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1		I. INTRODUCTION AND QUALIFICATIONS
2	Q.	Please state your name, business address, and present position with PacifiCorp
3		d/b/a Rocky Mountain Power ("Rocky Mountain Power" or the "Company").
4	A.	My name is Ramon J. Mitchell, and my business address is 825 NE Multnomah Street,
5		Suite 600, Portland, Oregon 97232. My title is Manager, Net Power Costs.
6	Q.	Please describe your education and professional experience.
7	A.	I received a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Portland
8		and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from Reed College. I was first employed
9		by the Company in 2015 and during my time at the Company I have held various
10		positions in the regulation, merchant, and transmission departments. After a brief
11		departure from the Company, in 2021 I returned to the Company as Manager, Net
12		Power Costs. In my current role I am responsible for leading and overseeing various
13		efforts associated with the Company's net power costs ("NPC") filings.
14	Q.	Have you testified in previous regulatory proceedings?
15	A.	Yes. I have previously provided testimony to the public utility commissions in
16		California and Oregon.
17		II. PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY
18	Q.	What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?
19	A.	My testimony presents the Company's proposed NPC for the 12-month forecast period
20		ending December 31, 2024 ("test period"); and proposes changes to the annual Energy
21		Cost Adjustment Mechanism ("ECAM") to eliminate the sharing band. Specifically,
22		my testimony:

1		• Summarizes forecasted NPC for the 2024 test period in this general rate case
2		("GRC") and explains the calculation of NPC using the Company's Aurora
3		model;
4		• Explains the primary drivers behind the increase in NPC compared to the
5		current base NPC approved by the Wyoming Public Service Commission
6		("Commission") and incorporated into customer rates in the 2020 GRC in
7		Docket No. 20000-578-ER-20, which includes a discussion of extraordinary
8		increases in regional power and gas market prices since the last GRC;
9		• Describes new and upcoming federal/state environmental compliance
10		requirements and operations changes since the 2020 GRC that substantially
11		impact NPC;
12		• Describes modeling changes the Company has made to improve the NPC
13		forecast accuracy since the 2020 GRC; and
14		• Proposes elimination of the ECAM sharing band considering the Company's
15		pending participation in an independent system operator ("ISO")-type
16		organized market along with updated observations on trends in western markets
17		since the last GRC.
18		III. SUMMARY OF COMPANY NPC
19	Q.	How is the NPC portion of this testimony organized?
20	A.	First, in Section III, I provide an overview of the NPC forecast for the 2024 test period
21		This overview includes a high-level discussion of the NPC changes since the last GRC
22		followed by a more detailed discussion of the individual NPC components along with

narrative explanations which touch on the impacts associated with new policy and operations changes.

Second, Section IV includes a discussion on the reasonableness of the NPC forecast and Section V explores in detail the drivers of regional forward power market prices and regional forward natural gas market prices which account for the majority of the change in the NPC forecast since the last GRC.

Third, in Section VI, I discuss in detail new policy and operations changes, along with the numeric impacts to the NPC forecast that each change represents.

Fourth, in Section VII, I discuss the transition from the Generation and Regulation Initiative Decision Tools ("GRID") model to the Aurora model for the forecast of NPC, then, in Section VIII I present and discuss the improvements to enhance modeling accuracy along with the numeric impacts to the NPC forecast that each improvement represents.

Fifth, in Section IX, I present a brief discussion on Situs Programs and refer to the Multi-State Process forum which is intended to resolve outstanding issues on these programs. In Section X, I present a brief summary on Company coal costs and the change in these costs between the last GRC and this current filing.

Finally, after the NPC portion of my testimony, I transition into a discussion on NPC recovery in the ECAM.

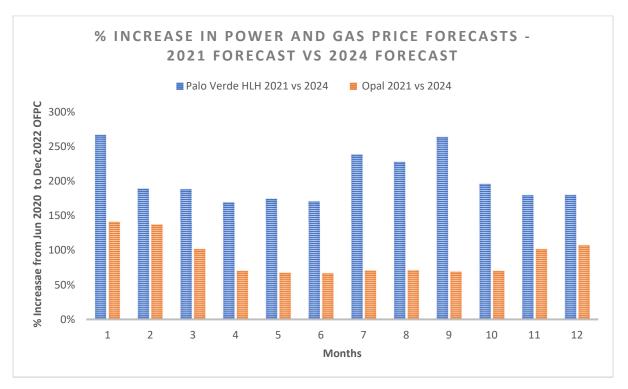
20 Q. Please explain the components of the Company's NPC.

A. NPC are defined as the sum of fuel expenses, wholesale purchase power expenses, and wheeling expenses, less wholesale sales revenue. The NPC forecast approved in this

- 1 case becomes the base NPC used for comparison to actual NPC in a subsequent ECAM
- 2 filing.
- 3 Q. Please explain how the Company calculates NPC.
- 4 A. NPC are calculated for the forecast test period based on projected data using Aurora,
- 5 which simulates the operation of the Company's power system on an hourly basis. The
- 6 model respects all system requirements and constraints and commits and dispatches the
- 7 Company's resources for a cost minimizing output where demand and supply are
- 8 balanced.
- 9 Q. What Aurora inputs were updated for this filing?
- 10 A. All inputs have been updated since the 2020 GRC, including system load, reserves,
- wholesale sales and purchase contracts for electricity, natural gas and wheeling, market
- prices for electricity and natural gas also known as the official forward price curve
- 13 ("OFPC"), fuel expenses, transmission topology, and the characteristics and
- availability of the Company's generation facilities.
- 15 Q. Did PacifiCorp update the regulation reserve input for this filing?
- 16 A. Yes. Consistent with past NPC forecasts, PacifiCorp has updated regulation reserves to
- be consistent with the latest integrated resource plan ("IRP") regulation reserve study,
- which is currently the 2021 IRP.
- 19 Q. What is the date of the OFPC the Company used for its forecast NPC?
- 20 A. The forecast NPC used the OFPC dated December 31, 2022.
- 21 Q. What reports does the Aurora model produce?
- 22 A. The major output from the Aurora model is the NPC report. This is attached to my
- testimony as RMP Exhibit 10.1.

- 1 Q. What is the amount of the proposed total-Company NPC for the test period?
- 2 A. The proposed NPC for the test period are \$2.553 billion on a total-Company basis and
- \$360.3 million on a Wyoming-allocated basis. Unless otherwise noted, references to
- 4 NPC or various individual cost items throughout my testimony are stated in total-
- 5 Company system amounts.
- 6 Q. Please generally describe the changes in NPC compared to the 2020 GRC.
- 7 A. The NPC forecast from the 2020 GRC used a June 30, 2020 vintage OFPC to set the
- 8 price expectations for a calendar year 2021 NPC forecast. Compared to calendar year
- 9 2024 price expectations from the December 31, 2022 vintage OFPC, average power
- market prices at the Palo Verde power trading hub increased by 199 percent and average
- 11 natural gas market prices at the Opal gas trading hub increased by 89 percent as
- illustrated at the monthly granularity in Figure 1 below. As a result of this and four
- substantive changes to the 2024 landscape, which I discuss in more detail below, total-
- 14 Company NPC increased by \$1.122 billion or 78 percent, from a 2020 GRC forecast
- of \$1.431 billion to this GRC forecast of \$2.553 billion.

Figure 1



- 2 Q. Please explain, by line item, the changes in NPC compared to the 2020 GRC.
- A. Illustrated below in Table 1 for costs and Table 2 for energy are the line item changes
 in NPC. Below, I expand on the individual line items.

5 Table 1

Net Power	Cost Reconciliation (\$)				
(\$ millions) \$/M					
WY 2020 GRC Final Forecast	1,431	23.67			
Increase/(Decrease) to NPC:					
Wholesale Sales Revenue	(256.4)				
Purchased Power Expense	788.6				
Coal Fuel Expense	45.5				
Natural Gas Fuel Expense	514.2				
Wheeling and Other Expense	<u>30.3</u>				
Total Increase to NPC	1,122.2				
WY 2023 GRC Initial Forecast	<u>2,553</u>	38.32			

Table 2

Net Power Cost	Reconciliation (MWh)		
	MWh	\$/MWh	
WY 2020 GRC Final Forecast	60,456,564	23.67	
Change to Net System Load:			
Wholesale Sales Decrease	2,359,857		
Purchased Power Increase	6,128,563		
Coal Generation Decrease	(6,609,260)		
Natural Gas Generation Increase	5,214,487		
Other Generation Decrease	<u>(910,496)</u>		
Total Change to Net System Load	6,183,151		
WY 2023 GRC Initial	66,639,715	38.32	

2 Q. Please explain the increase in purchased power expense.

A. The purchased power expense increases in tandem with power market prices coupled with increased purchased power volumes due to lower coal generation to comply with the Ozone Transport Rule ("OTR") generation limits, the decrease in generation at the Chehalis plant due to the Washington carbon tax, the outage for Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 to complete the gas conversion, increased regulation reserve requirements and expectations of low hydroelectric generation. I explain these individual drivers in more detail, below in my testimony.

Q. Please explain the increase in coal fuel expense and the increase in natural gas fuel expense.

A. Coal generation in both Wyoming and Utah is subject to the new emissions limits in the OTR, resulting in a decrease in coal generation. The remaining coal generation shows increased expense due to increases in coal price expectations resulting from increased domestic competition for limited coal supply. Natural gas generation

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1	increases due to the gas conversion of Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 and increased dispatch
2	of other gas units to meet load and reserve obligations left behind after the decrease in
3	coal and hydroelectric generation. Natural gas fuel expense correspondingly increases
4	in tandem with natural gas market prices.

Q. Please explain the increase in wholesale sales revenue and the increase in wheeling and other expense.

A. With decreased net generation, wholesale sales volume also decreases, however, the increase in power market prices increases the total revenue of the remaining sales.

Wheeling expenses increase relative to the forecast in the 2020 GRC based on increases in the historical wheeling expenses supporting the 2021 and 2022 actual purchased power volumes.

IV. NPC VALIDATION

13 Q. Is \$2.553 billion a reasonable forecast for total-Company NPC in 2024?

14 A. Yes. There are three layers to consider when assessing the 2024 NPC forecast: 1)
15 historical actual NPC and the associated trend that is proportionate to regional power
16 market prices; 2) the extrapolation of this trend using the 2024 OFPC; and 3) four
17 upcoming, new, and substantial impacts to NPC that are not captured in the historical
18 data or trend.

