

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Open Meeting Agenda Items for Commission Attention

Thursday, May 3, 2018
1:30 p.m.

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2. Docket No: 80007-42-WR-17 (Record No. 14907). Amended Application of Vista West Water Company for a general rate increase of \$408,000.00 per year. Commission to consider issuance of a *Special Order Authorizing One Commissioner and/or Presiding Officer to Conduct Public Hearing*. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Katie Koski and Luy Luong. (No memo.)

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Docket No. 20004-130-EP-18 (Record No. 14947). Application of Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. for authority to increase the electric power supply cost adjustment by \$0.00026 per kWh for primary service customers and decrease the electric power supply cost adjustment by \$0.00162 per kWh for secondary service customers. Commission to consider and act on Application and *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Power Purchase Invoices (Petition)*. Travis Jacobson, Regulatory Analysis Manager, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Michelle Bohanan. (See attached *Memo* dated April 27, 2018, and *Petition*.)

2. Docket No. 20004-132-EA-18 (Record No. 14968). Application of Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. to increase the Renewable Energy Rider Pilot Rate 15 to \$0.04 per block. Commission to consider and act on Application. Stephanie Bosch, Regulatory Manager, will participate by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Katie Koski and Michelle Bohanan. (See attached *Memo* dated April 30, 2018.)

Upcoming Open Meetings:

- Thursday, May 10, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 17, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 22, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 24, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 29, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 31, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Notice of Commission Activity

Friday, May 4, 2018

9:00 a.m.

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Docket No. 90072-44-XO-18 (Record No. 14923): In the Matter of the Funding Requirement and Proposed Assessment Factor for the July 2018 to June 2019 Fiscal Year of the Wyoming Universal Service Fund.

Commission to receive the Amended Report of the WUSF Fund Manager, comments and recommendations from interested parties and consider setting on an interim basis for the July 2018-June 2019 WUSF program year: the WUSF distributions for qualifying telecommunication companies and the corresponding WUSF assessment factor pursuant to Wyo. Stat. §37-15-501.

Hansen Building, 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Hearing Room, Cheyenne, Wyoming.

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WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Notice of Commission Activity

Monday, May 7, 2018
1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Documents related to this Technical Conference will be posted prior to the meeting at: <http://psc.state.wy.us/psdocs/hottopics.html>.

Live audio broadcast: <http://psc.state.wy.us>. Attend by telephone: 1-877-735-7186 (No PIN).

Undocketed. As proposed by the Wyoming Industrial Energy Consumers¹ (WIEC) the Commission will host a public technical conference for all interested parties to engage in a discussion of:

1. The potential involvement of Wyoming electric utilities in regional electricity markets.

This topic is expected to include discussion of best practices pertaining to the development of regional electricity markets, lessons from other states' experiences, potential costs and benefits for ratepayers of Wyoming utilities' involvement in regional markets, and related matters.

2. Retail electricity customer choice in the U.S.

This topic is expected to include discussion of the experiences of other states where electricity generation and other aspects of electric service have been made subject to retail customer choice, best practices pertaining to implementing retail customer choice, potential effects on customer rates, and related matters.

This public technical conference will be held in the Commission's Hearing Room at the Hansen Building, 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Commission Staff Contact: Chris Petrie, 307-777-5763 or chris.petrie@wyo.gov.

¹ Wyoming Industrial Energy Consumers (WIEC) is an unincorporated association of industrial electric consumers formed for the purpose of participating on a cost-sharing basis in regulatory proceedings before the Wyoming Public Service Commission (PSC) and in other joint efforts with respect to electric issues affecting Wyoming consumers. (Source: <https://www.hollandhart.com/articles/WIEC.pdf>)

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Notice of Public Hearing

Tuesday, May 8, 2018

9:00 a.m.

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Docket No. 20000-526-EA-17 (14847). In the matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Approval of a 3-Year Demand Side Management Plan.

Commission to commence the public hearing in this matter in its hearing room at the Hansen Building at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming. The hearing will be preceded by an exhibit conference beginning at 8:30 a.m.

The Commission may conduct public deliberations and issue a decision upon conclusion of the hearing.

Staff Contact: Steve Mink, 307-777-7427 or steve.mink@wyo.gov

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Notice of Public Hearing

Monday, May 14, 2018

9:00 a.m.

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PLEASE NOTE: This hearing was previously scheduled to begin at an earlier date. It has been rescheduled at the Parties' request.

