

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the Wyoming Administrative Procedure Act and the Wyoming Public Service Commission's (Commission) Rules, notice is hereby given that a public hearing is scheduled regarding the Application of Rocky Mountain Power (RMP or the Company) requesting authority to decrease rates on deferred Net Power Costs (NPC) pursuant to Tariff Schedule 95; to decrease rates pursuant to Tariff Schedule 93, Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) and Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂) emission allowances; and upon the interventions of the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA, and Wyoming Industrial Energy Consumers (WIEC). **The public hearing is set to commence on Tuesday, November 28, 2017, at 9:00 a.m., in the Commission's hearing room located at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, in Cheyenne, Wyoming.**

RMP is a public utility, as defined in Wyo. Stat. §37-1-101(a)(vi)(C), providing retail electric public utility service under certificates of public convenience and necessity issued by the Commission. RMP is subject to the Commission's jurisdiction pursuant to Wyo. Stat. §37-2-112.

On April 17, 2017, the Company submitted an Application together with testimony, exhibits and revised tariff sheets requesting authority to revise and change rates pursuant to two different rate schedules: [i] its Energy Cost Adjustment Mechanism (ECAM) Tariff Schedule 95, requesting approval to decrease rates by \$15.7 million or 2.21 percent in deferred NPC; and [ii] its REC and SO₂ revenue adjustment mechanism (RRA) Tariff Schedule 93, requesting approval to decrease rates by \$528 thousand or 0.07 percent to reflect the sale of RECs and SO₂ emission allowances. The total ECAM deferral from calendar year 2016 is a refund of approximately \$4.9 million which the Company proposes to refund to customers over a 12-month period from June 15, 2017, through June 14, 2018. RMP requested that the Commission approve the proposed decrease on an interim basis, effective June 15, 2017, subject to further review and hearing.

Pursuant to the Commission's June 21, 2017, *Order Approving Rates on an Interim Basis*, the Commission granted RMP's request for an interim rate decrease in the amount of \$15.7 million pursuant to Tariff Schedule 95, and an interim rate decrease of \$528,000 pursuant to Tariff Schedule 93, effective on and after June 15, 2017, subject to further determination and order of the Commission as it may deem appropriate.

All interested persons are encouraged to attend the public hearing which will be conducted in accordance with the Wyoming Administrative Procedure Act and the Wyoming Public Service Commission Rules and Special Regulations. Interested persons may appear and be heard, either in person or through counsel, as provided by Commission Rule.

The Commission's hearings are open to all persons. If you wish to attend the hearing and you require reasonable accommodation for a disability, please contact the Commission at (307) 777-7427 (Voice or TTY) in Cheyenne during regular business hours or write them at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82002, to make arrangements. Communications impaired persons may also contact the Commission by accessing Wyoming Relay (TTY) by dialing 711. Please mention Docket No. 20000-514-EA-17 (Record No. 14696) in your correspondence. If you wish to listen to the hearing scheduled in this matter go to <http://psc.wy.us> at the appropriate time and follow the instructions to connect to the hearing.
