

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 2032

In the Matter of

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF
OREGON,

Investigation into Treatment of Network
Upgrade Costs for Qualifying Facilities.

RULING

DISPOSITION: PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE CHANGED

On October 26, 2020, Idaho Power Company, PacifiCorp, dba Pacific Power, and Portland General Electric Company (collectively the Joint Utilities) filed a motion to change the procedural schedule. The motion responds to a prior ruling directing the parties to work together to develop a new procedural schedule. The motion indicates that the Joint Utilities conferred with all other parties: Staff of the Public Utility Commission of Oregon; the Renewable Energy Coalition; the Northwest and Intermountain Power Producers Coalition; the Community Renewable Energy Association, New Sun Energy, and the Alliance of Western Energy Consumers. Indicating that no party objects, the motion requests adoption of certain procedural deadlines.

Based on an imminent deadline and the motion's representation that no party supports the proposed procedural schedule, I address the motion on an expedited basis. I grant the motion and adopt the proposed procedural schedule, adding a deadline for cross-examination statements and cross-examination exhibits. The procedural schedule for the remainder of the docket is:

EVENT	DEADLINE
Staff & Intervenors' Response Testimony	October 30, 2020
All Parties' Reply Testimony	December 11, 2020
All Parties' Second Round of Reply Testimony	January 22, 2021
Prehearing Briefs	February 19, 2021
Cross-Examination Statements and Cross-Examination Exhibits	March 1, 2021
Hearing	March 11, 2021
All Parties' Post-Hearing Briefs	April 12, 2021
All Parties' Post-Hearing Response Briefs	May 5, 2021

Dated this 28th day of October 2020, at Salem, Oregon.



Traci A. G. Kirkpatrick
Administrative Law Judge