19 Q. Regarding the first layer, what does the historical actual NPC show?

A. There is a clear and demonstrable relationship between actual NPC and regional power market prices. First consider Table 3 below which shows, the actual 2020 NPC, the 2020 GRC forecast of 2021, the actual 2021 NPC and the actual 2022 NPC.

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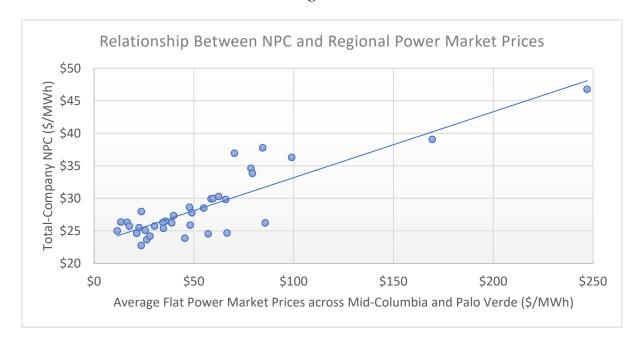
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NPC Type	Total Company NPC (\$)
2020 Actual	1,511,314,189
2021 Forecast (2020 GRC)	1,431,235,960
2021 Actual	1,714,607,879
2022 Actual	2,040,736,242

2 There are two items of note: 1) the 2020 GRC forecast of calendar year 2021 NPC at \$1.431 billion was substantially under-forecast relative to the actual calendar year 2021 4 NPC, as explained in further detail below in the NPC Recovery section of my 5 testimony; and 2) within the actuals, there is a clear upward trend in NPC.

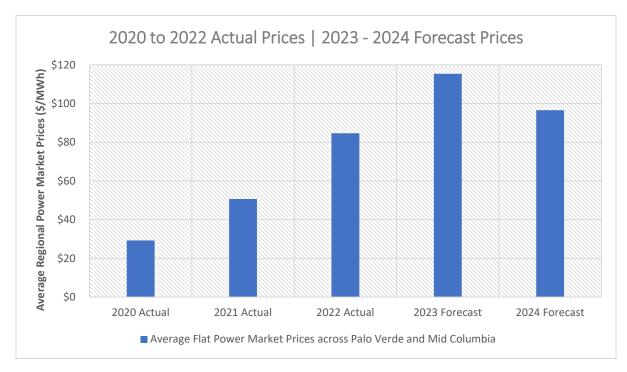
- Q. Regarding the second layer, please elaborate on this upward trend in NPC and the associated extrapolation.
- 8 A. Breaking actual NPC down to the monthly granularity it is observed that there is a 9 proportionate relationship between actual NPC and regional power market prices as 10 illustrated below in Figure 2.

11 Figure 2



To establish a reference baseline of what a reasonable 2024 NPC forecast (without any new operational or federal/state environmental compliance requirements) might be, consider a simple extrapolation of the above relationship between regional power market prices and NPC. This extrapolation suggests 2024 NPC of \$2.201 billion. Figure 3 below illustrates year-over-year changes in actual and forecast regional power market prices that provide context for the NPC increases in Table 3 and context for the extrapolation of 2024 NPC at \$2.201 billion.

8 Figure 3



- Q. Regarding the third layer, please elaborate on some of the new and upcoming operational and policy changes not captured in the historical data or the trend.
- A. Historical NPC and the corresponding relationship with regional power market prices have not captured any of the cost impacts of four substantive changes to the 2024 landscape: 1) the expansion and revision of the Environmental Protection Agency's ("EPA") Cross-State Air Pollution Rule on nitrogen oxides' ("NO_x") emissions limits

to encompass all generation in the states of Wyoming and Utah (also referred to as the Ozone Transport Rule or OTR); 2) the new law in Washington state that taxes greenhouse gas ("GHG") emissions through required purchases of GHG allowances (impacting the Chehalis gas-fired plant located in Washington state); 3) the conversion of the Jim Bridger power plant's units 1 and 2 from coal-fired to gas-fired units; and 4) the removal of four hydroelectric projects along the Klamath River. These four changes and their individual impacts to NPC are described in more detail, below in my testimony. In aggregate they increase NPC by \$353 million.

Q. How do these three layers demonstrate the reasonableness of the NPC forecast?

The historical actual NPC in combination with the proportionate relationship between NPC and regional power market prices suggest that, absent any changes in policy or operations, \$2.201 billion is a reasonable NPC forecast for 2024. After layering on an additional \$353 million to account for the aforementioned upcoming policy and operational changes, which are not reflected in the historical data, a reasonable benchmark for 2024 NPC becomes \$2.554 billion which is 0.015 percent above the proposed \$2.553 total-Company NPC. This difference of 0.015 percent results from the use of a relatively simple trend analysis as a reference for the 2024 NPC (absent policy or operations changes) as compared to the more detailed simulation within Aurora.

V. REGIONAL MARKET PRICE INCREASES

- Q. Why have regional power and gas market prices increased to such extraordinary highs?
- A. Regional power market prices are driven primarily by regional gas market prices which are in turn driven by natural gas fuel prices. Since June 2020 (the vintage of the OFPC

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1	used in the 2020 GRC), natural gas prices have seen extraordinary year-over-year
2	increases, as illustrated above in my testimony.

- Q. Why have natural gas fuel prices seen extraordinary increases since the June 2020OFPC?
- The primary driver is the conflict in Ukraine which has decreased European availability
 of natural gas, previously sourced from Russian imports. With decreased European
 supply, the associated European demand has turned to U.S. domestic supply to fill the
 gap and the increased competition over domestic supply has driven regional natural gas
 fuel prices upwards with increases in domestic production yet unable to keep pace with
 the increased demand. This increase in natural gas fuel prices correspondingly
 increases regional gas market prices and regional power market prices, in that order.
- 12 Q. What other drivers impact regional power market prices?
- 13 A. Regional power market prices are lowered, on average, by increased penetration of 14 renewable resources across the western interconnection. However, renewable resource 15 construction across the nation has experienced delays relative to prior expectations.
- Q. Why has renewable resource construction experienced delays relative to priorexpectations?
- A. Global supply chain constraints have delayed production and transportation of key components and equipment necessary for renewable resource construction across the nation. Furthermore, increases in the prices of key renewable resource construction commodities such as lithium, nickel and copper, as well as increases in labor costs and interest rates, exacerbate the issue.

- Q. How have renewable resource construction delays impacted regional power
 market prices?
- A. In the planning arena, at the regional level, renewable resource construction/acquisition is assumed to partially offset the impact of thermal plant retirements on an energy basis.

 In the short term, as the construction of these renewable resources are delayed, thermal plant retirements continue on-schedule. The resulting energy shortfall decreases supply without any associated decrease in demand (load). Consequently, this triggers an incremental energy price rise across the competitive regional power markets which is additive to the exacerbation caused by natural gas fuel price increases.
- 10 Q. Have these global events impacted coal supply and associated coal fuel prices?
- 12 Yes. Because of higher regional gas market prices and delays in renewable resource 12 constructions, coal generation increases, all other things equal. This increase in the 13 demand for coal pressures domestic coal supply in the short term resulting in higher 14 coal fuel prices, which in turn drive regional power market prices higher. This increase 15 in regional power market prices is additive to the increase caused by natural gas fuel 16 price increases and additive to the increase caused by delays in renewable resource 17 construction.
- 18 Q. Please elaborate on further drivers of regional power market price increases.
- A. A long-term drought, dating back to the 2019-2020 winter, continues across parts of the Pacific Northwest¹ and the consequent decrease in expected hydroelectric generation diminishes the expected regional energy supply.

¹ U.S. Drought Monitor, Released Jan. 5, 2023, NATIONAL DROUGHT MITIGATION CENTER, UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA-LINCOLN, https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/.

Furthermore, calendar years 2020, 2021 and 2022 have seen an increase in abnormal/extreme weather events that have resulted in higher-than-expected load during stressed system conditions, and this trend has set expectations amongst market participants for similar conditions in 2024. Therefore, many utilities across the region have revised their expectations of load profiles upwards and this limits excess supply offered into the regional power markets.

These two weather-based drivers increase regional power market prices and both are additive to the increase caused by natural gas fuel price increases, additive to the increase caused by delays in renewable resource construction and additive to the increase caused by increased competition for coal supply.

VI. POLICY AND OPERATIONS IMPACT TO NPC

Q. What policy or operations changes are forecast to have a substantial impact on 2024 NPC?

There are five, which are: 1) the expansion and revision of the OTR on NO_x emissions limits to encompass all generation in the states of Wyoming and Utah; 2) the establishment of a *de-facto* tax impacting generation at Chehalis; 3) the conversion of Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 from coal-fired to gas-fired units; 4) expectations of low hydroelectric generation; 5) the construction of the Gateway South transmission line (a portion of the Energy Gateway transmission expansion), which relieves transmission limitations on the output of coal and wind generation in Wyoming.²

² The cost impacts of the Energy Gateway transmission expansion (specifically, the Gateway West Segment D.2 transmission) are not included in the analysis that demonstrates the reasonableness of the Company's proposed NPC for the test period because they are already captured in the historical data that supports that reasonability analysis.