Docket No. 20000-505-EC-16 (Record No. 14579): In the Matter of the Amended Joint Complaint Filing By Trireme Energy Development II, LLC; Pryor Caves Wind Project LLC; Mud Springs Wind Project LLC; and Horse Thief Wind Project LLC Against Rocky Mountain Power and PacifiCorp Regarding the Avoided Cost Pricing for the Bowler Flats Wind Qualifying Facilities Power Purchase Agreements.

Commission to commence the public hearing in this matter in its hearing room at the Hansen Building at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming. The hearing will be preceded by an exhibit conference beginning at 8:30 a.m.

The Commission may conduct public deliberations and issue a decision upon conclusion of the hearing.

Staff Contact: Katie Koski, 307-777-7478 or Katie.koski1@wyo.gov

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Thursday, May 17, 2018
1:30 p.m.

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1. Undocketed. Minutes for review for the Open Meetings on February 8, 15, 22, March 1, March 8 and April 17, 2018, as prepared by Barbara Tomlinson and Sylvia Sanchez.
2. Docket No. 10014-173-CK-16 (Record No. 14485). Powder River Energy Corporation's filing of an Assurance of Performance Contract. Commission to consider and act on contract and *Petition for Confidential Treatment (Petition)*. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Jess Bottom. (See attached *Memo* dated May 2, 2018 and *Petition*.)
3. Docket No. 10014-187-CK-17 (Record No. 14911). Powder River Energy Corporation's filing of an Assurance of Performance Contract. Commission to consider and act on contract and *Petition for Confidential Treatment (Petition)*. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Jess Bottom. (See attached *Memo* dated May 2, 2018 and *Petition*.)
4. Docket No. 10014-188-CK-17 (Record No. 14912). Powder River Energy Corporation's filing of an Assurance of Performance Contract. Commission to consider and act on contract and *Petition for Confidential Treatment (Petition)*. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Jess Bottom. (See attached *Memo* dated May 2, 2018 and *Petition*.)
5. Docket No. 30010-168-GS-17 (Record No. 14819). Application of Questar Gas Company d/b/a Dominion Energy Wyoming for authority to issued securities. Commission to consider and act on *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Terms and Conditions of Securities Issuance (Petition)*. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Luy Luong. (See attached *Petition*.)

6. Docket No. 70108-25-TA-17 (Record No. 14856). Notification of Granite Telecommunications, LLC, requesting cancellation of its retail interexchange and local exchange tariffs. Commission to consider acceptance of the Notification for filing. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Pam Temte. (See attached Notification Letter dated October 10, 2017.)
7. Docket No. 74714-3-TA-18 (Record No. 14941). Notification of Rocky Mountain Fiber, LLC, for authority to cancel service in Wyoming. Commission to consider acceptance of the Notification for filing. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Pam Temte. (See attached Notification Letter dated February 21, 2018.)
8. Docket No. 70003-183-TA-17 (Record No. 14629). Informational filing of CenturyTel of Wyoming, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink of its Rate Floor Data and *Petition for Confidential Treatment (Petition)*. Commission to consider and act on *Petition*. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Nathan Brennan. (See attached *Petition*.)
9. Docket No. 90000-135-XO-18 (Record No. 14989). Tariffs to Reduce Access Rates of Local Telecommunications Companies pursuant to Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Report and Order FCC 11-161. Commission to consider and act on issuance of an Order establishing procedures for filings related to telecommunications companies' compliance with Report and Order 11-161 requirement to file revised access tariffs in 2018. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Rachel Meeker and Nathan Brennan. (No memo; See attached proposed *Order*.)
10. Docket No. 74731-1-TA-17 (Record No. 14822). Registration of Peerless Network of Wyoming, LLC to provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service in Wyoming. Commission to consider acceptance of the Registration for filing and approval of the *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Financial Statements of Peerless Network of Wyoming, LLC (Petition)*. Commission Staff: Katie Koski and Pam Temte. (No memo; See attached Informational Filing and *Petition*).
11. Docket No. 70011-51-TA-17 (Record No. 14773). Informational Filing of Tri County Telephone Association, Inc., as required by the Federal Communications Commission's CAF/ICC Transformation Order and 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.304(d)(1) and 51.917(d)(vii). Commission to consider and act on the *Petition for Confidential Treatment (Petition)*. Commission Staff: Katie Koski and Nathan Brennan. (No memo; See attached *Petition*).

