

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Thursday, November 1, 2018

1:30 p.m.

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CONSENT AGENDA

Consent Agenda items are deemed routine matters not requiring formal presentations and will be considered and voted on as a group by the Commission. Items may be removed from consent by a Commissioner or the Commission at the request of an interested person. An item removed from consent will be considered as a regular agenda item and may be tabled for review at a later date. Requests from interested parties for removal of an item from consent prior to the meeting are encouraged.

1. Docket No. 70112-5-TA-18 (Record No. 15117). Notification of WERCS Communications, Inc. of the name change to Mountain West Technologies Corporation. Commission to consider acceptance of Notification for filing. Commission Staff: John Burbridge and Rachel Meeker. (See attached Notification.)

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Docket No: 20000-540-ET-18 (Record No. 15096). Application of Rocky Mountain Power for authority to revise Rule 12, Line Extensions. Commission to consider and act on Application. Stacy Splittstoesser, Wyoming Regulatory Affairs Manager, to appear in person, Daniel Solander, Senior Attorney, and Rob Stewart, Senior Customer Regulatory Specialist, to appear by telephone for the Company. Commission Staff: Steve Mink, James Branscomb and Daney Brauchie. (See attached *Memo* dated October 22, 2018.)
2. Docket Nos. 30013-332-GA-18 and 20004-128-EA-18 (Record No. 14935). Joint Application of Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a division MDU Resources Group, Inc., MDU Resources Group, Inc. and MDU Energy Capital, LLC, for approval of a corporate reorganization. Commission to consider and act on Application. Bruce S. Asay, Counsel, to appear in person; Tamie Aberle, Director Regulatory Affairs, Garret Senger, VP Regulatory Affairs and Chief Accounting Officer, appearing by telephone for Montana-Dakota Utilities, Co.; Adrienne Riehl, Counsel, Donette Schmit, Director of Finance, appearing by

telephone for MDU Resources Group, Inc. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Nathan Brennan and Michelle Bohanan. (See attached *Memo* dated October 26, 2018.)

3. Docket No. 20004-134-EA-18 (Record No. 14994). Filing of Montana-Dakota Utilities Company of its Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) for 2017. Commission to consider acceptance of the IRP for filing. Bruce S. Asay, Counsel, to appear in person; Tamie Aberle, Director Regulatory Affairs, Garret Senger, VP Regulatory Affairs and Chief Accounting Officer, and Travis Jacobson, Regulatory Affairs Manager, appearing by telephone for MDU. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Kara Seveland and Kaeci Daniels. (See attached *Memo* dated October 26, 2018.)
4. Docket No. 20003-174-EN-18 (Record No. 15107). Notice of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power d/b/a Black Hills Energy (BHE) regarding the proposed Blackstart Project on its Cheyenne Prairie Generation Station. Commission to consider and act on:
 - a. BHE's request for Commission determination whether the Company should file an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity;
 - b. *Dyno Nobel, Inc.'s Petition to Intervene*; and
 - c. *HollyFrontier Cheyenne Refining LLC's Petition to Intervene*.

Jason Keil, Manager-Regulatory, Jana Smoot-White, Associate General Counsel, and Jason Hartman, Director of Generation Project Engineering, to appear in person for the Company. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Chris Petrie, Kara Seveland, Daney Brauchie, David Piroutek and Perry McCollom. (See attached *Petitions* and *Notice of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company /b/a Black Hills Energy*.)

5. Docket No. 20002-109-EN-18 (Record No. 15106). Notice of Black Hills Power d/b/a Black Hills Energy (BHE) regarding the proposed Blackstart Project on its CT1 Unit at the Neil Simpson Complex. Commission to consider and act on BHE's request for Commission determination whether the Company should file an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity. Jason Keil, Manager-Regulatory, Jana Smoot-White, Associate General Counsel, and Jason Hartman, Director of Generation Project Engineering, to appear in person for the Company. Commission Staff: John Burbridge, Chris Petrie, Kara Seveland, Daney Brauchie, David Piroutek and Perry McCollom. (See attached *Notice of Black Hills Power, Inc. d/b/a Black Hills Energy*.)
6. Undocketed. Commission to receive utility business update from representatives of Black Hills Corporation and take such action as the public interest may require. Jana Smoot-White, Associate General Counsel, Jerrad Hammer, Director, Regulatory, and Shirley Welte, Vice President, Wyoming Operations to appear for the Company. Commission Staff: Christopher Petrie.

Upcoming Open Meetings:

- Thursday, November 15, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 20, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 27, 2018, at 1:30 p.m. – *Tentative*

- Thursday, November 29, 2018, at 1:30 p.m.

***Notice of Filing of
Updated Integrated Resource Plan
and Call for Comments***

Rocky Mountain Power (RMP) filed its updated 2017 Integrated Resource Plan (Updated 2017 IRP) in Docket No. 20000-512-EA-17 (Record No. 14667) on May 7, 2018.

Written comments regarding RMP's Updated 2017 IRP may be filed with the Wyoming Public Service Commission at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne WY 82002, on or before October 31, 2018.

RMP's reply comments will be due on or before November 30, 2018.

This matter will be discussed and considered at a Commission open meeting held at a time and date to be determined.

RMP's Updated 2017 IRP, Docket No. 20000-512-EA-17 (Record No. 14667), may be viewed at the Commission's offices at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming or at any RMP business office during regular business hours. Additionally, the docket is available for review on the Commission's website at: <http://psc.state.wy.us/>. (Select "electronic documents" in the upper left menu.)

Please contact John Burbridge, Kara Seveland and James Branscomb at (307) 777-7427 for additional information.

***Notice of Integrated Resource Plan Filing
and Call for Comments***

Questar Gas Company d/b/a Dominion Energy Wyoming (Dominion) has filed its 2018 Integrated Resource Plan for plan year June 1, 2018, to May 31, 2019 (2018 IRP), in Docket No. 30010-175-GA-18 (Record No. 15028) on June 14, 2018.

Written comments regarding Dominion's 2018 IRP may be filed with the Wyoming Public Service Commission at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, WY 82002, on or before September 7, 2018. Dominion's reply comments will be filed on or before October 12, 2018.

This matter will be discussed and considered at a Commission Open Meeting held on or before November 23, 2018.

Dominion's 2018 IRP may be viewed at the Commission's office, located at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming or at any Dominion business office during regular business hours. Additionally, the docket is available for review on the Commission's website at: <http://psc.state.wy.us/>. (Select "electronic documents" in the upper left menu.)

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