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The Ozone Transport Rule

- 2 Q. Please generally describe the OTR.
- 3 A. The EPA has established annual limits on the amount of NO_x that may be emitted by
- 4 certain states inclusive of Wyoming and Utah. These NO_x limits apply during the ozone
- 5 season which spans May 1st to September 30th and applies to Utah starting in 2023 and
- 6 currently assumed to include Wyoming starting in 2024. The OTR is described in
- 7 greater detail in the testimony of Ms. Joelle R. Steward.
- 8 Q. How did you implement the OTR in the NPC forecast?
- 9 A. Functionally, NO_x emissions limits are no different from coal contract volumetric
- limits, transmission capacity limits, generator capacity limits, or any of the other
- myriad limits inherent to the Company's operations. All Company operated gas-fired
- and coal-fired generation units in the states of Wyoming and Utah are now constrained
- by specific NO_x emissions limits across the ozone season. These unit level NO_x
- emissions limits are directly input into Aurora, which natively allows for this type of
- modeling.
- 16 Q. Ms. Steward describes the uncertainty around the implementation of the OTR,
- 17 how will you manage this uncertainty in the NPC forecast?
- 18 A. The Company will update the NPC forecast pending further clarifying guidance from
- the EPA as and when possible.
- 20 Q. What is the impact to NPC of this policy?
- A. Assuming that both Utah and Wyoming are subject to the OTR in 2024, the impact of
- 22 this adjustment is an increase of \$135 million. This increase is driven by increased

- 1 market purchases to cover the generation reduction. Assuming that only Utah is 2 subject to the OTR in 2024, the impact of this adjustment is an increase of \$17 million.
- 3 The Washington Cap and Invest Program
- 4 Q. How does the Washington Cap and Invest ("WA-GHG") Program impact the 5 Company's load service in Wyoming?
- 6 The WA-GHG program requires that the Company purchase GHG allowances for any A. 7 GHG emissions output within the state of Washington for export outside the state of 8 Washington. The only source of GHG emitting energy owned by the Company in the 9 state of Washington is the Chehalis gas-fired plant. For all energy exported out of 10 Washington from the Chehalis plant, there is an associated GHG cost proportionate to 11 the energy exported. Therefore, for all energy allocated to Wyoming from the Chehalis 12 plant, there is an incremental dollar-per-megawatt-hour ("\$/MWh") cost based on the 13 GHG allowance price for the test period.
- 14 Q. What is the GHG allowance price applied to the Chehalis plant for this test 15 period?
- 16 A. The GHG allowance price is currently estimated at \$24.75/MWh for calendar year 2024 17 based on an independent analysis commissioned by the state of Washington.³ The 18 program commences at the beginning of 2023 and the first auction will take place on 19 February 28, 2023. The NPC forecast will be updated with refreshed prices when next 20 possible.

³ Washington Department of Ecology, Final Regulatory Analysis, Climate Commitment Act Program at Page 129 (Sept. 2022), available at https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/publications/documents/2202047.pdf.

- 1 Q. How is the WA-GHG program similar to other Commission approved programs?
- 2 A. The WA-GHG program is a *de-facto* tax program that assesses a charge per megawatt-
- 3 hour ("MWh") of energy produced from certain types of resources located in
- Washington state. From a cost perspective, the impact of this program on the
- 5 Company's service territory is identical to the impact of Wyoming's wind tax.
- 6 Q. What is the impact to NPC of this policy?
- 7 A. The impact of this adjustment is an increase of \$75 million. This increase is driven by
- 8 increased market purchases to cover the generation reduction.
- 9 Jim Bridger Power Plant's Natural Gas Conversion Units 1 and 2
- 10 Q. Please describe what is taking place at Jim Bridger units 1 and 2.
- 11 A. Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 are proposed to be converted to gas-fired units. Currently,
- these two units are coal-fired. The Company's proposal to convert Jim Bridger units 1
- and 2 was filed in a separate application on December 9, 2022 and is a pending case
- with the Commission.⁴
- 15 Q. Why are Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 being converted to gas?
- 16 A. Emissions requirements imposed by the EPA required the installation of a selective
- 17 catalytic reduction system to reduce NO_x emissions from Jim Bridger units 1 and 2 for
- 18 continued coal-fired operations past December 31, 2023. Gas conversion was identified
- as a more economically viable option in the long-term analysis of the integrated
- 20 resource planning process partially driven by a need for the Company to retain as much
- 21 upward-dispatchable capacity as possible.

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⁴ See, In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Authority to Convert the Primary Fuel Source from Jim Bridger Power Plant Units 1 and 2 from Coal to Natural Gas, Docket No. 20000-628-EA-22 (Record No. 17212).

1	Q.	What is	the impact	to NPC	of this	conversion?
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- 2 A. There are two impacts. The first impact is the result of replacing the coal-fired units
- with similarly sized gas-fired units, all other things equal. The impact of this adjustment
- 4 is an increase of \$91 million. This increase is driven by the fact that natural gas fuel is
- 5 substantially more expensive than coal fuel. The second impact is the result of the
- outage period necessary to accomplish the gas conversion. With both units being on
- 7 outage from there is a \$22 million increase to NPC.
- 8 This increase is driven by increased market purchases to cover the generation.
- 9 Q. Why are the NPC impacts of the Jim Bridger units' gas conversion separated into
- 10 two components?
- 11 A. The first impact is permanent and starts with a counterfactual in which the units are
- instantaneously converted to gas on January 1, 2024, this counterfactual is necessary
- due to the EPA's requirement that coal-fired operations cease on December 31, 2023.
- The second impact is temporary (the gas conversion process is a one-off event) and
- presents an isolated impact of the outage in 2024 which examines the effect of replacing
- gas generation with market purchases.
- 17 Hydroelectric Generation Reduction
- 18 Q. How much has hydroelectric generation decreased between the 2020 GRC and
- 19 this current filing?
- 20 A. The forecast for calendar year 2024 hydroelectric generation has decreased by
- approximately 656,000 MWh (18 percent) as compared to the calendar year 2021
- forecast from the 2020 GRC.

1 Q. Why has hydroelectric generation decreased by 18 percent?

- A. A long-term drought, dating back to the 2019-2020 winter, continues across parts of the Pacific Northwest⁵ and is picked up in the normalized hydroelectric generation.
- 4 Additionally, the pending removal of the four Company-operated hydroelectric
- 5 projects⁶ along the Klamath river contributes to this decrease. These projects total
- 6 approximately 180 megawatts of capacity and will cease operations by the end of 2023.

7 Q. Did the Commission approve removal of the Klamath projects?

- 8 A. Yes. In Docket No. 20000-594-EA-21 (Record No. 15692), the Commission found that
- 9 removal was a lower cost and lower risk option than relicensing. Thus, while removal
- 10 creates upward pressure on NPC, it was found to be an overall prudent course of action.

11 Q. What is the impact to NPC of these hydroelectric projects' removal?

- 12 A. The impact of this adjustment is an increase of \$42 million. This increase is driven by
- increased market purchases to cover the generation reduction.

Gateway South Transmission Project

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Q. What is the Gateway South Transmission Project?

16 A. As part of the Company's Energy Gateway transmission expansion, the Company is

17 constructing a 500-kilovolt high-voltage transmission line, known as Gateway South,

18 extending from the Aeolus Substation in southeastern Wyoming into the Clover

Substation near Mona, Utah. The Commission approved the Company's certificate of

public convenience and necessity for Gateway South during public deliberations held

on May 10, 2022 and construction began in June 2022 as outlined in the testimony of

22 Mr. Rick A. Vail.

⁵ See U.S. Drought Monitor, supra note 1.

⁶ J.C. Boyle, Copco 1, Copco 2 and Iron Gate hydroelectric projects,

1 Q .	What are the o	qualitative benefits	of this Gateway	South transmission	build?
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A. The Gateway South Project will meet load growth, provide increased reliability, and improve operational flexibility in conjunction with future generation resources.

Specifically, it will allow for the release of "trapped energy" from coal and wind resources in Wyoming, allowing for the deployment of additional dispatchable capacity

from the aforementioned coal resources.

7 Q. What is the impact to NPC of the Gateway South transmission build?

8 A. The line is forecast to go into service in October of 2024, resulting in a decrease of \$19 million, driven by increased coal and wind generation.

VII. NPC AND TRANSITION BETWEEN MODELS

Q. Did the Company transition to the Aurora model to calculate NPC?

Yes. The Company has used the GRID model since it was deployed in 2008 but discontinued its use for NPC filings in 2021 and transitioned to the Aurora model, produced by Energy Exemplar. Aurora provides additional functionality, increases usability, as well as increases compatibility with the Company's information technology.

To date, the Company has filed NPC forecasts using Aurora in California, Oregon, and Washington. Additionally, Aurora includes certain functionality necessary to perform the allocation of state-specific NPC for ratemaking purposes in the post-interim period as contemplated in the 2020 PacifiCorp Inter-Jurisdictional Allocation Protocol ("2020 Protocol").⁷

⁷ See, Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Approval of the 2020 Inter-jurisdictional Cost Allocation Agreement, Docket No. 20000-572-EA-19 (Record No. 15400).

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- 1 Q. Is the Company's general approach to the calculation of NPC using the GRID
- 2 model the same in this case as in previous cases?
- Yes. The general approach to the calculation of NPC is the same, but the model has
 changed from GRID to Aurora.

5 An Overview of the Aurora Model

6 Q. How does Aurora work?

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A. Similar to GRID and other production cost models, the objective of Aurora is to meet the projected load at the lowest possible cost. This is accomplished by simulating the dispatch of available resources, both supply-side and demand-side, within their physical constraints, economic constraints, transmission constraints and emissions constraints, as well as adhering to the profiles of the load requirements to produce a cost minimizing simulation where demand and supply are balanced.

Like GRID, these simulations use input information such as system load, reserves, wholesale sales and purchase contracts for electricity, natural gas and wheeling, market prices for electricity and natural gas, fuel expenses, transmission topology, and the characteristics and availability of the Company's supply-side and demand-side facilities.

Q. How does Aurora compare to GRID?

19 A. The model logic is conceptually the same between Aurora and GRID; both models aim 20 to minimize costs to serve obligations, under various constraints. While the categories 21 of inputs are mostly the same between the two models, Aurora has more parameters to 22 model resources and offers more flexibility to model more types of resources. Q. What are some of the modeling improvements gained by moving to Aurora?

- A. Aurora co-optimizes (as opposed to sequentially optimizing) energy and ancillary service requirements, allowing the model to create precise (precise in this context is different from accurate as elaborated on below in the NPC Recovery section of my testimony) NPC forecasts that simultaneously satisfies all load and reserve obligations while appropriately reflecting the forecasted costs. In addition, Aurora can receive more than one incremental price for the purpose of forecasting dispatch of coal-fired resources and can recognize and optimize around volumetric constraints in each price tier (minimum take volumes, volume limits, etc.). Furthermore, Aurora allows for the modeling of emissions constraints and associated emissions rates and emissions prices, allowing the Company to integrate compliance with various federal and state environmental compliance requirements within the model.
- Q. What is the process by which the Company validated the use of Aurora as compared to GRID?
 - A. Both GRID and Aurora are production cost optimization models that use mathematical optimization techniques with similar inputs that attempt to satisfy the Company's load and reserve obligations at minimum cost. Aurora has more features and flexibility, but both models are based on the same underlying economic principles. The validation process started with the understanding that the results from the two models will be different. Based on that understanding, the process included steps such as: 1) verify if the outputs of non-dispatchable resources match the inputs, and the outputs match between Aurora and GRID; 2) refine input parameters in Aurora that are either not available in GRID or have a different impact on optimization; and 3) research the

reasons why the same dispatchable resources with generally the same inputs produce
different results from Aurora and GRID. And, finally, the total NPC from the two
models are compared and reviewed for reasonableness which includes ensuring that the
deviation in the total NPC is within a reasonable range.