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Docket No: 80007-42-WR-17 (Record No. 14907). Amended Application of Vista West Water Company for a general rate increase of \$408,000.00 per year. Commission to consider and act on the *Petitions for Leave to Intervene* filed by:
 - a. Kyla Foltz,
 - b. Casey Foltz,
 - c. Craig Ryan Kidder,
 - d. Tom and Connie Reeder,
 - e. Richard Frederiksen,

- f. Michael Reynolds,
- g. Terrance Becker,
- h. Scott Edberg,
- i. Stuart Ruben,
- j. Joyce and Adam Corson,
- k. Heather Corson,
- l. Terrence Becker,
- m. Ron and Shirley Williams,
- n. Bradley and Goldie Olson,
- o. Leroy and Jessica Dickinson,
- p. Greg Hansen,
- q. Mike and Nickie Reynolds, and
- r. Donald Wolcott

Randall Reed, Counsel, to appear in person for Vista West. Kyla Foltz, Casey Foltz, Craig Ryan Kidder, Tom and Connie Reeder, Richard Frederiksen and Stuart Ruben to appear by telephone in support of their respective *Petitions*. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Katie Koski and Luy Luong. (No memo; See attached *Petitions* and Commission's Letter to Intervenors sent February 15, 2018, and May 2, 2018.)

2. Docket No. 10018-21-CS-18 (Record No. 14976). Application of Big Horn County Electric Coop., Inc., requesting authority to borrow \$4,656,000 from RUS Guaranteed Federal Financing Bank. Commission to consider and act on Application. Reed D. Metzger, General Manager, to appear by telephone for the Cooperative. Commission Staff: Steve Mink, Pam Temte and Luy Luong. (See attached *Memo* dated May 9, 2018.)
3. Docket No. 70252-1-TA-17 (Record No. 14821). Application of Peerless Network of Wyoming, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide local exchange telecommunications service in Wyoming. Commission to consider and act on Application and *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Financial Statements of Peerless Network of Wyoming LLC (Petition)*. Julie Oost, VP Regulatory Affairs and Contracts or Patrick Phipps, Director of Regulatory, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Katie Koski and Pam Temte. (See attached *Memo* dated May 11, 2018, and *Petition*.)
4. Docket Nos. 50050-18-PA-18 and 50059-1-PA-18 (Record No. 14963). Joint Application of Rocky Mountain Pipeline System LLC (RMPS) and Tesoro Logistics Northwest Pipeline LLC (Tesoro) for approval of a transfer of certain Rocky Mountain Pipeline System LLC's assets and issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Tesoro Logistics Northwest Pipeline LLC. Commission to consider and act on Joint Application, *Joint Petition for Confidential Treatment of Exhibits C and E to Joint Application*, and *Applicant Rocky Mountain Pipeline System LLC's Petition for Confidential Treatment of Customers' Letters of Support for Joint Application (Petitions)*. Walter Eggers, Counsel, to appear in person, and David Rabinowitz and Kolbi Blanchette to appear by telephone for RMPS; Todd Stanley and Martin Marz to appear by telephone for Tesoro. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Jess Bottom, Luy Luong and Jacob Kilmurray. (See attached *Memo* dated May 3, 2018 and *Petitions*.)

5. Docket No. 30009-63-GA-17 (Record No. 14917). Amended Application of Wyoming Gas Company, a division of Natural Gas Processing, for authority to revise its Wobbe Index for the Grass Creek and Lake Creek areas. Commission to consider and act on Amended Application. Leslie Graham, General Manager, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Michelle Bohanan. (See attached *Memo* dated May 11, 2018.)
6. Docket Nos. 30009-60-GR-16 and 50051-2-PR-16 (Record No. 14566). Amended Application of Natural Gas Processing Co., through its division Wyoming Gas Company for a general rate increase of \$473,219 per annum, to amend its Rules and Regulations and to conform its tariffs to Commission Rules and Regulations effective March 21, 2016, and the Amended Application of Natural Gas Processing Co., through its division Wyoming Gas Company and NG Transmission to transfer the utility assets of NG Transmission to Wyoming Gas Company, and for NG Transmission to discontinue utility service currently offered to the public. Commission to consider and act on Wyoming Gas Company's *Motion for Extension of Time in Which to File Meter Relocation Plan (Motion)* filed on May 9, 2018. Jane France, counsel, to appear in person and Leslie Graham to participate by telephone for Wyoming Gas Company. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Katie Koski, Michelle Bohanan, Kara Seveland, Morgan Fish and Luy Luong. (No memo; see attached *Motion*.)
7. Undocketed. Docket ID No. 20002 (General Correspondence). Black Hill's Power Inc.'s Notice regarding proposed modification to an existing substation and the construction of a new substation and related facilities on Black Hills Corporation Property. Commission to consider and act on notice and request for determination that the proposed construction is in the ordinary course of business and does not require a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (*Notice*) and *Petition for Confidential Treatment* regarding customer load and terms of service (*Petition*). Todd Brink, Associate General Counsel, Dan Kline, Director, Transmission & Engineering Services, Kyle White, Vice President of Regulatory Strategy, and Jana Smoot White, Associate General Counsel, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Chris Petrie and Perry McCollom. (See attached *Memo* dated May 15, 2018, *Petition* and *Notice*.)

