

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Regular Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Thursday, October 2, 2008

1:30 p.m.

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1. Docket No. 20000-232-EC-05 (Record No. 10266) Formal complaint of BR Tech against Rocky Mountain Power f/k/a PacifiCorp. Commission to consider and act on written settlement and release agreement entered into by the parties. Commission advisory staff: Dave Lucero and Michele Bohanan. (See attached memo dated September 25, 2008, and Settlement and Release Agreement.)
2. Docket No. 30022-117-GC-08 (Record No. 11758) Formal complaint filing of Ellis and Rebecca L. Hein against SourceGas Distribution, LLC, requesting a formal hearing regarding overcharges for gas usage. Commission to consider settlement agreement entered into by the complainants and SourceGas resolving the complaint matter and potential dismissal of the complaint. Commission advisory staff: Dave Lucero and Michelle Bohanan. (No memo; see attached settlement agreement and email of September 26, 2008, from Rebecca Hein.)
3. Docket No. 20000-333-ER-08 (Record No. 11824) Application of Rocky Mountain Power for approval of a general rate increase of approximately \$33,501,142 per year or 7.1%. Commission to consider and act on Motion for Admission *pro hac vice* of Julia A. Jones on behalf of Cimarex Energy Company. Commission advisory staff: Dave Lucero, Vicky Hansen, Marci Norby and Michelle Bohanan. (No memo; see attached Motion for Admission.)

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

1. Docket No. 30005-119-GP-08 (Record No. 11883) Amended application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Co. for authority to pass on wholesale gas cost decreases of \$0.9201 per Dth for firm rate classes and \$0.7532 per Dth for interruptible rate classes. Commission to consider and act on amended application and amended Petition for Confidential Treatment of Natural Gas Acquisition Strategy and Financial Forecasting. Commission advisory staff: Michelle Bohanan and Vicky Hansen. (See memo dated September 18, 2008.)
2. Docket No. 30005-118-GT-08 (Record No. 11820) Amended application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company for authority to amend its GCA tariffs to change the filing period from quarterly to monthly. Commission to consider and act on the amended application. Company representatives will participate in person and by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Marci Norby and Steve Mink (see memo dated September 26, 2008).
3. Docket No. 50000-55-PA-06 (Record No. 10949) Amended application of Belle Fourche Pipeline Co. for authority to discontinue crude oil pipeline transportation service, and cancel the applicable tariffs, from the Pine Ridge and West Moorcroft/Schuricht Fields in Crook County, Gas Draw, Springen Ranch and Kitty/Lazy B Fields in Campbell County, and the Poison Draw Unit in Converse County, to the Guernsey and Fort Laramie Stations in Platte and Goshen Counties, Wyoming. Commission to consider and act on amended application. Commission advisory staff: Jess Bottom, Chris Petrie and Vicky Hansen. (See memo dated September 23, 2008.)
4. Docket No. 50000-56-PA-06 (Record No. 10950) Amended application of Belle Fourche Pipeline Co. for authority to discontinue crude oil pipeline transportation service, and cancel the applicable tariffs, from the Maysdorf/South Maysdorf, Big Hand and Hawk Point Fields in Campbell County to the Guernsey and Fort Laramie Stations in Platte and Goshen Counties, Wyoming. Commission to consider and act on amended application. Commission advisory staff: Jess Bottom, Chris Petrie and Vicky Hansen. (See memo dated September 23, 2008.)
5. Docket No. 70005-26-TA-08 (Record No. 11894) Application of Chugwater Telephone Company for approval of a mid-period adjustment to increase its state universal service fund receipts. Commission to consider and act on application. Bruce Asay will appear for the company. Commission advisory staff: Steve Mink and Barbara Iversen. (See memo dated September 20, 2008.)

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- Tuesday, 10/7/08, at 1:30 p.m.
- Thursday, 10/9/08, at 2:00 p.m.
- Thursday, 10/16/08, at 1:30 p.m.

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Regular Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Tuesday, October 7, 2008

1:30 p.m.