- Why would the same resources produce different results from Aurora and GRID when they have the same inputs?
- 7 A. The inputs in the two models are not the same because Aurora allows for more 8 modeling parameters and more levels of granularity. Additionally, Aurora co-optimizes 9 energy and ancillary service requirements by using an advanced mixed integer 10 program, whereas GRID sequentially optimizes one requirement then the other. 11 Furthermore, Aurora uses its mixed integer program for commitment 12 (startup/shutdown) decisions whereas GRID applies relatively basic static optimization 13 techniques. Differences in the optimization techniques lead to different unit 14 commitments and different unit dispatches based on the prevailing economics.
 - Q. Can you provide the results of the Company's validation process?
- 16 A. Yes. Please refer to RMP Exhibit 10.2 and RMP Exhibit 10.3, which contain the Aurora
 17 and GRID NPC test reports that the Company used to validate the Aurora model. The
 18 test reports show that there was less than 0.8 percent variation between the NPC
 19 calculated with GRID as compared to Aurora.
- Q. While the overall variation was low, there may have been greater variation in individual resources when comparing the two test reports. Can you comment?
- 22 A. Yes. As I discussed above, there are differences between Aurora and GRID with regards 23 to optimization techniques. In addition, each model contemplates different levels of

granularity of inputs. Those two in combination will result in different dispatch of resources, and different balancing transactions. Therefore, the validation process compared the overall outcome of the NPC test report.

Would running GRID with the inputs used for this rate case provide additional useful information regarding the validation of the Aurora model?

No. As described above, the ability of each model to accept different inputs and the internal optimization techniques differ between the models even though the underlying principles are similar. Furthermore, there are inputs in Aurora that are not capable of being accepted by GRID (example, emissions constraints and tiered price/volume coal contracts). There is no reasonable expectation that the model results would be the same or would provide additional insight, making the proposed comparison a futile exercise. Additionally, the Company has already benchmarked Aurora against the GRID model and found that the overall NPC results exhibited a tolerable variance between the two models when limiting the inputs to those capable of being simultaneously accepted by both models.

Inputs and Adjustments in Aurora

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Q. How are inputs treated differently between the two models?

A. Aurora incorporates many of the same inputs that GRID formerly considered in its optimization. Consequently, many of the same workpapers are still in use, but those inputs flow through Aurora input workbooks to be formatted for acceptance by the newer model. For inputs that are quite distinct from their GRID equivalents (coal prices, for example), entirely new modeling approaches were employed to take advantage of the additional flexibility offered by Aurora. There are also inputs that are

the same but require slightly modified calculations to account for the treatment given to those inputs in Aurora (unit minimum operating levels and thermal outage rates, for example).

4 Q. How is the output from Aurora incorporated into Wyoming-allocated NPC?

The Aurora model results are used to create a total-Company NPC forecast and the total-Company NPC report is similar to the report that has been used in the past. Those results are then allocated according to the 2020 Protocol to arrive at a Wyoming-allocated NPC forecast.

Q. Please describe any other significant modeling differences between GRID and Aurora?

As mentioned above, Aurora accounts for unit minimum operating levels ("unit minimums") and equivalent outage rates ("EOR") differently, and both required formulaic updates because of differences in the modeling of unit availabilities. Aurora scales both the unit maximum capacity and the unit minimum in response to a derate because Aurora requires unit minimums to be expressed as a percentage of unit maximum capacity. In GRID, unit minimums were required to be expressed in absolute megawatt amounts. Prior to settling upon a revised approach to the calculation of these inputs, the Company observed many hours where the generation forecast showed output below a unit's minimum. A relatively straightforward solution was adopted by the Company that only required the calculation and input of an hourly unit minimum percentage (percentage of unit capacity) timeseries to account for derates. To avoid the possibility of infeasible operations, another modification was made to the EOR to remove units from service (that is, the EOR was set to 100 percent) whenever the

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available capacity slipped below the unit minimum. In addition, Aurora can receive more than one incremental price for the purpose of forecasting dispatch of coal-fired resources and can recognize and optimize around volumetric constraints in each price tier (minimum take volumes, volume limits, etc.). That modeling improvement allows the Company to more easily arrive at a forecast of coal unit dispatch that is subject to volumetric constraints and tiered pricing across a range of consumption levels.

Q. Is the Day-Ahead/Real-Time ("DA/RT") Adjustment needed in Aurora?

Yes. The DA/RT adjustment is used to better reflect system balancing costs that are not fully captured in the Aurora model. This adjustment indicates a deviation of actual market prices available to the Company in real operations from the historical monthly trading-hub-indexed market prices. The DA/RT adjustment is the result of multiple variables within a dynamic system in which the Company has historically bought more during higher-than-average price periods and sold more during lower-than-average price periods.

To better reflect the market prices available to the Company when it transacts in the real-time market, the Company includes separate prices for forecast system balancing sales and purchases in Aurora. These prices account for the historical price differences between the Company's purchases and sales compared to the monthly average market-indexed prices.

Additionally, like GRID, the volume of system balancing transactions generated by Aurora is smaller than the volume of similar transactions in actual results. Because Aurora balances the Company's load and resources to fractions of a megawatt for each hour in a single step, it avoids the additional purchase and sale transactions

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that occur in actual operations as the Company progresses through balancing its system on a quarterly, monthly, daily, and real-time system basis.

For instance, when the Company buys a monthly product that aligns with the Company's average open position for the month, one can expect that approximately half of the days will still have a remaining position to be covered by additional daily purchases. On the other days, the Company will have to make daily sales to unwind the excess volume. The same is true for daily transactions—in some hours the volume acquired will be too low, while in others it will be too high, and additional purchases and sales will be required to cover the Company's actual position in real-time.

Finally, buying or selling standard block products for monthly and daily average requirements will not result in a perfect balance of load and resources. This difference then must be closed out in the real-time market where the Company is a price-taker.

VIII. MODELING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE NPC FORECAST

14 Q. Why are modeling improvements necessary?

A. Modeling improvements align the NPC forecast with operational realities and make best efforts to hold true to the ECAM sharing band incentive for modeling accuracy, particularly in the current environment of recent NPC under-forecasts as explained in further detail below in the NPC Recovery section of my testimony.

Q. What modeling improvements have been implemented since the 2020 GRC?

- 20 A. The Company has incorporated the following improvements since the last rate case:
 - The DA/RT market price adder will be changed from a flat value to a percentage.

- Trapped energy will be appropriately substituted for curtailment of generation to reflect actual operations.
- The maximum capacity of certain thermal generation units will be updated to reflect ambient temperature derates to unit capacity during the summer months.

DA/RT Adjustment - Price Component

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- 6 Q. Please explain how the price component of the DA/RT adjustment operates.
- 7 A. The price adder component of the DA/RT adjustment addresses the costs incurred by
 8 the Company as a result of multiple variables within a dynamic system in which the
 9 Company has historically bought more during higher-than-average price periods and
 10 sold more during lower-than-average price periods.

To better reflect the market prices available to the Company when it transacts in the real-time market, the Company includes separate prices for forecast system balancing sales and purchases in Aurora. These prices account for the historical price differences between the Company's purchases and sales compared to the trading-hub-indexed market prices. Previously these prices were calculated by adding or subtracting a flat dollar amount to the hourly scaled prices from the OFPC.

- Q. Please explain how changing the DA/RT adjustment price component from a flat value to a percentage of market price results in a DA/RT adjustment that is more reflective of actual operations.
- A. Changing the price calculation to a percentage of the market prices aids in accounting for the volatility caused by prices and system conditions not captured in day-ahead transactions. Take, for example, a \$5 price adder in an hour when the market price is \$25. This resolves to a 20 percent price adder. But using the \$5 price adder when market

prices are \$75 would fail to account for the system and market conditions during that
hour. Using a 20 percent price adder during hours when market price is \$75 would yield
in a \$15 price adder which is more reflective of the system conditions. A key benefit
of using a percentage adder is that it allows the modeling to capture intra-month
variability. Consequently, this is a more accurate representation of real operating
conditions experienced by the Company.

7 Q. Please quantify the impact of this adjustment.

8 A. The impact of this adjustment is an increase of \$11 million to NPC. The primary driver
9 for this change is the captured effect of intra-month market volatility on market
10 transactions.

Trapped Energy

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12 Q. Please explain the Company's trapped energy concept.

13 A. Primarily, trapped energy is a modeling concept only and does not exist in actual 14 operations. It represents any excess generation that cannot be used to serve load due to 15 transmission constraints or system-level oversupply. Because of limited transmission 16 and the need for supply and demand to always be balanced, the trapped energy is 17 captured within a modeled trapped energy zone and serves "pseudo load" that is 18 regulated by a "pseudo generator" with an infinite ramp rate ("pseudo" - i.e., the load 19 and generation in the trapped energy zone are also modeling constructs that do not exist 20 in actual operations).

Q. Why was the trapped energy modeling concept necessary in GRID?

A. Conceptually, the trapped energy zones allow for a feasible model solution in the event of an inability to maintain the supply/demand balance when there is excess supply

However, the primary function of trapped energy zones in prior GRID NPC simulations was to allow for Company-owned production tax credit ("PTC") eligible wind to be modeled with a reasonable degree of accuracy. Due to an inability in GRID to model resources with a negative dispatch price (representative of PTCs, in the case of wind), these wind resources could not provide the proper price signal to the model and therefore could not be accurately represented within GRID's resource stack. As a workaround, the wind resources were simulated as must run resources and all excess wind generation within a transmission constrained area was funneled into a trapped energy zone.

Q. How was energy in the trapped energy zone valued?

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A. In the past, the Company valued trapped energy at 75 percent of market prices, which led to overstated sales revenue. Since this trapped energy concept does not exist in actual operations, the value of trapped energy should be zero.

