

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON

UG 435

In the Matter of

NORTHWEST NATURAL,

NW Natural Request for a General Rate
Revision

REQUEST FOR HB 2475 FUNDING
GRANT AND PROPOSED BUDGET OF
COMMUNITY ENERGY PROJECT

Pursuant to decisions deeming Community Energy Project (CEP) and these proceedings eligible, CEP requests a grant of \$5,800 from the HB 2475 Intervenor Funding Fund. CEP has been tracking its participation in this proceeding by hours and activity since January 28, 2022, and submits the following in support of the proposed budget attached as Attachment A.

Statement of Work to be Performed

CEP has and intends to participate in every procedural aspect of these proceedings. CEP—through Executive Director, Charity Fain; Program Director, Sherrie Villmark; and Climate Justice Associate, Alma Pinto—has been a part of a coalition of intervenors in the NW Natural Request for a General Rate Revision under docket UG 435. Since January 2022, CEP has participated in coalition planning meetings, prepared for and attended PUC public meetings, submitted testimony, and intends to continue engagement as necessary. CEP intends to, otherwise, review and analyze any testimony, comments and supporting documentation filed in the proceedings. CEP may seek reasonable, relevant requests for information.

The Budget Showing Estimated Fees and Costs

Attachment A submitted herewith set for the estimated fees and costs.

For the foregoing reasons CEP respectfully requests the Commission approve its budget and issue an order awarding it a grant from the HB 2475 Fund in the amount requested.

Dated this 27th day of July 2022.

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ATTACHMENT A

COMMUNITY ENERGY PROJECT PROPOSED BUDGET

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CEP Internal Expenses	Rate	Hours	Cost
<i>Staff</i>			
Charity Fain, Executive Director	\$200	17.5	\$3500
Sherrie Villmark, Program Director	\$150	6	\$900
Alma Pinto, Climate Justice Associate	\$100	14	\$1400
Total			\$5800