

## WASHINGTON COUNTY OREGON

October 17, 2019

Public Utility Commission of Oregon Attn: Filing Center 201 High Street, S.E. P.O. Box 1088 Salem, OR 97308-1088

RE: Order No. 19-075: Customer Comment on Portland General Electric's Green Future Impact Product

Washington County was afforded the opportunity to sign up for a 15-year commitment to Green Future Impact, the green tariff product offered by Portland General Electric. We appreciate the support that the Oregon Public Utility Commission provided to PGE to develop the product.

In keeping with our sustainability goals, Washington County is committed to energy efficiency and increasing the use of renewable energy as we provide service to the community. We're grateful for the opportunity to subscribe to the PGE Green Future Impact program as a means to ensure that county operations will be on track to transition to 100% renewable power by 2040, at the lowest possible cost.

Washington County is interested in sourcing more renewable energy locally. We have already installed two solar arrays at county facilities, and our third and fourth solar arrays will be added to our two newest buildings currently under construction. Supporting the development of additional renewable energy will benefit Oregon more broadly by contributing to the clean energy economy as well as the long-term health and resiliency of our community. For Washington County, this product offers us the chance to make a new investment that provides a predictable price for years to come.

We support Green Future Impact and are pleased to subscribe to PGE's plans to find an appropriate renewable resource that meets our specific needs.

Sincerely,

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Robert Davis County Administrator

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