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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

In the Matter of AR 638/UM 2207

PACIFICCORP'S 2022 WILDFIRE PROTECTION PLAN

ROGUE CLIMATE'S AMENDED NOTICE OF PARTICIPATION & TO REQUEST FOR HB 2475 FUNDING

Rogue Climate submits this Notice of Participation and to seek funding in the above referenced dockets. RC is a pre-certified eligible organization pursuant to Commission Order No. 22-043. RC serves Southern Oregon and South Coast communities most impacted by climate change, including low-income, rural, youth, and communities of color, by organizing for clean energy, sustainable jobs, and a healthy environment, through education and campaigns for beneficial policies aimed at avoiding harm caused by environmental and health hazards. It is part of RC's mission to provide representation in public proceedings for environmental justice communities. RC represents communities traditionally under-represented, including rural communities, in public processes like this one.

AR 638 is a rulemaking proceeding aimed at developing public safety power shut off rules and permanent rules related to wildfire mitigation requirements and UM 2207 is a related investigation proceeding to consider Pacific Power's compliance with the Wildfire Mitigation

Plan rule (OAR 860-300-0020). These proceedings are not excluded as eligible proceedings

pursuant to Commission Order No. 22-043. AR 638 and UM 2207 are eligible proceedings

because they directly affect PacifiCorp's (Pacific Power's) customers because the Public Safety

Power Shutoffs rules, wildfire mitigation planning rules and Pacific Power's Wildfire Mitigation

Plan direct Pacific Power's activities to secure public safety, reduce risks to its customers, and

promote system resilience in relation to increased wildfire frequency and severity. Wildfire

impacts Southern Oregon and rural communities. The activities investigated and regulated in

these proceedings will affect Pacific Power's low income and rural residential customers and the

environmental justice communities which are represented by Rogue Climate. Indeed, in these

proceedings, Pacific Power has stated that "[R]ecommendations from Rogue Climate and OSSIA

highlight the benefit of PacificCorp's planned community engagement and continued

collaboration with stakeholders."

For the foregoing reasons Rogue Climate respectfully requests the Commission deem the

proceedings eligible, and grant Rogue Climate's Notice to Participate as an eligible organization

and its intent to request HB 2475 funding.

This 27th day of April, 2022

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