Q. How does Aurora eliminate the need for trapped energy zones?

Aurora allows for wind curtailment while recognizing the PTC benefits that produce an implied negative dispatch cost. By placing the wind resources at the bottom of the resource stack and allowing the model to dispatch the wind resources downwards when there is more energy from the wind resources than there is transmission to move the energy to load, or when the ramp capability of dispatchable resources are unable to follow the hour-to-hour ramps in wind generation, the NPC simulation dispatches (curtails) the wind downwards and appropriately reflects how wind resources are actually operated and actually dispatched downwards in actual operations.

1	Q.	Please quantify the impact of allowing wind to be curtailed in similar fashion a
2		actual operations.

- A. The impact of allowing for realistic wind curtailment is an increase of \$49 million driven by: 1) a reduction in pseudo-wholesale sales revenue earned from the sales of energy derived from a modeling construct that does not exist in actual operations; and 2) incremental wind curtailments to maintain the supply/demand balance within a transmission congested region when considering that any sharp hour-to-hour ramps in wind generation are unable to be completely balanced by relatively slow ramping coal units present in the region.
- Q. Please quantify the impact of valuing the trapped energy zone at zero percent of
 market prices after allowing for wind curtailments.
- 12 A. The impact to NPC is \$0 since after allowing for appropriate wind curtailment the 13 trapped energy modeling construct has been removed. That is to say, there are no more 14 trapped energy zones modeled in this filing.

Thermal Attributes

- Q. What updates did the Company make to the characteristics of some of its thermalresources?
- 18 A. Thermal plant capacities have been previously calculated as the average of historical
 19 capacity over general summer and winter periods. For some thermal plants,
 20 performance decreases as the ambient temperature increases. As temperatures are
 21 historically hotter during the summer months of June through September, the
 22 generation output from these thermal plants decreases during those months. To account

- 1 for this operational constraint, the Company updated the maximum capacities at certain
- 2 plants during each summer month from June through September.
- 3 Q. Please explain how this adjustment results in more accurate forecast NPC.
- A. Because maximum capacities of some thermal plants are reduced as a result of increased temperatures in the summer, not adjusting the capacity during the summer months based on these conditions would result in Aurora overstating plant capacity and generation output, which would consequently understate the need to dispatch higher cost units or increase purchases to serve load during the summer months. Reducing generation capacity during summer based on average summer temperatures is reflective
- 11 Q. Please quantify the impact of this adjustment.

of actual ambient-temperature constraints.

- 12 A. The impact of this adjustment is an increase of \$18 million. This increase is driven by increased market purchases.
- 14 IX. SITUS PROGRAMS
- 15 Q. What are Situs Programs?

- 16 A. Situs Programs are programs under which resources are acquired by the Company in 17 response to state or customer specific initiatives or requirements.
- 18 Q. How are these programs and associated resources relevant to this filing?
- 19 A. The after-the-fact cost adjustments made to these programs within the ECAM were
 20 non-precedentially settled under an agreement that these adjustments will be addressed
 21 in a future GRC or through the Multi-State Process ("MSP").8

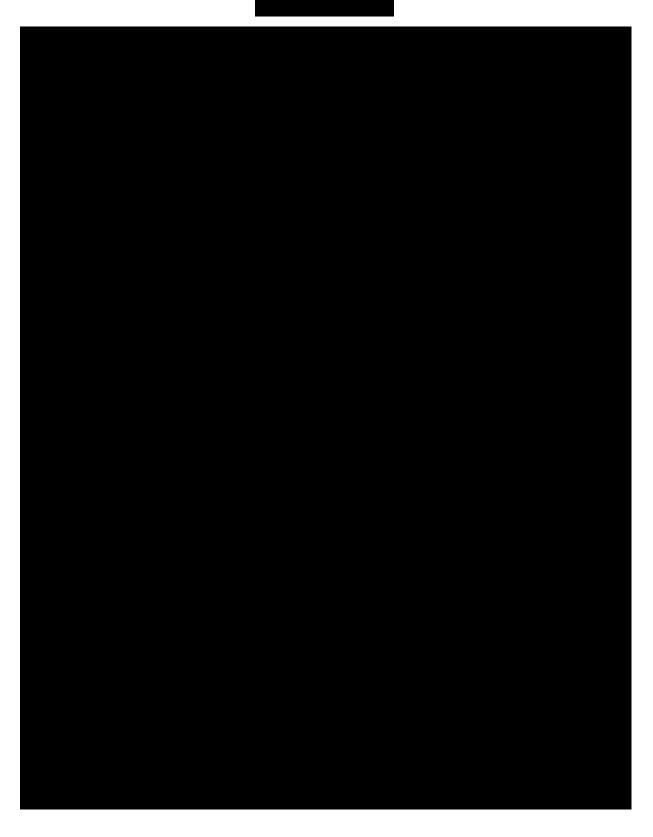
⁸ In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power to Increase Current Rates by \$27.8 million to recover deferred net power costs under Tariff Schedule 95 Energy Cost Adjustment Mechanism, Docket No. 20000-617-EM-22 (Record. No. 17037), Memorandum Opinion, Findings, and Order Approving Stipulation at Appendix A, ¶2 (Feb. 15, 2023).

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- 2 A. As contemplated in the settlement agreement, discussions on these after-the-fact
- adjustments are underway in the MSP.
- 4 Q. How are these Situs Programs reflected in the NPC forecast?
- 5 A. Situs resources are not included in the modeling of forecast NPC except for certain
- 6 Utah Schedule 34 resources which are accompanied by new load.

7 X. SUMMARY OF COMPANY COAL COSTS

- 8 Q. How does the Company plan to meet fuel supplies for its coal-fired plants in 2024?
- 9 A. The Company employs a diversified coal supply strategy, with percent of its 2024
- 10 coal requirements supplied by third-party coal supplies and percent with coal from
- its captive affiliate mines. The third-party contracts consist of fixed-price and variable-
- priced contracts. Coal amounts in my testimony are shown on a total-Company basis.
- 13 Q. Please generally describe the coal supply arrangements across the Company's
- coal-fired plants for 2024.
- 15 A. The following Confidential Table 4 summarizes the coal supply arrangements and costs
- for 2024 in comparison to the 2020 GRC:



- 1 Q. Please describe the changes in the Company's coal costs for 2024.
- A. As discussed earlier in my testimony, increased regional natural gas fuel prices, the corresponding increase in *regional* coal generation observed now, and the associated increased competition for regional coal supply has contributed to an increase in coal fuel prices. In addition, higher than average inflation has impacted many of the coal supply agreements that are subject to market-based price adjustments. Due to these and other factors, coal costs for 2024 have increased to \$632 million. This represents an increase of \$46 million or 8 percent relative to the 2020 GRC.

XI. NPC RECOVERY

- 10 Q. What is the purpose of this section of your testimony?
- 11 A. In this section of my testimony, I explain the Company's proposal to eliminate the ECAM sharing band.
- 13 Q. How is this section organized?

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A. First, I provide an overview of the current ECAM with a focus on the sharing band and present the Company's proposal to eliminate the sharing band considering developments since the last 2020 GRC, including the Company's upcoming participation in the Extended Day Ahead Market ("EDAM") and the challenges of accurately forecasting NPC.

Second, I explain what the EDAM is and discuss how the Company's participation in the EDAM, an ISO-type organized market, warrants the elimination of the ECAM sharing band. Specifically, I present the benefits of the EDAM and discuss how the cost control objective of the ECAM sharing band is simultaneously achieved and no longer relevant as a direct consequence of EDAM participation.

Third, I address how the evolving energy industry's landscape makes it near impossible to model forecasted NPC accurately. The drivers of this diminished model accuracy are shown to be ongoing and recent increases in region-wide adoption of weather dependent generation and the associated impacts to the prices observed in the regional forward power markets. Additional discussion on the asymmetry in the region-wide supply stack that results from weather dependent generation provides further support for continued expectations of diminished model accuracy.

Fourth, in support of the conclusions I reach regarding modeling accuracy, I demonstrate how the accuracy of the regional forward market prices that support the NPC forecast model has deteriorated over time since the 2020 GRC. I explain that NPC variances can be negative or positive and the associated degradation in modeling accuracy can result in either substantial over-recovery or substantial under-recovery.

Finally, I discuss how the as-designed objectives of the ECAM sharing band are either being achieved absent the sharing band or unachievable with or without the sharing band.

Overview of the ECAM and the Company's ECAM Proposal

Q. Please describe Wyoming's ECAM.

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The ECAM is a rate making mechanism, filed on an annual basis, through which the Company returns to or recovers from customers the difference between Wyoming-allocated actual NPC that occur during the prior calendar year and the base (forecast) NPC that are approved by the Commission in a general rate case. The ECAM also includes return or recovery of certain other non-NPC items that were approved by the

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2	negative) between actual NPC and the forecast NPC embedded in rates are subject to a
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A. A majority of the ECAM items are subject to a symmetrical sharing band where the Company returns to or recovers from customers 80 percent of the difference between actual and forecast ECAM costs, and the remaining 20 percent of the difference is retained or absorbed by the Company ("80/20 sharing band"). However, in the 2020 GRC the Commission approved including PTCs in the ECAM that are not subject to the sharing band and are returned to customers at 100 percent of their value.¹⁰

In the 2022 ECAM,¹¹ actual NPC accounted for 98 percent of all actual costs subject to the sharing band and consequently serves as the focus of this discussion.

13 Q. What change is the Company proposing to the ECAM?

14 A. The Company proposes to eliminate the ECAM 80/20 sharing band to allow for 100 percent return to or recovery from customers for the mechanism's revenues or costs.

⁹ See PSC No. 17, Rocky Mountain Power Schedule 95, Energy Cost Adjustment Mechanism, available at https://www.rockymountainpower.net/content/dam/pcorp/documents/en/rockymountainpower/rates-regulation/wyoming/rates/095_Energy_Cost_Adjustment_Mechanism.pdf; See also, Docket No. 20000-469-ER-15 (Record No. 14076). Memorandum Opinion_Findings of Fact_Decision and Order (Dec. 30, 2015). The

^{15 (}Record No. 14076). Memorandum Opinion, Findings of Fact, Decision and Order (Dec. 30, 2015). The Commission approved the inclusion of chemical costs and coal generation start-up fuel costs since they are closely related to NPC.

