

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON
UM 1565**

<p>In the matter of:</p> <p>PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON</p> <p>Investigation of Fuel Switching and Cross-Fuel Energy Efficiency Issues</p>	<p>STAFF ISSUES LIST AND STATUS REPORT</p>
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Pursuant to the Ruling issued by Administrative Law Judge Lisa D. Hardie on March 21, 2012, Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (Staff) submits the Joint Issues List and Status Report set forth below for the above-captioned docket. The NW Energy Coalition, Oregon Department of Energy, NW Natural, Cascade Natural Gas Corporation, PacifiCorp, Avista Corporation, and Portland General Electric Company concur in this Issues List and Status Report. The Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon (CUB) concurs in the Status Report, but not the Issues List.

ISSUES LIST

- ISSUE 1.** Is fuel switching occurring with respect to space conditioning?
- ISSUE 2.** Is fuel switching uneconomic to ratepayers?
- ISSUE 3.** What is the impact of the Energy Trust's policies and practices and of rate-payer-funded messaging on fuel switching?
- ISSUE 4.** Should Energy Trust policies or practices or rate-payer-funded messaging be modified?


STATUS REPORT

The Parties conducted a workshop on March 22, 2012 during which the Energy Trust of Oregon presented information and the parties discussed an issues list for this proceeding. The parties did not discuss a procedural schedule for the docket. Staff supports scheduling a pre-hearing conference for the purpose of developing a procedural schedule. Staff will prepare and circulate a draft schedule to the Parties prior to the pre-hearing conference.

DATED this 28th day of March 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

2 I certify that on March 28, 2012, I served the foregoing STAFF ISSUES LIST AND
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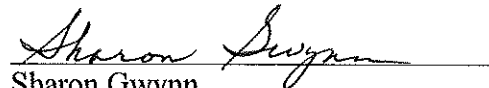
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