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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

In the Matter of

UM 2114

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF
OREGON,

Investigation into the Effects of the COVID-19
Pandemic on Utility Customers.

And

In the Matter of

AR 653

Revisions to Division 21 Rules to Strengthen
Customer Protections Concerning
Disconnections.

ROGUE CLIMATE'S
REQUEST FOR HB 2475 FUNDING GRANT
AND PROPOSED BUDGET

Pursuant to decisions, deeming Rogue Climate (RC) and these proceedings eligible, RC requests a grant of \$7350.00 from the HB 2475 Intervenor Funding Fund. RC has been tracking its participation in these proceedings by hours and activity and submits the following in support of the proposed budget attached hereto as Attachment A.

Statement of Work

RC has and intends to participate in every procedural aspect of these proceedings. RC has and will participate in party conferences, meetings, workshops and hearings. RC has and

intends to review and analyze the draft rule amendments, testimony, comments and supporting documentation filed in these proceedings. RC has and intends to file briefs, comments, testimony and supporting information in these proceedings and does so in consultation with others, including other participants, counsel and those with special expertise

Description of Areas to be Investigated

RC's investigation has and will include the following areas, among others:

Obtaining and assimilating information concerning mitigation of the negative impacts of disconnection, particularly on those most vulnerable - low-income customers and others with economic, social equity or environmental justice factors that affect affordability and physical ability to sustain power outages. Obtaining and assimilating other regulatory models and Oregon's to make meaningful comments on proposed rules.

Investigation of all other issues raised by other parties during the proceedings.

The Budget Showing Estimated Fees and Costs

Attachment A submitted herewith sets for the estimated fees and costs. From January through April, RC's participation has included approximately 15 - 17 hours.

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

This 13th day of July, 2022.

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ATTACHMENT A
ROGUE CLIMATE'S PROPOSED BUDGET

AR 653/UM 2114

RC Internal Expenses	Rate	Hours	Cost
<i>Staff</i>			
Alesandra de la Torre, Director - Advocacy and Programs Expert - Environmental Justice	\$225	30	\$6750
RC External Resources	Rate	Hours	Cost
<i>Representation/Consultants/Experts</i>			
Tonia L. Moro, Counsel	\$300	2	\$600
Total			\$7350