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1. Undocketed. Open Meeting Minutes for review by the Commission for the Regular Open Meetings of June 25, June 26 and July 10, 2008. Prepared by Deborah McFerrin. (No memo; see attached copy of the minutes.)

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

1. Docket No. 30022-122-GT-08 (Record No. 11886) Application of SourceGas Distribution, LLC, (SourceGas) for authority to revise its Wyoming Gas Tariff for all Wyoming divisions to require that customers bill be rendered using a Rate Proration Approach. Commission to consider and act on the application. William H. Meckling, Director Regulatory Affairs, Brad Van Dyke, Director Customer Care, and Helen Wells, Manager Customer Service, will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Luy Luong and Steve Mink. (No memo; see supplement to application dated September 24, 2008, and Requested Information on Billing dated September 25, 2008.)
2. Docket No. 10014-104-EA-08 (Record No. 11895) Tariff filing of Powder River Energy Corporation (PRECorp) to revise its Residential Heat Rate tariff. Commission to consider and act on the proposed tariff. PRECorp will be represented by Mike Easley, CEO, who will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Don Biedermann and Dave Lucero. (See memo dated September 18, 2008.)
3. Docket No. 30007-87-GP-08 (Record No. 11900) Application of Frannie Deaver Utilities for authority to pass on a commodity balancing account increase of \$1.8184 per mcf.

Commission to consider and act on the application. Bryan Lee, President of Frannie Deaver Utilities, will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Jess Bottom and Vicky Hansen. (See memo dated September 25, 2008.)

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 - Thursday, 10/9/08, at 2:00 p.m.
 - Thursday, 10/16/08, at 1:30 p.m.

Wyoming Public Service Commission

Notice of Hearing

Wednesday, October 8, 2008
9:30 a.m.

Docket No. 70009-316-TT-08 (Record No. 11791) Tariff filing of United Telephone Company of the West-Wyoming, doing business as Embarq, for authority to increase the federal Universal Service Fund (FUSF) debit applied to charges assessed for local service access lines, and to increase associated rates for consumer and business bundled packages. Commission to commence public hearing in its Cheyenne office at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300.

Commission advisory staff: Thomas Wilson and Dave Lucero

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Corrected Regular Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Thursday, October 9, 2008

11:00 a.m.

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1. Undocketed. Open Meeting Minutes for review by the Commission for the Regular Open Meeting of June 5, 2008. Prepared by Angela Elliott. (No memo; see attached copy of the minutes.)

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

1. Docket No. 90000-100-XO-07 (Record No. 11509) The proposed adoption of Chapter 2, Sections 238 and 252; Chapter 3, Section 325; Chapter 4, Section 420; Chapter 6, Section 616; and Chapter 9, Section 901(j), (k), (l), (m), and (o); of the Commission Procedural Rules and Special Regulations. Commission to consider closing this rulemaking proceeding related to service interruption reporting and third-party damage reporting. Commission advisory staff: Marci Norby, David Piroutek and Blair Bales. (No memo.)
2. Undocketed. Commission to consider opening a rulemaking proceeding for amended Commission Rule § 238; proposed Commission Rule §§ 252, 325, 420, and 616; and proposed associated forms in Commission Rule § 901(k), (l), (m), (n) and (o). Commission Rule §§ 238, 325, 420, and 616 relate to service interruption reporting. Commission Rule § 252 pertains to the reporting of damage by third parties. Commission advisory staff: Marci Norby, David Piroutek and Blair Bales. (No memo; please see attached draft rules.)
3. Docket No. 70000-1271-TI-06 (Record No. 10749) Formal investigation by Commission on its own motion of the August 1, 2006, 911 emergency telecommunications service

outage experienced in many parts of Wyoming, involving the 911 and other services of Qwest Corporation and other telecommunications companies. Commission to consider and act on Qwest Corporation's filing of the 911 Task Force's written Notification Plan and Report. Jody Levin of Qwest and 911 Task Force members will appear. (See report dated October 1, 2008.)

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 - Thursday, October 23, 2008, at 1:30 p.m. (tentative)
 - Friday, October 24, 2008, at 10:00 a.m. (tentative)
 - Tuesday, October 28, 2008, at 1:30 p.m.
 - Wednesday, November 5, 2008, at 10:00 a.m.
 - Wednesday, November 12, 2008, at 3:30 p.m.