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- Tuesday, May 22, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 24, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 29, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 31, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.

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Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

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1. Docket No: 20003-169-EA-18 (Record No. 14972). Application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company d/b/a Black Hills Energy for an Order Approving Governmental Impositions. Commission to consider issuance of a *Special Order Authorizing One Commissioner and/or Presiding Officer to Conduct Public Hearing*. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Katie Koski, Luy Luong and Morgan Fish. (No memo.)
2. Docket No: 20003-170-EP-18 (Record No. 14992). Application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company d/b/a Black Hills Energy for authority to pass on a power cost adjustment of \$0.00227 per kilowatt hour. Commission to consider issuance of a *Special Order Authorizing One Commissioner and/or Presiding Officer to Conduct Public Hearing*. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Katie Koski, Michelle Bohanan, James Branscomb and Morgan Fish. (No memo.)
3. Docket No: 20000-534-EC-18 (Record No. 14960). Complaint filing of Two Rivers Wind, LLC against Rocky Mountain Power. Commission to consider issuance of a *Special Order Authorizing One Commissioner and/or Presiding Officer to Conduct Public Hearing*. Commission Staff: Commission Staff: Lori Brand and Morgan Fish. (No memo.)

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Docket No. 20004-133-EA-18 (Record No. 14981). Application of Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. for authority to revise its tax collection rate for the Sheridan electric

- occupation tax. Commission to consider and act on Application. Travis Jacobson, Manager of Revenue Requirements, to participate by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Rachel Meeker and Nathan Brennan. (See attached *Memo* dated May 16, 2018.)
2. Docket No. 10015-69-CA-17 (Record No. 14908). Application of High West Energy, Inc., to establish a surge protection rider and an advanced meter opt-out reading fee and to amend PSC Tariff No. 4 Rules and Regulations. Commission to consider and act on Application. Brian Heithoff, Manager, to appear in person for High West Energy, Inc. Commission Staff: Lori Brand and Jess Bottom. (See attached *Memo* dated May 16, 2018.)
 3. Docket No. 30022-307-GA-18 (Record No. 14974). Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy for an increase in the distribution charges of \$0.0009 per therm for the Small General Service (SGS) customers and a decrease in the distribution charge of \$0.0025 per therm for the Medium General Service (MGS) customers in the Wyoming service territory. Commission to consider and act on Application. James Elliott, Manager - Regulatory to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Michelle Bohanan and Nathan Brennan. (See attached *Memo* dated May 16, 2018.)
 4. Docket No: 30022-308-GA-18 (Record No. 14980). Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy for authority to increase its Transportation Rate Adjustment by \$0.0067 per therm for the Torrington Division customers. Commission to consider and act on Application. James Elliott, Manager Regulatory, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Morgan Fish. (See attached *Memo* dated May 17, 2018.)
 5. Docket No. 30022-311-GA-18 (Record No. 14984). Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy for an increase in the Revenue Adjustment Mechanism surcharge of \$0.0001 per therm for customers in the Casper Division taking service under Rate Schedule RCG. Commission to consider and act on Application. James Elliott, Manager - Regulatory to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Katie Koski and Michelle Bohanan. (See attached *Memo* dated May 17, 2018.)

