,087	\$1,878,062	\$163,855	9.9%	\$163,855	9.6%	16
17	Employee Discount		975	13,481	(\$419)	(\$5)	(\$424)	(\$455)	(\$5)	(\$460)	(\$35)		(\$35)		17
17	Paperless Credit				(\$2,072)		(\$2,072)	(\$2,072)		(\$2,072)	\$0		\$0		17
18	AGA Revenue				\$3,521		\$3,521	\$3,521		\$3,521	\$0		\$0		18
19	COOC Amortization				\$1,767		\$1,767	\$1,767		\$1,767	\$0		\$0		19
20	Total Sales with AGA		652,131	16,835,899	\$1,656,916	\$60,082	\$1,716,998	\$1,820,736	\$60,082	\$1,880,818	\$163,820	9.9%	\$163,820	9.5%	20

¹ Excludes effects of the Low Income Bill Payment Assistance Fund (Sch. 91), Low Income Discount Cost Recovery Adjustment (Sch. 92), BPA Credit (Sch. 98), Public Purpose Charge (Sch. 290) and System Benefits Charge (Sch. 291).

² Percentages shown for Schedules 48 and 47 reflect the combined rate change for both schedules

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 4 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Residential Service - Single Family

kWh	Monthly Billing*		Difference	Percent Difference
	Present Price	Proposed Price		
100	\$24.02	\$25.09	\$1.07	4.45%
200	\$35.49	\$37.62	\$2.13	6.00%
300	\$46.97	\$50.17	\$3.20	6.81%
400	\$58.45	\$62.71	\$4.26	7.29%
500	\$69.92	\$75.24	\$5.32	7.61%
600	\$81.40	\$87.79	\$6.39	7.85%
700	\$92.88	\$100.33	\$7.45	8.02%
800	\$104.36	\$112.87	\$8.51	8.15%
900	\$115.83	\$125.41	\$9.58	8.27%
1,000	\$127.30	\$137.95	\$10.65	8.37%
1,100	\$138.78	\$150.50	\$11.72	8.45%
1,200	\$150.25	\$163.03	\$12.78	8.51%
1,300	\$161.73	\$175.57	\$13.84	8.56%
1,400	\$173.21	\$188.12	\$14.91	8.61%
1,500	\$184.68	\$200.65	\$15.97	8.65%
1,600	\$196.16	\$213.19	\$17.03	8.68%
2,000	\$242.06	\$263.36	\$21.30	8.80%
3,000	\$366.55	\$398.50	\$31.95	8.72%
4,000	\$491.04	\$533.63	\$42.59	8.67%
5,000	\$615.53	\$668.77	\$53.24	8.65%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 98, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 4 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Residential Service - Multi-Family

kWh	Monthly Billing*		Difference	Percent Difference
	Present Price	Proposed Price		
100	\$20.98	\$22.04	\$1.06	5.05%
200	\$32.45	\$34.58	\$2.13	6.56%
300	\$43.93	\$47.12	\$3.19	7.26%
400	\$55.41	\$59.66	\$4.25	7.67%
500	\$66.87	\$72.20	\$5.33	7.97%
600	\$78.35	\$84.74	\$6.39	8.16%
700	\$89.83	\$97.29	\$7.46	8.30%
800	\$101.31	\$109.83	\$8.52	8.41%
900	\$112.78	\$122.36	\$9.58	8.49%
1,000	\$124.26	\$134.91	\$10.65	8.57%
1,100	\$135.74	\$147.45	\$11.71	8.63%
1,200	\$147.21	\$159.98	\$12.77	8.67%
1,300	\$158.69	\$172.53	\$13.84	8.72%
1,400	\$170.17	\$185.07	\$14.90	8.76%
1,500	\$181.63	\$197.61	\$15.98	8.80%
1,600	\$193.11	\$210.15	\$17.04	8.82%
2,000	\$239.02	\$260.31	\$21.29	8.91%
3,000	\$363.51	\$395.45	\$31.94	8.79%
4,000	\$488.00	\$530.59	\$42.59	8.73%
5,000	\$612.49	\$665.73	\$53.24	8.69%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 98, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 23 + Cost-Based Supply Service
General Service - Secondary Delivery Voltage

