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City of Portland

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Public Utility Commission of Oregon
Attn: Filing Center
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RE: Order No. 19-075 – Customer Comment on Portland General Electric’s Green Future Impact Product

At the City of Portland, we’re delighted to have signed up for a 15-year commitment to Green Future Impact, the green tariff product offered by Portland General Electric. We’re equally appreciative for the support that the Oregon Public Utility Commission provided to PGE as they developed the product.

Green Future Impact aligns with the City’s ambitious 100 Percent Renewables resolution and our own sustainability goals for City operations. Specifically, the City aims to continue meeting 100 percent of its electricity load with renewable energy. The Green Future Impact product enables the City to meet this goal with a high-value resource that supports renewable energy development here in Oregon.

The City of Portland values these benefits and outcomes offered by the Green Future Impact product:

- The City can now claim that a significant amount of its electricity is sourced from a new renewable energy development in Oregon.
- The City’s investment in Green Future Impact supports economic development and construction work in the renewable energy sector in the state of Oregon.
- Participation in Green Future Impact will benefit Oregon more broadly by contributing to cleaner energy for our future and the health of our clean energy economy.

- Green Future Impact is a cost-effective product that honors the City's obligation to invest public money in a responsible manner and provides a predictable price for a desired term.

The City of Portland greatly appreciates this partnership with PGE to bring a new project online at a competitive price. The willingness of PGE to develop a new renewable project on its customers' behalf marks a significant milestone for renewable energy development in Oregon and serves as an important new tool for municipalities and businesses throughout PGE's service territory to meet ambitious and necessary climate action goals.

We support Green Future Impact and encourage the Oregon Public Utility Commission to approve of PGE's engagement with customers and the way they endeavored to meet our specific needs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several overlapping, sweeping strokes that form a stylized representation of the name 'Ted Wheeler'.

Mayor Ted Wheeler