Upcoming Open Meetings:

- Thursday, May 24, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 29, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
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WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

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REGULAR AGENDA

1. Docket No. 30007-129-GR-18 (Record No. 14936). Amended Application of Frannie Deaver Utilities to implement a general rate increase of \$28,393 per annum. Commission to consider and act on Amended Application. Bryan Lee, President, and Garret Frescoln, Vice President, to participate by telephone for Frannie Deaver. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Pam Temte and Jess Bottom. (See attached *Memo* dated May 18, 2018.)
2. Docket No. 90000-126-XO-16 (Record No. 14378). In the matter of the study by the Commission on its own motion of statewide Wobbe indices. Commission to receive presentation by Commission Staff on quarterly reporting of Wobbe values by natural gas distribution utilities for the first quarter of 2018 and take such action as the public interest may require. Company representatives to appear and provide comment. Commission Staff: Chris Petrie, John Burbridge, Melisa Mizel, Michelle Bohanan, Kara Seveland, Morgan Fish, David Piroutek and Jacob Kilmurray. (See attached *Memo* dated May 18, 2018)

Upcoming Open Meetings:

- Tuesday, May 29, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 31, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, June 7, 2018, at 1:30 p.m. – Tentative
- Thursday, June 14, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, June 21, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, June 26, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
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WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Tuesday, May 29, 2018
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1. Docket No. 74574-3-TA-18 (Record No. 14988). Notification of Twin City Capital, LLC d/b/a Small Business America to cancel its Registration Authority to do business in Wyoming. Commission to consider acceptance of the Notification for filing. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Rachel Meeker. (See attached Notification Letter dated May 5, 2018.)
2. Docket Nos. 70253-2-TA-18 and 74732-2-TA-18 (Record No. 14997). Notification of the name change of Birch Communications, Inc. to Birch Communications, LLC. Commission to consider acceptance of the Notification for filing. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Rachel Meeker. (See attached Notification Letter dated May 10, 2018.)

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Docket No. 30022-305-GA-18 (Record No. 14952). Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy to revise the Fuel and Lost and Unaccounted (FL&U) for gas percentages in the Casper, Gillette and Torrington divisions. Commission to consider and act on Application. James Elliott, Manager of Regulatory to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Kate Koski and Michelle Bohanan (See attached *Memo* dated May 25, 2018.)
2. Docket No. 30022-309-GP-18 (Record No. 14982). Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy (Casper Division) for authority to pass on through its Commodity Balancing Account a decrease of \$0.0423 per therm to its Pass-On

Rate [Regulated Rate] customers. Commission to consider and act on Application and *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Exhibits D and F (Petition)*. James Elliott, Manager-Regulatory, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Lori Brand and Michelle Bohanan. (See attached *Memo* dated May 23, 2018, and *Petition*.)

3. Docket No. 30022-310-GP-18 (Record No. 14983). Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy (Torrington Division) for authority to pass on through its Commodity Balancing Account a decrease of \$0.0648 per therm to its Pass-On Rate [Regulated Rate] customers. Commission to consider and act on Application and *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Exhibits D and F (Petition)*. James Elliott, Manager-Regulatory, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Lori Brand and Morgan Fish. (See attached *Memo* dated May 23, 2018, and *Petition*.)
4. Docket No. 30022-312-GP-18 (Record No. 14985). Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy (Gillette Division) for authority to pass on through its Commodity Balancing Account a decrease of \$0.0545 per therm to its Pass-On Rate [Regulated Rate] customers. Commission to consider and act on Application and *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Exhibits D and F (Petition)*. James Elliott, Manager-Regulatory to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Lori Brand and Jess Bottom. (See attached *Memo* dated May 23, 2018, and *Petition*.)

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WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

*Second Amended Open Meeting Agenda**

Items for Commission Attention

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1. Docket No. 20000-535-EA-18 (Record No. 14975). Application of Rocky Mountain Power for authority to increase current rates by \$2.72 million to recover deferred Net Power Costs under Tariff Schedule 95, Energy Cost Adjustment Mechanism, and to increase current rates by \$889 thousand under Tariff Schedule 93, REC and SO₂ Revenue Adjustment Mechanism. Commission to consider and act on:
 - a. *Wyoming Industrial Energy Consumers' (WIEC) Petition to Intervene and Request for Hearing (Petition);*
 - b. *WIEC's Motion for Application for Admission of Pro Hac Vice of Thorvald A. Nelson and D. Austin Reuschhoff (Motion); and*
 - c. *Issuance of a Special Order Authorizing One Commissioner and/or Presiding Officer to Conduct Public Hearing.*

Commission Staff: Steve Mink, Michelle Bohanan, Morgan Fish, James Branscomb and Nathan Brennan. (No memo; See attached *Petition* and *Motion*.)