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing*				Percent Difference	
		Present Price		Proposed Price		Single Phase	Three Phase
		Single Phase	Three Phase	Single Phase	Three Phase		
5	500	\$78	\$87	\$84	\$92	6.77%	6.09%
	750	\$109	\$118	\$117	\$126	7.32%	6.78%
	1,000	\$139	\$148	\$150	\$159	7.63%	7.17%
	1,500	\$200	\$209	\$216	\$225	7.96%	7.63%
10	1,000	\$139	\$148	\$150	\$159	7.63%	7.17%
	2,000	\$261	\$270	\$282	\$291	8.14%	7.88%
	3,000	\$383	\$392	\$415	\$423	8.33%	8.14%
	4,000	\$489	\$497	\$528	\$537	8.14%	7.99%
20	4,000	\$524	\$533	\$564	\$573	7.58%	7.46%
	6,000	\$736	\$745	\$792	\$800	7.54%	7.45%
	8,000	\$948	\$957	\$1,019	\$1,028	7.52%	7.45%
	10,000	\$1,160	\$1,168	\$1,247	\$1,255	7.50%	7.45%
30	9,000	\$1,125	\$1,134	\$1,204	\$1,213	7.03%	6.98%
	12,000	\$1,443	\$1,451	\$1,546	\$1,554	7.12%	7.08%
	15,000	\$1,760	\$1,769	\$1,887	\$1,895	7.18%	7.15%
	18,000	\$2,078	\$2,086	\$2,228	\$2,237	7.22%	7.19%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 23 + Cost-Based Supply Service
General Service - Primary Delivery Voltage

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing*				Percent Difference	
		Present Price		Proposed Price		Single Phase	Three Phase
		Single Phase	Three Phase	Single Phase	Three Phase		
5	500	\$77	\$86	\$82	\$91	6.66%	5.99%
	750	\$107	\$116	\$115	\$124	7.21%	6.67%
	1,000	\$137	\$146	\$147	\$156	7.52%	7.07%
	1,500	\$197	\$205	\$212	\$221	7.85%	7.52%
10	1,000	\$137	\$146	\$147	\$156	7.52%	7.07%
	2,000	\$256	\$265	\$277	\$286	8.03%	7.77%
	3,000	\$376	\$385	\$407	\$415	8.22%	8.04%
	4,000	\$480	\$488	\$518	\$527	8.04%	7.89%
20	4,000	\$515	\$524	\$554	\$562	7.48%	7.36%
	6,000	\$723	\$732	\$777	\$786	7.45%	7.36%
	8,000	\$931	\$939	\$1,000	\$1,009	7.43%	7.36%
	10,000	\$1,139	\$1,147	\$1,223	\$1,232	7.41%	7.36%
30	9,000	\$1,106	\$1,114	\$1,182	\$1,191	6.94%	6.89%
	12,000	\$1,417	\$1,426	\$1,517	\$1,526	7.03%	6.99%
	15,000	\$1,729	\$1,738	\$1,852	\$1,860	7.09%	7.06%
	18,000	\$2,041	\$2,049	\$2,186	\$2,195	7.13%	7.10%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 28 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Large General Service - Secondary Delivery Voltage

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing*		Percent Difference
		Present Price	Proposed Price	
15	3,000	\$366	\$396	8.12%
	4,500	\$485	\$530	9.19%
	7,500	\$724	\$798	10.26%
31	6,200	\$737	\$798	8.34%
	9,300	\$983	\$1,076	9.37%
	15,500	\$1,477	\$1,630	10.40%
40	8,000	\$945	\$1,024	8.38%
	12,000	\$1,264	\$1,382	9.41%
	20,000	\$1,900	\$2,098	10.43%
60	12,000	\$1,410	\$1,529	8.43%
	18,000	\$1,887	\$2,066	9.45%
	30,000	\$2,842	\$3,139	10.46%
80	16,000	\$1,868	\$2,027	8.48%
	24,000	\$2,505	\$2,743	9.49%
	40,000	\$3,778	\$4,174	10.49%
100	20,000	\$2,327	\$2,525	8.52%
	30,000	\$3,122	\$3,420	9.52%
	50,000	\$4,714	\$5,209	10.51%
200	40,000	\$4,595	\$4,992	8.62%
	60,000	\$6,187	\$6,781	9.61%
	100,000	\$9,370	\$10,361	10.57%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 28 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Large General Service - Primary Delivery Voltage

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing*		Percent Difference
		Present Price	Proposed Price	
15	4,500	\$448	\$491	9.72%
	6,000	\$560	\$618	10.37%
	7,500	\$671	\$744	10.80%
31	9,300	\$906	\$996	9.93%
	12,400	\$1,137	\$1,257	10.55%
	15,500	\$1,368	\$1,518	10.96%
40	12,000	\$1,163	\$1,279	9.98%
	16,000	\$1,462	\$1,617	10.59%
	20,000	\$1,760	\$1,954	10.99%
60	18,000	\$1,737	\$1,911	10.02%
	24,000	\$2,185	\$2,417	10.63%
	30,000	\$2,632	\$2,922	11.02%
80	24,000	\$2,305	\$2,537	10.07%
	32,000	\$2,902	\$3,212	10.67%
	40,000	\$3,499	\$3,886	11.06%
100	30,000	\$2,874	\$3,164	10.10%
	40,000	\$3,620	\$4,007	10.69%
	50,000	\$4,366	\$4,850	11.08%
200	60,000	\$5,696	\$6,276	10.19%
	80,000	\$7,188	\$7,962	10.77%
	100,000	\$8,680	\$9,647	11.14%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 30 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Large General Service - Secondary Delivery Voltage

