

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

PCN 6

In the Matter of

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC
COMPANY,

Petition for a Certificate of Public
Convenience and Necessity.

WILLAMETTE WATER
SUPPLY SYSTEM COMMISSION'S
PETITION TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to ORS 756.525 and OAR 860-001-0300(2), the Willamette Water Supply System Commission (WWSS Commission) hereby submits this Petition to Intervene in the above-captioned proceeding and seeks party status. In support of this Petition to Intervene, the WWSS Commission states as follows:

1. The business address and contact information for the WWSS Commission is:

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2. Tommy A. Brooks and Chad M. Stokes from the law firm Cable Huston LLP will represent the WWSS Commission in this proceeding. All documents related to this proceeding should be served on the WWSS Commission's attorneys at the following addresses:

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3. The WWSS Commission is an Oregon intergovernmental entity formed under ORS Chapter 190 by Tualatin Valley Water District (TVWD), the City of Hillsboro, and the City of Beaverton. The WWSS Commission was formed to complete the design, construction, and operation of the Willamette Water Supply System (WWSS), which will be one of Oregon's most seismically-resilient water systems—built to better withstand natural disasters, protect public health, and speed regional economic recovery through restoring critical services more quickly.

4. This docket is related to Portland General Electric Company's (PGE) Petition for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN). In its filing, PGE is seeking a CPCN relating to an overhead, 115-kilovolt (kV) transmission line located primarily within Clackamas County between the existing Rosemont and Wilsonville Substations (the Rosemont-Wilsonville Line). As part of the WWSS, the WWSS Commission is in the process of building a new water treatment plant near SW 124th Avenue south of SW Tualatin-Sherwood Road in Sherwood, electric service to which will rely on PGE's Tonquin Project, which includes the Rosemont-Wilsonville Line. The WWSS Commission and its three members therefore have a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding.

5. The WWSS Commission's participation in this proceeding will assist the Public Utility Commission in resolving the issues, particularly the public need for the Rosemont-Wilsonville Line. The WWSS Commission does not currently intend to raise any new issues in this proceeding, and its participation will relate to the issues raised in PGE's petition. The WWSS Commission's participation will therefore not unreasonably broaden the issues, unduly burden the record, or delay the proceeding.

6. WHEREFORE, the WWSS Commission respectfully requests leave to intervene and requests all the rights of a party in this proceeding,

Dated this 15th day of May 2024.

Respectfully submitted,



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