

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON
UM 1719**

In the Matter of PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON Investigation to Explore Issues Related to a Renewable Generator's Contribution to Capacity))))))	THE CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD OF OREGON NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST ISSUE FUND GRANTS AND REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF IFA ARTICLE 6.2
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The Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon (CUB) files this Notice of Intent to Request Issue Fund Grants in UM 1719, pursuant to OAR 860-012-0100(3)(a) and the Third Amended and Restated Intervenor Funding Agreement (IFA), approved by the Oregon Public Utility Commission (Commission) in Order No. 15-335 (October 20, 2015). UM 1719 is also an eligible proceeding under the 2016-2020 Intervenor Funding Agreement ("IFA") between Idaho Power Company and the Citizens' Utility Board of Oregon, as approved by the Oregon Public Utility Commission in Order No. 16-028 (January 26, 2016).

1. The Public Utility Commission of Oregon has opened a docket to explore issues related to a renewable generator's contribution to capacity. The Commission will examine this filing in Docket No. UM 1719.
2. UM 1719 is an Eligible Proceeding under the IFA. The IFA defines an Eligible Proceeding as "any Commission proceeding that directly affects one or more of the Participating Public Utilities." IFA, Article 1(c).
3. UM 1719 will directly affect PacifiCorp, Portland General Electric (PGE), and Idaho Power, which are Participating Public Utilities under Article 1(k) of the IFA.
4. As required by IFA Article 6.2, this Notice of Intent is being served on each affected

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Participating Public Utility, all pre-certified organizations, and all parties identified on the service list from UM 1719.¹

5. CUB identifies the 2016 PacifiCorp Issue Fund Account, the 2016 PGE Issue Fund Account, and the 2016 Idaho Power Issue Fund Account as the accounts from which CUB intends to request the Issue Fund Grants.
6. CUB has been pre-certified under Article 5.2(a) of the IFA and OAR 860-001-0120(3)(a), as eligible to receive an Issue Fund Grant.
7. CUB will file a proposed budget with respect to the Issue Fund Grant, as provided in Article 6.3 of the IFA.

Dated this 19th day of February, 2016

Respectfully submitted,



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¹ CUB requests waiver of IFA Article 6.2, which requires any potential intervenor seeking an Issue Fund Grant to file its notice of intent to request an Issue Fund Grant concurrent with its petition to intervene or notice of intervention. At the time that CUB filed its notice of intervention, it was unclear which utilities would be participating in this docket. Because of the early stage of this docket, CUB does not believe that any party would be harmed by the delay between the date CUB filed its notice of intervention and the date that it filed its notice of intent to request an Issue Fund Grant.