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing*		Percent Difference
		Present Price	Proposed Price	
100	20,000	\$2,795	\$2,989	6.95%
	30,000	\$3,363	\$3,655	8.66%
	50,000	\$4,500	\$4,986	10.79%
200	40,000	\$5,148	\$5,536	7.55%
	60,000	\$6,284	\$6,867	9.27%
	100,000	\$8,557	\$9,529	11.35%
300	60,000	\$7,658	\$8,240	7.61%
	90,000	\$9,362	\$10,237	9.34%
	150,000	\$12,772	\$14,229	11.41%
400	80,000	\$10,054	\$10,831	7.73%
	120,000	\$12,327	\$13,492	9.46%
	200,000	\$16,873	\$18,816	11.51%
500	100,000	\$12,482	\$13,454	7.78%
	150,000	\$15,324	\$16,781	9.51%
	250,000	\$21,007	\$23,435	11.56%
600	120,000	\$14,911	\$16,077	7.82%
	180,000	\$18,321	\$20,069	9.54%
	300,000	\$25,140	\$28,054	11.59%
800	160,000	\$19,768	\$21,323	7.86%
	240,000	\$24,315	\$26,646	9.59%
	400,000	\$33,407	\$37,293	11.63%
1000	200,000	\$24,626	\$26,568	7.89%
	300,000	\$30,309	\$33,223	9.61%
	500,000	\$41,647	\$46,504	11.66%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 30 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Large General Service - Primary Delivery Voltage

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing*		Percent Difference
		Present Price	Proposed Price	
100	30,000	\$3,318	\$3,608	8.76%
	40,000	\$3,882	\$4,269	9.98%
	50,000	\$4,446	\$4,930	10.89%
200	60,000	\$6,220	\$6,801	9.34%
	80,000	\$7,349	\$8,123	10.54%
	100,000	\$8,477	\$9,445	11.42%
300	90,000	\$9,265	\$10,136	9.41%
	120,000	\$10,958	\$12,120	10.60%
	150,000	\$12,650	\$14,103	11.48%
400	120,000	\$12,237	\$13,398	9.50%
	160,000	\$14,493	\$16,043	10.69%
	200,000	\$16,750	\$18,687	11.56%
500	150,000	\$15,210	\$16,663	9.55%
	200,000	\$18,031	\$19,968	10.74%
	250,000	\$20,852	\$23,273	11.61%
600	180,000	\$18,184	\$19,927	9.59%
	240,000	\$21,569	\$23,893	10.77%
	300,000	\$24,954	\$27,859	11.64%
800	240,000	\$24,131	\$26,455	9.63%
	320,000	\$28,645	\$31,743	10.82%
	400,000	\$33,159	\$37,032	11.68%
1000	300,000	\$30,078	\$32,983	9.66%
	400,000	\$35,721	\$39,594	10.84%
	500,000	\$41,335	\$46,177	11.71%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291.

**Pacific Power
Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 41 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Agricultural Pumping - Secondary Delivery Voltage**

kW Load Size	kWh	Present Price*		Proposed Price*		Percent Difference	
		Monthly Bill	Annual Load Size Charge	Monthly Bill	Annual Load Size Charge	April - November Monthly Bill	Annual Load Size Charge
<u>Single Phase</u>							
10	2,000	\$200	\$174	\$219	\$174	9.58%	0.00%
	3,000	\$300	\$174	\$328	\$174	9.58%	0.00%
	5,000	\$499	\$174	\$547	\$174	9.58%	0.00%
<u>Three Phase</u>							
20	4,000	\$400	\$347	\$438	\$347	9.58%	0.00%
	6,000	\$599	\$347	\$657	\$347	9.58%	0.00%
	10,000	\$999	\$347	\$1,095	\$347	9.58%	0.00%
100	20,000	\$1,998	\$1,604	\$2,189	\$1,604	9.58%	0.00%
	30,000	\$2,996	\$1,604	\$3,284	\$1,604	9.58%	0.00%
	50,000	\$4,994	\$1,604	\$5,473	\$1,604	9.58%	0.00%
300	60,000	\$5,993	\$3,980	\$6,567	\$3,980	9.58%	0.00%
	90,000	\$8,989	\$3,980	\$9,851	\$3,980	9.58%	0.00%
	150,000	\$14,982	\$3,980	\$16,418	\$3,980	9.58%	0.00%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 98, 290 and 291.