¹⁰ See, Docket No. 20000-578-ER-20 (Record No. 15464), Memorandum Opinion, Findings and Order (July 15, 2021). The Commission approved a change to the sharing band and the inclusion of production tax credits that are not subject to the sharing band.

¹¹ For Calendar Year 2021, Docket No. 20000-617-EM-22 (Record No. 17037).

1 Q. What was the purpose of the ECAM sharing band?

2 When the ECAM was implemented in 2010, the Commission concluded that the A. 3 "ECAM should be structured to provide incentives to the Company for four purposes: 4 [i] to use the existing forecasting mechanisms; [ii] to encourage the accuracy of 5 modeling supporting the forecasts; [iii] to avoid creating commercial disadvantage to 6 roughly 70 percent of RMP's load in Wyoming, which would ultimately be detrimental 7 to all Wyoming customers; and [iv] to encourage the Company to use its best efforts to control costs."12 To accomplish these objectives, the ECAM was structured with a 8 9 sharing band.

10 Q. When did the Commission last adjust the ECAM sharing band?

- 11 A. The Commission last adjusted the ECAM sharing band in the 2020 GRC¹³ moving it 12 from 70/30 to 80/20.
- Q. What changes have taken place since the 2020 GRC to support eliminating thesharing band?
- 15 A. Since the 2020 GRC there have been two major changes: The first change is that in
 16 December 2022, the Company announced its intention to join the EDAM, ¹⁴ which will
 17 create efficiencies that reduce NPC. As explained in more detail below, once the EDAM
 18 is operational in 2025 the Company will no longer control the economic dispatch of its
 19 resources, which means a majority of NPC will no longer be under the Company's
 20 direct control.

¹² See Docket No. 20000-368-EA-10 (Record No. 12477), Memorandum Opinion, Findings and Order (Feb. 4, 2011).

¹³ See Docket No. 20000-578-ER-20 (Record No. 15464), Memorandum Opinion, Findings and Order (July 15, 2021).

¹⁴ PacifiCorp to build on success of real-time energy market innovation as first to sign on to new Western dayahead market (Dec. 8, 2022), News Release, available at https://www.pacificorp.com/about/newsroom/newsreleases/EDAM-innovative-efforts.html.

Second, the accuracy of modeling underlying the NPC forecasts continues to exhibit a substantive trend of deterioration despite the ECAM intended incentive to encourage the accuracy of modeling. This deterioration results from an increase in the inaccuracy of regional forward market price expectations.

The Extended Day Ahead Market

6 Q. What is the EDAM?

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A. The EDAM is an initiative by the California Independent System Operator ("CAISO") to extend participation of a developed organized day-ahead, hour-ahead and intra-hour market to the region. The EDAM will provide economically optimal and least-cost, resource schedules, startup/shutdown instructions, and other core functions integral to organized markets across the footprints of ISOs and regional transmission organizations.

Q. What are the benefits to customers of EDAM Participation?

Customers will see lower actual NPC resulting from EDAM participation with preliminary analysis suggesting that annual NPC across the EDAM footprint may decrease by approximately \$543 million. Through the EDAM, the Company's generation units will be optimally scheduled and dispatched using the CAISO's state of the art unit commitment and economic dispatch models. Additionally, the EDAM's automated, expanded footprint and optimized dispatch will replace the Company's isolated dispatch within its two balancing authority areas. Participation in the EDAM will benefit customers by reducing NPC through more efficient and economic dispatch, inter-regional transfers (i.e., exports and imports between EDAM participants), GHG

¹⁵ CAISO EDAM Benefits Study, CALIFORNIA ISO (Nov. 4, 2022), available at http://www.caiso.com/Documents/Presentation-CAISO-Extended-Day-Ahead-Market-Benefits-Study.pdf.

revenue, and reduced reserve requirements, with relatively low ongoing operation costs, very similar to the benefits of the Energy Imbalance Market ("EIM") but larger in scope.

4 Q. How is the EDAM related to the EIM?

Whereas the EIM is the extension of an organized, intra-hour market to the region by
the CAISO, the EDAM is similar in concept but larger in scope and applies to the dayahead, hour-ahead and intra-hour timeframes (i.e., EIM participation is required for
EDAM participation and therefore the EDAM replaces the EIM). The combination of
the EDAM and the EIM create a complete organized market.

10 Q. How, specifically, is the EDAM larger in scope than the EIM?

A. The EIM is an intra-hour market that dispatches a portion of the Company's total generation and executes market transactions to maintain intra-hour supply-demand balance.

The EDAM is a day-ahead, hour-ahead and intra-hour market (a complete organized market) that will dispatch the entirety of the Company's total generation on a day-ahead basis, and again on an hour-ahead basis, and again intra-hour, while executing market transactions to maintain supply-demand balance across all three timeframes (day-ahead, hour-ahead and intra-hour).

Q. How have customers benefited from the EIM since the Company's participation in 2014?

A. Since the inception of the EIM, the Company's customers have enjoyed savings of and reduction to NPC of \$591 million. Initial estimates show that participation in the

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¹⁶ Western Energy Imbalance Market Benefits as of 1/1/2023, CALIFORNIA ISO, available at https://www.westerneim.com/Pages/About/QuarterlyBenefits.aspx.

EDAM will provide even greater benefits. However, participating in the EDAM also allows an ISO to economically control and optimize a larger portion of the system.

- Q. How does operation in the EIM currently affect the Company's economic control of NPC?
- 5 A. Without consideration of hedging transactions or long-term power/fuel contracts, 6 through participation in the EIM, the Company still retains economic control over a 7 majority of NPC. Although the EIM provides more economically efficient intra-hour 8 dispatch, only a portion of the Company's total generation output and market 9 transactions are optimized by the EIM. This is because intra-hour dispatch responds 10 only to intra-hour changes in the net load (load less wind less solar) profile and these 11 intra-hour changes in the net load profile are only an increment to the day-ahead and 12 hour-ahead timeframes which, absent the EDAM, are economically controlled and 13 optimized by the Company.
 - Q. Once the EDAM is operational, how will EDAM operation affect the Company's economic control over NPC?
- 16 A. The EDAM will economically control and optimize most of the day-ahead, hour-ahead
 17 and intra-hour Company generation and market transactions. This is a majority of NPC
 18 (without consideration of hedging transactions or long-term power/fuel contracts)
 19 because transactions before the day-ahead timeframe are mostly hedging transactions
 20 along with resource sufficiency transactions¹⁷ and reliability-related activities.¹⁸

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¹⁷ Bilateral transactions required to demonstrate resource adequacy in the day-ahead timeframe.

¹⁸ An example would be responding to unplanned outages/derates and scheduling planned outages/derates.

1	Q.	Why are hedges or long-term contracts not considered in assessing the scope of
2		the EDAM?

- A. Hedging transactions and associated costs are designed to limit the risks and variability associated with market exposure and provide rate stability; they are not economic optimization transactions. Long-term contracts are typically either qualifying facilities and their associated generation (which the Company must purchase), purchased power agreements (which are few in number and easily accessible for prudency review), or coal supply agreements (which are tabulated above in my testimony).
- Q. Given the Company's decision to participate in the EDAM, what does this mean
 for the Company's ability and incentivization to lower NPC?
- 11 A. As a result of the decision to participate in the EDAM, the economic operations of the
 12 Company's system on a day-ahead, hour-ahead and intra-hour basis will be managed
 13 by an ISO whose mandate is to leverage state of the art optimization software to
 14 minimize power costs for all market participants. Under this paradigm, the majority of
 15 the Company's NPC will be driven as low as the EDAM can achieve and,
 16 simultaneously, out of the Company's control.
- One of the Commission's stated objectives for the ECAM is to encourage the
 Company to use its best efforts to control costs. With participation in the EDAM,
 do you believe the Company would meet this objective without the sharing band?

 Yes. When the Commission rendered its decision in the original ECAM and established a sharing band, the Company did not participate in an ISO-type organized market. With participation in the EDAM, the majority of NPC will no longer be under the Company's

direct economic control but will instead be optimized by the ISO using state of the art

optimization software to minimize NPC. Accordingly, the Company will control costs by participating in the EDAM, not by minimizing costs through the day-ahead, hourahead, and intra-hour transactions that the Company controlled when the ECAM was created. In other words, when the economic control of NPC is simultaneously taken out of the Company's hands and guaranteed, by an independent third-party, to be as low as modern optimization techniques can achieve, there are very few cost controls left for the ECAM sharing band to incentivize.

Q. What are the implications to cost recovery from participation in a complete organized market?

In and of itself, participation in a complete organized market, overseen by an independent third-party operator and monitored for efficiency by an independent market monitoring agency, merits 100 percent recovery of NPC because the market structure itself guarantees lower actual NPC through independent, automated, least-cost commitment and dispatch of the Company's system in the day-ahead, hour ahead and intra-hour timeframes.

Supplemental and concurrent to this fact, is the ever-growing difficulty of the Company to accurately forecast NPC based on shifting regional dynamics as discussed in the following sub-section.

Modeling Accuracy

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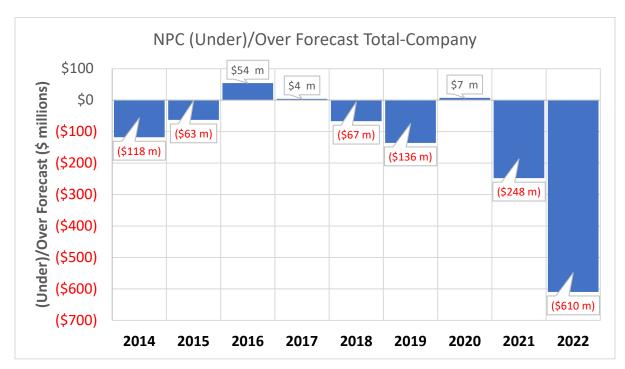
Q. How has the Company's forecast NPC compared to actual NPC in recent years?

A. Figure 4¹⁹ below is a comparison of forecast (base) Wyoming NPC to actual NPC at the total-Company level and demonstrates that there has been substantial exacerbation

¹⁹ The 2022 variance is a comparison between unadjusted (as opposed to adjusted) actual NPC and base NPC. All other variances are total-Company variances from direct ECAM filings.

of NPC variance in recent years. Negative numbers in Figure 4 indicate that actual NPC were greater than forecast NPC.