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Notice of Commission Activity and Public Hearing

Tuesday, October 21, 2008
10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Medicine Bow, Wyoming

Docket No. 90000-104-XI-08 (Record No. 11698) Commission to conduct a public comment hearing, hear testimony and take evidence from CenturyTel of Wyoming, Inc., in the Commission's investigation into the quality and reliability of telecommunications service provided in Wyoming.

The hearing will be held at the **Virginian Hotel located at 404 Lincoln Hwy., in Medicine Bow, Wyoming from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.** Telecommunications customers are encouraged to attend this public hearing to provide comments regarding the quality and reliability of their telecommunications service.

Commission advisory staff: Art Schmidt, Tom Wilson, Blair Bales and Chris Petrie.

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Regular Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Wednesday, October 22, 2008

1:30 p.m.

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1. Docket No. 70008-47-TK-08 (Record No. 11756) Petition of Union Telephone Company for arbitration of an interconnection agreement with United Telephone Company of the West, d/b/a Embarq, under Section 252 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996. Commission to consider and act on the Parties' request to extend the Commission's August 28, 2008, Order granting a 90-day stay for an additional 90 days. Commission advisory staff: Tom Wilson and Steve Mink. (No memo; see attached Motion and Status Report.)
2. Docket No. 30016-52-GK-08 (Record No. 11875) Confidential contract filing between Pinedale Natural Gas, Inc., and Summit Energy, LLC. Commission to consider placing the contract in its confidential files and granting the company's Petition for Confidential Treatment of PNG's Contract. Commission advisory staff: Michelle Bohanan and Blair Bales. (See memo dated September 16, 2008.)
3. Docket No. 30016-55-GK-08 (Record No. 11898) Contract filing between Pinedale Natural Gas, Inc., and Summit Energy, LLC. Commission to consider placing the contract in its files. Commission advisory staff: Michelle Bohanan and Blair Bales. (See memo dated September 22, 2008.)
4. Docket No. 30022-111-GA-08 (Record No. 11662). In the matter of the application of SourceGas Distribution LLC, for authority to abandon natural gas service to eight customers and eleven premises in the Shoshoni area in Fremont County, Wyoming. Commission to consider and act on SourceGas' Motion to Suspend Filing Requirement

Until Financial Information is Available. Commission advisory staff: Chris Petrie, Vicky Hansen, and Darrell Zlomke. (see motion dated October 13, 2008).

5. Docket Nos. 70000-1397-TK-08 and 70027-84-TK-08 (Record No. 11892) Qwest Corporation and MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC are jointly petitioning for Commission authority for an Originated Toll Free Service Jointly Provided Switched Access Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement. Commission to consider and act on the petition. Commission advisory staff: Luy Luong and Victoria Hansen. (See Memo dated October 16, 2008.)
6. Docket No. 90000-104-XI-08 (Record No. 11698) Commission's investigation into the quality and reliability of telecommunications service provided in Wyoming. Commission to consider and act on the Office of Consumer Advocate's request for a copy of the Niobrara County 911 report. Commission advisory staff: Art Schmidt, Tom Wilson, Blair Bales and Chris Petrie. (No memo, please see a copy of the OCA's request.)
7. Undocketed. Open Meeting Minutes for review by the Commission for the Regular Open Meeting of July 29, 2008. Prepared by Deborah McFerrin. (No memo; see attached copy of the minutes.)