**Pacific Power
Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 41 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Agricultural Pumping - Primary Delivery Voltage**

kW Load Size	kWh	Present Price*		Proposed Price*		Percent Difference	
		Monthly Bill	Annual Load Size Charge	Monthly Bill	Annual Load Size Charge	April - November Monthly Bill	Annual Load Size Charge
<u>Single Phase</u>							
10	3,000	\$294	\$172	\$323	\$172	9.59%	0.00%
	4,000	\$392	\$172	\$430	\$172	9.59%	0.00%
	5,000	\$490	\$172	\$538	\$172	9.59%	0.00%
<u>Three Phase</u>							
20	6,000	\$589	\$343	\$645	\$343	9.59%	0.00%
	8,000	\$785	\$343	\$860	\$343	9.59%	0.00%
	10,000	\$981	\$343	\$1,075	\$343	9.59%	0.00%
100	30,000	\$2,943	\$1,573	\$3,225	\$1,573	9.59%	0.00%
	40,000	\$3,924	\$1,573	\$4,300	\$1,573	9.59%	0.00%
	50,000	\$4,905	\$1,573	\$5,375	\$1,573	9.59%	0.00%
300	90,000	\$8,828	\$3,909	\$9,675	\$3,909	9.59%	0.00%
	120,000	\$11,771	\$3,909	\$12,900	\$3,909	9.59%	0.00%
	150,000	\$14,714	\$3,909	\$16,125	\$3,909	9.59%	0.00%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 98, 290 and 291.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 48 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Large General Service - Secondary Delivery Voltage
1,000 kW and Over

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing		Percent Difference
		Present Price	Proposed Price	
1,000	300,000	\$29,758	\$32,648	9.71%
	500,000	\$42,017	\$46,835	11.47%
	700,000	\$54,020	\$60,765	12.49%
2,000	600,000	\$58,757	\$64,539	9.84%
	1,000,000	\$80,935	\$90,780	12.16%
	1,400,000	\$104,018	\$117,801	13.25%
6,000	1,800,000	\$160,846	\$178,566	11.02%
	3,000,000	\$230,095	\$259,629	12.84%
	4,200,000	\$299,344	\$340,692	13.81%
12,000	3,600,000	\$319,350	\$354,791	11.10%
	6,000,000	\$457,848	\$516,916	12.90%
	8,400,000	\$596,346	\$679,042	13.87%

Notes:

On-Peak kWh	38.11%
Off-Peak kWh	61.89%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291. Restricted Sch 291 applied to levels over 730,000 kWh.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 48 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Large General Service - Primary Delivery Voltage
1,000 kW and Over

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing		Percent Difference
		Present Price	Proposed Price	
1,000	300,000	\$28,147	\$30,936	9.91%
	500,000	\$40,172	\$44,819	11.57%
	700,000	\$51,940	\$58,447	12.53%
2,000	600,000	\$55,546	\$61,123	10.04%
	1,000,000	\$77,175	\$86,672	12.30%
	1,400,000	\$99,779	\$113,074	13.32%
6,000	1,800,000	\$157,538	\$174,631	10.85%
	3,000,000	\$225,349	\$253,838	12.64%
	4,200,000	\$293,160	\$333,044	13.60%
12,000	3,600,000	\$312,765	\$346,951	10.93%
	6,000,000	\$448,387	\$505,364	12.71%
	8,400,000	\$584,009	\$663,777	13.66%

Notes:

On-Peak kWh	37.88%
Off-Peak kWh	62.12%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291. Restricted Sch 291 applied to levels over 730,000 kWh.

Pacific Power
Monthly Billing Comparison
Delivery Service Schedule 48 + Cost-Based Supply Service
Large General Service - Transmission Delivery Voltage
1,000 kW and Over

kW Load Size	kWh	Monthly Billing		Percent Difference
		Present Price	Proposed Price	
1,000	500,000	\$38,289	\$42,734	11.61%
	700,000	\$49,620	\$55,843	12.54%
2,000	1,000,000	\$73,182	\$82,264	12.41%
	1,400,000	\$94,893	\$107,609	13.40%
6,000	3,000,000	\$216,614	\$243,861	12.58%
	4,200,000	\$281,749	\$319,894	13.54%
12,000	6,000,000	\$430,659	\$485,152	12.65%
	8,400,000	\$560,928	\$637,219	13.60%

Notes:

On-Peak kWh 37.63%
Off-Peak kWh 62.37%

* Net rate including Schedules 91, 92, 290 and 291. Restricted Sch 291 applied to levels over 730,000 kWh.