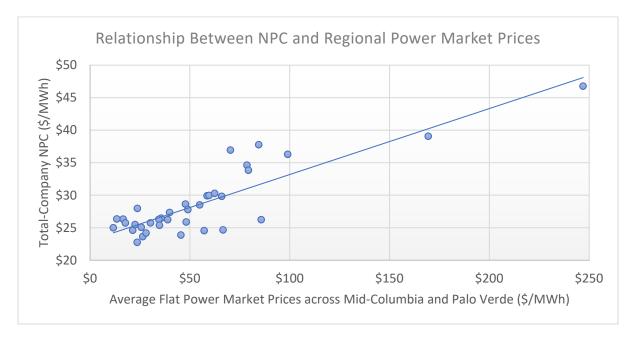
Figure 4



- Q. One of the Commission's stated objectives for the ECAM is to encourage the accuracy of modeling supporting the forecasts. Why has the NPC forecast accuracy not improved over time?
- A. NPC forecasts are less accurate, in part, because regional forward power market price forecasts in the western interconnection have become less accurate, which is particularly problematic given that NPC forecasts rely on regional market price forecasts that are often developed one to two years before rates are effective (for example, the NPC forecast in this case was based on forward prices from December 2022; by the end of the 2024 test period, the forward price forecast will be two years old). In prior decades, these forecasts were *relatively* stable, but, in recent years these

- forecasts have become less accurate, as I describe in more detail below and as indicated in Figure 4 above.
- 3 Q. What is the relationship between NPC and regional power market prices?
- 4 A. NPC are driven by and are proportionate to regional power market prices as reillustrated below in Figure 5.

6 Figure 5



7 Q. How are regional power market price forecasts developed?

A. Regional power market price forecasts for one to three years out (the prices used in the official forward price curve) are actual market prices in the actual forward power markets within the western interconnection. These prices are not created by the Company but are determined by the aggregate trading activity of all regional market participants.

Q. What is the western interconnection?

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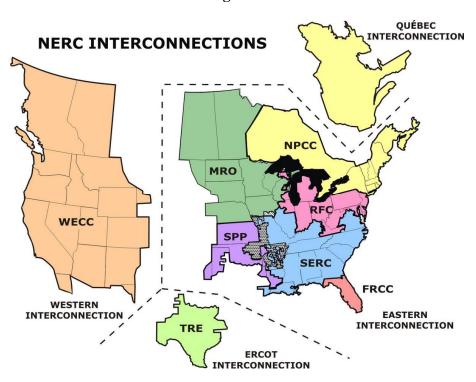
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A. Please refer to Figure 6 below. The western interconnection is the geographic area containing the synchronously operated electric grid in the western part of North

America, which includes parts of Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, South Dakota, Texas, Wyoming and Mexico and all of Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington and the Canadian provinces of British Columbia and Alberta.²⁰

Regional power market prices are based on the supply and demand across the entirety of the western interconnection, subject to transmission limitations. Other interconnections play a limited to negligible role in regional power market prices given the limited transmission connectivity between interconnections.





²⁰ The Western US Power System, Transmission Agency of Northern California (accessed Feb. 23, 2023), https://www.tanc.us/understanding-transmission/the-western-us-power-system/.

Q. Why have regional power market price forecasts in the western interconnection become less accurate in recent years?

The resource mix across the western interconnection has evolved from one dominated by controllable thermal generation to one dominated by intermittent weather-dependent generation. Specifically, coal and gas generation facilities are being retired and replaced with solar and wind generation facilities. Figure 7 below illustrates this year-over-year change in the western interconnection's resource mix.

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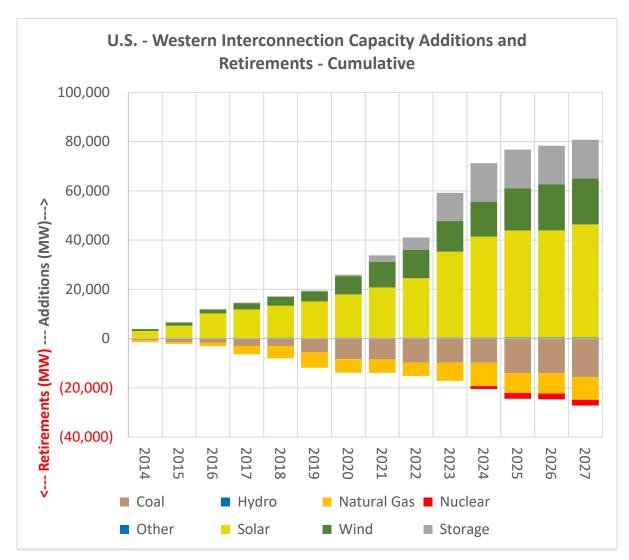
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1	Q.	Are these resource mix changes in the western interconnection a consequence of,
2		or driven by, the Company's decisions?

A. No. The Company's portfolio of wind and solar resources is only approximately
four percent of the total wind and solar capacity across the western interconnection.

Had the Company not installed a single megawatt of wind or solar generation, the NPC
forecast would still be driven by market prices and, therefore, still suffer from
difficulties in forecast accuracy resulting from the region-wide adoption of these
weather dependent resources.

Q. Why has the change in resource mix within the western interconnection decreased NPC forecast accuracy?

Current forecasting techniques are incapable of accurately predicting the weather one to two years out into the future. For example, the wind speeds across the western interconnection during the month of February in 2024 are impossible to predict with any reasonable degree of accuracy on the day that this testimony was filed in March of 2023.²¹ Using the Pacific Northwest as an example, wind generation changes are correlated with regional power market price changes and consequently, any material variance in wind generation from forecast to actual corresponds to a material variance in regional power market prices, from forecast to actual.

Consequently, as the resource mix in the western interconnection becomes more dominated by generation that is dependent on wind speed and solar irradiance (sunshine), the regional power market price expectations for one to two years out become less accurate. As previously illustrated in Figure 5 above, any material change

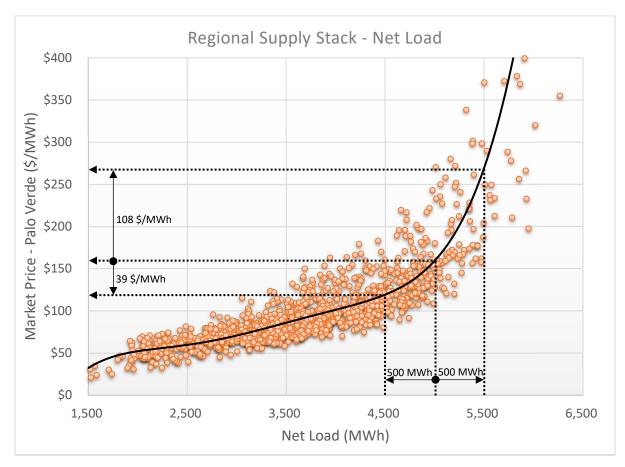
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²¹ Across an annual period, average wind speed forecasts are borderline reasonably accurate. At more detailed levels of granularity, for example monthly or hourly, these forecasts do not exhibit reasonable levels of accuracy.

1		in the regional market prices corresponds to a proportionate and material change in
2		NPC and the associated NPC forecast accuracy (variance).
3	Q.	Is it expected that these errors in the NPC forecast will cancel out over time and
4		produce accuracy in the long run?
5	A.	Unfortunately, not. There is an asymmetry in the response of market prices to changes
6		in regional generation or load. As an illustrative example, Figure 8 below depicts a
7		proxy supply curve (with inelastic demand) based on actual load, wind, and solar data
8		within the region during the summer of 2022, scaled to Rocky Mountain Power load.
9		In this illustrative example, because of the asymmetry of regional market price
10		response, a 500 MWh increase in net load (load less wind less solar) results in a
11		\$108/MWh increase in market price whereas an identical 500 MWh decrease in ne
12		load results in only a \$39/MWh decrease to market price.

Figure 8



What are the immediate consequences to NPC of this asymmetry in the response of market prices to changes in regional generation or load?

As previously illustrated in Figure 5 above, because NPC move in proportion to regional market prices, and continuing with the illustrative example provided above, we observe that an unexpected increase in net load will increase NPC by an amount far greater than the decrease in NPC observed because of an identical and opposite unexpected decrease in net load.

This asymmetrical response biases the NPC forecast persistently downwards such that any attempt to accurately model, and not over-forecast, will probabilistically

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- result in actual NPC being greater than forecast NPC and consequently, persistent under-recovery of NPC through the sharing band as evidenced in 2021 and 2022.
- Apart from persistent under-recovery, what are the long-term implications to

 NPC of this asymmetry in the response of market prices to changes in regional

 generation or load?
- As weather dependent generation continues to proliferate throughout the region as illustrated above in Figure 7, the one to two years out regional generation forecasts and the associated regional market price forecasts will become less accurate. This, in turn, will factually and substantially increase the difficulty of creating accurate NPC forecasts.
- 11 Q. Although regional proliferation of weather dependent generation results in less
 12 accurate price forecasts and correspondingly less accurate NPC forecasts; does
 13 this weather-dependent generation lower the Company's NPC?
- 14 A. Yes. Since calendar year 2020 the Company has repowered existing wind facilities,²²
 15 gained ownership of new wind facilities²³ and built new transmission lines,²⁴ all of
 16 which are operational in the test period. Without these new wind resources and the
 17 associated transmission lines to move the generation to load, the 2024 NPC forecast
 18 would be \$343 million higher on a total-Company basis, approximately \$47 million on
 19 a Wyoming-allocated basis.

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²² Dunlap, Foote Creek I, Glenrock II, Goodnoe Hills, High Plains, Leaning Juniper, Marengo I, Marengo II, McFadden Ridge, Rolling Hills, Seven Mile Hill I, Seven Mile Hill II.

²³ Cedar Springs II, Ekola Flats, Foote Creek II, Foote Creek III, Foote Creek IV, Pryor Mountain, Rock Creek 1, Rock River 1, TB Flats I, TB Flats II.

²⁴ Gateway West Segment D.2, Gateway South.

