

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

LC 74

In the Matter of

IDAHO POWER COMPANY,

2019 Integrated Resource Plan.

RULING

DISPOSITION: MOTION GRANTED; SCHEDULE ADOPTED

On December 2, 2020, the Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon filed a Motion to Establish the Procedural Schedule.

In the memo, Staff represents that all parties have indicated they do not object to Staff’s motion. The Stop B2H Coalition requests the addition of a public meeting to be scheduled between Staff and Intervenor Final Comments (January 8, 2021) and Staff’s Public Meeting Memorandum (March 5, 2021). Staff indicates they neither oppose nor support the request. Given the short timeline, Staff also proposes reducing the time allowed to respond to discovery requests to seven days, starting December 1, 2020, excluding any requests received the weeks of December 21 and December 28, 2020. Responses to discovery requests received during the weeks of December 21 and December 28 will still be due 14 calendar days after receipt.

DISCUSSION

I find good cause exists to grant the motion, waive the requirements of OAR 860-027-0400(5), and adopt the following schedule for the remainder of these proceedings as proposed by Staff, with the addition of the public meeting requested by the Stop B2H Coalition:

EVENT	DATE
Staff/Intervenor Final Comments	January 8, 2021
Public Comment Hearing	TBD
Idaho Power Final Comments	February 5, 2021
Staff Public Meeting Memo	March 5, 2021
All Party Reply to Staff Memo	March 19, 2021
Special Public Meeting	April 6, 2021

The schedule proposed by stakeholders is adopted with the understanding that dates requiring Commission participation or action are advisory only and subject to the needs of the Commission.

RULING

The Motion to Establish the Procedural Schedule is granted with the modification of the public comment hearing to be held to be determined at a later date.

Dated this 21st day of December, 2020, at Salem, Oregon.



Christopher J. Allwein
Administrative Law Judge