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

1. Docket No. 70000-TC-03-938 (Record No. 8654) Complaint filing by Crandall Valley, Wyoming, residents against Qwest Corporation requesting a formal hearing regarding service quality problems. Commission to consider and act on final disposition of the above complaint matter. Roy Ann Bormuth will appear by telephone, and Jeff Hubbard of Qwest Corporation will appear in person. Commission advisory staff: Dave Lucero, Shirley McCown and Michelle Bohanan. (No memo; see attached letter from Qwest and other emails.)
2. Docket No. 30009-47-GP-08 (Record No. 11903) Application of Wyoming Gas Company for authority to pass on a wholesale gas cost increase of \$0.12480 per ccf through its commodity balancing account and to petition for confidential treatment under Section 120 of transaction contracts. Commission to consider and act on application and petition for confidential treatment. Janeen Capshaw and Gordon Neumann from Wyoming Gas will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Luy Luong and Dave Lucero. (See memo dated October 14, 2008.)
3. Docket No. 30003-45-GP-08 (Record No. 11907) In the matter of the application of MGTC, Inc. for authority to pass on a gas cost decrease of \$4.4811 per MCF for Residential and Commercial Customers and a decrease of \$4.2333 per MMBtu for Industrial customers effective November 1, 2008. Commission to consider and act on application. MGTC will be represented by Mr. Walter Eggers. Commission advisory staff: Jess Bottom and Vicky Hansen (See memo dated October 9, 2008)
4. Docket No. 20000-334-EA-08 (Record 11724) In the matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct the

Chimney Butte Substation and install approximately 3.5 miles of 230/69 kV transmission line from Chimney Butte Substation to Big Piney, Wyoming. RMP will be represented by Mr. Dave Mosier, Regulatory Manager Wyoming. Commission to consider and act on application. Commission Staff: David Walker, Don Biedermann & Victoria Hansen. (See Memo dated October 17, 2008).

5. Docket No. 30016-54-GP-08 (Record No. 11891) Application of Pinedale Natural Gas, Inc., for authority to pass on a wholesale gas cost decrease of \$2.65 per Dth through its Commodity Balancing Account. Commission to consider and act on application. Company representatives will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Michelle Bohanan and Vicky Hansen. (See memo dated October 16, 2008.)
6. Docket No. 30016-50-GA-07 (Record No. 11590) Application of Pinedale Natural Gas, Inc., requesting approval of the conversion of its accounting system to the uniform system of accounts pursuant to Commission Rule 223. Commission to consider and act on application. Mr. Bruce Asay, Pinedale's counsel, will appear in person. Commission advisory staff: Marci Norby, Barbara Iversen and Blair Bales. (See Memo dated October 20, 2008.)

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Notice of Commission Activity

**Wednesday, November 12, 2008
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

Commission Hearing Room, 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming

The Commission will host a technical conference to explore potential revisions or adoption of new rules to the Commission's Procedural Rules and Special Regulations to comply with the

Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 (PURPA), as amended by the federal Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (EISA).

Expected discussion topics include the scope and nature of EISA and its standards for integrated resource planning, the consideration of smart grid investments, rate design modifications to promote energy efficiency investments, and sale of industrial waste energy. Other issues of interest may also be discussed.

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Commission advisory staff: Dave Lucero and Tom Wilson

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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1. Docket No. 300010-95-GP 08 (Record No. 11911) In the matter of the application of Questar Gas Company for authority to pass on a gas decrease of \$2.88033 per Dth through its purchased gas adjustment. Commission to consider and potentially act on application. Questar representatives will participate by telephone. (See memo dated October 22, 2008)

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PARTICIPATION BY TELEPHONE: Please contact Vicky Hansen at vhanse@state.wy.us to arrange to participate in this event by telephone.

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Notice of Commission Activity and Public Hearing

Monday, October 27, 2008

4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Beulah, Wyoming

Docket No. 90000-104-XI-08 (Record No. 11698) Commission to conduct a public comment hearing, hear testimony and take evidence in the Commission's investigation into the quality and reliability of telecommunications service provided in Wyoming.

The hearing will be held at **Ranch A, 601 Sand Creek Road, approximately six (6) miles south of Interstate 90, Exit 205, (Beulah, Wyoming) from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

Telecommunications customers are encouraged to attend this public hearing to provide comments regarding the quality and reliability of their telecommunications service.

Commission advisory staff: Art Schmidt, Tom Wilson, Blair Bales and Chris Petrie.

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Revised Regular Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Friday, October 31, 2008

8:00 a.m.