2. Docket Nos. 70003-193-TK-18 & 70043-39-TK-18 (Record No. 14979). Contract filing of CenturyTel of Wyoming, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink for authority to enter into an Interconnection Agreement with Level 3 Communications, LLC. Commission to consider and act on Agreement. Commission Staff: Lori Brand and Nathan Brennan. (See attached *Memo* dated May 25, 2018.)
3. Docket No. 20000-519-EA-17 (Record No. 14780). Application of Rocky Mountain Power for an order approving nontraditional ratemaking related to wind repowering. Commission to consider and act on Interwest Energy Alliance's *Motion for Order Excusing Counsel*

from Appearance at Public Hearings (Motion) filed on May 18, 2018. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, John Burbridge, Michelle Bohanan, Luy Luong, Kara Seveland, Morgan Fish, and James Branscomb. (No memo; see attached *Motion*.)

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Docket No. 10017-33-CS-18 (Record No. 14996). Application of Beartooth Electric Cooperative, Inc., for authority to borrow \$1,575,000 from CoBank. Commission to consider a 30-day continuance pursuant to Wyo. Stat. § 37-6-104. Kevin Owens, PE, General Manager to appear by telephone for Beartooth. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Michelle Bohanan. (No memo.)
2. Docket No. 10014-191-CS-18 (Record No. 14993). Application of Powder River Energy Corporation for authority to borrow up to \$10,000,000.00 from CoBank. Commission to consider and act on Application. Joanne Kolb, Chief Financial and Administration Officer, to appear by telephone for the Cooperative. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Nathan Brennan and Luy Luong. (See attached *Memo* dated May 25, 2018.)
3. Docket No. 10014-190-CA-18 (Record No. 14957). Application of Powder River Energy Corporation for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to site, design, construct/rebuild, operate and maintain a new 69 kV high voltage distribution power line in Crook County. Commission to consider and act on Application. Quentin Roger, VP of Engineering and Tech Services; and Tracy Jones, Manager Environmental Services, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Katie Koski, Perry McCollom and James Branscomb. (See attached *Memo* dated May 25, 2018.)
4. Docket No. 30010-173-GP-18 (Record No. 14991). Application of Questar Gas Company d/b/a Dominion Energy Wyoming's for authority to pass on a wholesale gas cost decrease of \$0.75267 per dekatherm for all firm retail rate classes. Commission to consider and act on Application and *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Exhibit 1.11 and 1.13 of the Pass-On Application (Petition)*. Austin Summers, Manager Regulatory Affairs, and Jenniffer Clark, Senior Counsel, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Luy Luong. (See attached *Memo* dated May 25, 2018, and *Petition*.)
5. *Docket Nos. 20003-167-EA-18 and 30005-234-GA-18 (Record No. 14962). Application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company d/b/a Black Hills Energy for approval to update its electric and gas tariffs applicable to the demand side management rebate amounts. Commission to consider and act on Application. James Elliott, Manager Regulatory, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Kara Seveland. (See attached *Memo* dated May 25, 2018.)
6. Docket Nos. 20003-168-EA-18 and 30005-236-GA-18 (Record No. 14966). Application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company d/b/a Black Hills Energy for approval to update its electric and gas Demand Side Management surcharge rates applicable to the Demand Side Management margin revenue recovery, balancing account and program costs. Commission to consider and act on Application. James Elliott, Manager Regulatory,

to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Steve Mink and Kara Seveland. (See attached *Memo* dated May 25, 2018.)

7. Docket No. 80024-6-WR-18 (Record No. 14990). Application of Nordic Ranches Water, LLC, for approval of a general rate increase of \$200,197.00 per annum; revised Rules and Regulations; and a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to serve Nordic Ranches Division 14 and surrounding area. Commission to consider and act on Request for Interim Rates. Dale Cottam, Counsel, Tanya DeJournett, Chief Operating Operator and Water System Operator, and Ganelle Edwards, Executive Manager, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Steve Mink, Katie Koski, Nathan Brennan and Luy Luong. (See attached *Memo* dated May 23, 2018.)

****Item #5 has been corrected.***

Upcoming Open Meetings:

- Thursday, June 14, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, June 21, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, June 26, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, June 28, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.