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1. Docket No. 20004-75-ER-08 (Record No. 11857) Application of Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., for a general rate increase in its Wyoming electric utility service rates of \$756,788 per annum. Commission to consider and act on the below-listed Petitions to Intervene. Commission advisory staff: Steve Mink, Dave Lucero and Darrell Zlomke. (No memo; see attached petitions).
 - a. Petition to Intervene of ISEU MDU, a group of MDU customers.
 - b. Petition to Intervene of Mr. Ted Lapis, an MDU customer.
2. Docket No. 70000-1398-TK-08 (Record No. 11899) Contract filing of Qwest Corporation for authority to enter into a Wireline Interconnection Agreement with Greenfly Networks, Inc., dba Clearly Communications. Commission advisory staff: Luy Luong and Dave Lucero. (See memo dated October 27, 2008.)
3. Undocketed. Open Meeting Minutes for review by the Commission for the Regular Open Meeting of July 3, July 31, August 5, August 7, September 4 and September 5, 2008. Prepared by Angela Elliott and Deborah McFerrin. (No memo; see attached copy of the listed minutes.)

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

1. Docket No. 20000-333-ER-08 (Record No. 11824) Application of Rocky Mountain Power for approval of a general rate increase of approximately \$33,501,142 per year or 7.1%. Commission to consider and act on Rocky Mountain Power's motion for approval of procedural schedule. Commission advisory staff: Dave Lucero, Vicky Hansen, Marci Norby

and Michelle Bohanan. (No memo; see attached Motion for Approval of Procedural Schedule.)

2. Docket No. 30005-120-GP-08 (Record 11912) Application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company (Cheyenne Light) to pass on a wholesale gas cost decrease of \$2.3690 per decatherm for firm and interruptible rate classes. Commission to consider and act on requested rate adjustments and on petition for confidentiality. Mark Stege and John Sundahl will appear in person for Cheyenne Light, and Brian Iverson, Kenna Hagan and Jan Kirsch will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Don Biedermann and Dave Lucero. (See memo dated October 28, 2008.)
3. Docket No. 30016-53-GP-08 (Record No. 11882) Amended application of Pinedale Natural Gas, Inc., for authority to pass on a wholesale gas cost increase of \$0.28 per decatherm for a processing fee. Commission to consider and act on the amended application. Company representatives will appear in person and by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Marci Norby and Steve Mink. (See memo dated October 29, 2008.)
4. Docket No. 30022-123-GA-08 (Record No. 11792) Application of SourceGas Distribution, LLC, to be relieved of a certain annual information filing requirement as directed in Docket No. 30004-GP-98-55 *to provide supporting detailed data and other information to support its upstream transportation capacity costs*. Commission to consider and act on the application. Company representatives will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Marci Norby and Dave Lucero (See memo dated October 8, 2008.)
5. Docket No. 30013-209-GP-08 (Record No. 11919) Application of Montana-Dakota Utilities Company (MDU) for authority to pass on a wholesale gas cost increase of \$1.149 per Dth to its residential, general service, small and large interruptible customers, and a purchased gas cost increase of \$1.150 per Dth for optional seasonal customers. Commission to consider and act on the application and MDU's request that Exhibit 3(a), pages 1, 2 and 3 of the application be designated as confidential in accordance with Section 120 of the Commission's Rules. An MDU representative will appear by telephone. Commission advisory staff: Jess Bottom and Dave Lucero. (See memo dated October 28, 2008.)
6. Docket No. 90090-3-XO-08 (Record No. 11929) General Order Interest Rate Calculation of Commission Rules §§ 241(c) and 504(f)(iii) for January 1, 2009, through December 31, 2009. Commission to consider establishing the 2009 interest rate calculated pursuant to Commission Rules §§ 241(c) and 504(f)(iii). Commission advisory staff: Luy Luong and Blair Bales. (See memo dated October 27, 2008.)

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Interested utilities and other parties are encouraged to attend. Written comments must be submitted by November 3, 2008. For additional information, contact Vicky Hansen at (307)777-7429 or Marci Norby at (307)777-5720.

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PARTICIPATION BY TELEPHONE: Please contact Vicky Hansen at vhanse@state.wy.us to arrange to participate in this event by telephone.

Note: Revised information shown in italics.