An Uncertain and Dynamic Future

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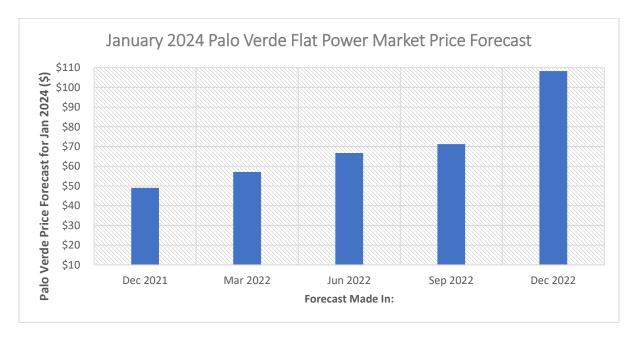
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Q. How has the uncertainty (unreliability) of regional power market price forecastsmanifested?

Using January 2024 as an example, regional power market price forecasts demonstrate unreliability through an examination of the quarter-over-quarter forecasts of average power market prices at Palo Verde for the month of January 2024. The illustration in Figure 9 below starts with the prices taken from real broker quotes on December 31, 2021 and ends with the quotes taken in December 30, 2022.

9 Figure 9



10 Q. What does Figure 9 show?

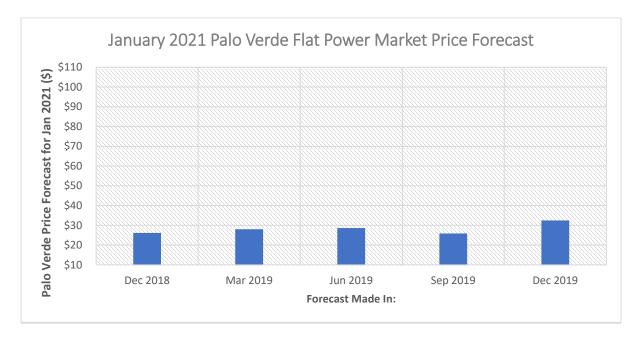
A. Figure 9 above makes clear the fact that the price expectations for January 2024 increased every quarter by a substantial amount. Were this NPC forecast created prior to December 31, 2022, the NPC would look markedly different, and substantially lower than the current forecast. This scenario of under-forecast exacerbates as one goes

backward in time. It is near impossible to determine with any reasonable degree of accuracy what the January 2024 price will actually be in January of 2024.

3 Q. How does this price forecast of January 2024 compare to January 2021?

A. Figure 10 below illustrates similar quarter-over-quarter forecasts for the month of
January 2021. It starts with the prices taken from real broker quotes on December 31,
2018 and ends with the quotes taken in December 30, 2019. Figure 10 below is scaled
identically to Figure 9 above and illustrates that during calendar year 2019, the price
expectations for January 2021 were relatively stable. Comparing Figure 10 against
Figure 9 demonstrates the factual increase in the unreliability of regional market price
forecasts between the 2020 GRC and this filing.

11 **Figure 10**



- Q. Forward (future) market prices have become near impossible to determine with any reasonable degree of accuracy. How does this impact the NPC forecast?
- 14 A. In an identical fashion. The NPC forecast has become near impossible to calculate with
 15 any reasonable degree of accuracy, in either direction.

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2 A. Regional forward power market prices do not trend upwards indefinitely. The historical 3 data, as illustrated above in Figure 4, shows a recent trend of substantial and 4 unprecedented under-forecast of NPC. However, the opposite trend is probable. At 5 some point, a re-creation of Figure 9 above may show quarter-over-quarter decreases 6 by equally substantial amounts and these decreases will be un-precedentially 7 unfavorable to Wyoming customers under the ECAM sharing band. Essentially, as 8 market prices drop, the higher forecast will result in 20 percent of that benefit being 9 retained by the Company instead of flowing to customers.

Q. What other factors exacerbate the unreliability of future market prices?

The conflict in Ukraine has impacted regional forward natural gas market prices and it is uncertain as to how long either the conflict or the repercussions from the conflict will persist. Additionally, there has been an uptick in unpredictable and extreme weather events and market participants hold expectations of a continuation of these unpredictable events which place a premium on regional forward power market prices.

Q. How has the conflict in Ukraine impacted regional natural gas fuel prices?

The conflict in Ukraine has decreased European availability of natural gas, previously sourced from Russian imports. With decreased European supply, the associated European demand has turned to U.S. domestic supply to fill the gap and the increased competition over domestic supply has driven regional natural gas fuel prices upwards with increases in domestic production unable to keep pace with the increased demand. This increase in natural gas fuel prices correspondingly increases regional natural gas

1 market prices and regional power market prices, in that order. It is uncertain as to how 2 long, and in what direction, these factors will continue to impact regional prices.

Q. How have extreme weather events impacted regional power market prices?

A. A long-term drought, dating back to the 2019-2020 winter, continues across parts of
the Pacific Northwest²⁵ and the consequent decrease in expected hydroelectric
generation diminishes the expected regional energy supply.

Furthermore, calendar years 2020, 2021 and 2022 have seen an increase in abnormal/extreme weather events that have resulted in higher-than-expected load during stressed system conditions, and this trend has set expectations amongst market participants for similar conditions in 2024. Therefore, many utilities across the region have revised their expectations of load profiles upwards, which limits excess supply offered into the regional power markets.

Although market participants hold expectations of a continuation of unpredictable weather events, these events are by definition uncertain and may or may not materialize on time, or at all. Consequently, the actual 2024 power market prices are equally uncertain.

Q. What other uncertain elements in this dynamically evolving industry landscape are of substantial impact to NPC?

The expansion and revision of the EPA's Cross-State Air Pollution Rule on NO_x emissions limits (also referred to as the OTR) that was announced in draft rules issued in 2022 is an on-going uncertainty. As discussed in more detail in the testimony of Ms. Steward, based on the EPA's publications to date it is unclear whether or not Wyoming

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²⁵ U.S. Drought Monitor, supra note 1.

- NO_x emissions will be subject to OTR limits in 2024 and beyond. The Company's current modeling assumption is based on the clear initial guidance from the EPA and Wyoming is assumed subject to OTR NO_x emissions limits in 2024.
- 4 Q. What are the implications to NPC?
- 5 A. As described in detail further above in my testimony, the inclusion or exclusion of Wyoming within the OTR impacts NPC by \$118 million.
- 7 Q. What are the ECAM sharing band implications of this NPC impact?
- A. Since the Company's current modeling assumption is that Wyoming is subject to the
 OTR in 2024, if clear guidance is not provided by the EPA (and potentially the courts),
 Wyoming customers may be subject to an over-collection (i.e., the Company may overrecover NPC). Furthermore, even if the EPA continues with its initial guidance and
 subjects Wyoming to the OTR in 2024, the decision can be reversed in future years,
 again exposing Wyoming customers to an over-collection.
- Q. Will resolution on the OTR issue resolve the potential harm to Wyoming customers?
- 16 A. No. As various federal and state entities continue to advance GHG reduction goals,
 17 these types of emission reduction policies will likely become more common, appear at
 18 greater frequency and be subject to substantial uncertainty. This uncertainty cuts both
 19 ways and can result in substantial over-recovery or under-recovery of NPC. When the
 20 Commission rendered its decision in the original ECAM, this dynamic of uncertain and
 21 ambitious federal and state environmental compliance requirements had not yet come
 22 to pass and the ECAM sharing band was designed under that paradigm.

Now, in this uncertain and dynamic industry landscape, the accuracy of modeling supporting the forecasts is further challenged and Wyoming customers are exposed to rates based on policies which may be both transient in nature and of substantial impact to NPC. This further argues for Wyoming customers to pay 100 percent of prudently incurred actual NPC, no more and no less, by allowing the Company to return to customers NPC that were over-recovered or recover from customers NPC that were under-recovered.

The ECAM Incentives and the Company's Proposal

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- Q. Under the restrictions of the ECAM sharing band and the current and future state of the western interconnection, what steps can be taken to achieve equitable outcomes for both customers and the Company?
 - The concept of an equitable outcome where the Company has the opportunity to recover all prudently incurred NPC without systemic disadvantage to either customers or the Company could be achieved through any combination of three methods two of which are in direct contradiction to the as-designed incentives of the ECAM and prudent utility practice: 1) Abstain from joining the EDAM and exit the EIM, thereby regaining some measure of control over the accuracy of NPC modeling and forecasting; 2) Artificially engineer the NPC forecast with an upward bias to account for the expectation of under-recovery; or 3) Eliminate the sharing band.

Although the first two methods listed above may increase the accuracy of the NPC forecast and assist in attaining equitable outcomes, the first would raise actual NPC and the second is the result of an inappropriate ECAM sharing band incentive and

- 1 is not good utility practice in any forecasting arena. The third step is at the sole 2 discretion of the Commission.
- 3 Q. Which incentive is being achieved without the application of the ECAM sharing 4 band?
- "[T]o encourage the Company to use its best efforts to control costs." Through the 5 A. 6 upcoming EDAM participation along with the multiple, powerful incentives to keep 7 energy costs low—including electric industry transformation, increased competition, 8 and regulatory disallowances—the Company has employed best efforts to control costs 9 to the point where the economic control of the majority of NPC will no longer be under 10 the purview of the Company, but instead, an independent system operator.
- 11 Q. Which ECAM sharing band incentive is no longer achievable under the current 12 and future energy landscape?
- "[T]o encourage the accuracy of modeling supporting the forecasts."²⁷ Ongoing and 13 A. 14 irreversible changes in the resource mix across the western interconnection which result 15 in less accurate regional forward market prices has made it near impossible for the 16 Company to achieve accuracy of modeling to support the forecasts.
- 17 Q. Which incentive has always been and will continue to be achieved even if the 18 ECAM sharing band is eliminated?
- 19 A. "[T]o avoid creating commercial disadvantage to roughly 70 percent of RMP's load in 20 Wyoming, which would ultimately be detrimental to all Wyoming customers."²⁸ 21 Wyoming customers will pay 100 percent of prudently incurred actual NPC, lowered

²⁸ *Id*.

²⁶ See, Docket No. 20000-368-EA-10 (Record No. 12477), Memorandum Opinion, Findings and Order (Feb. 4, 2011). ²⁷ *Id*.

by EDAM participation, no more and no less. Parties will also be able to effectively review each year's ECAM application to determine if the costs being requested were prudent and in the public interest. The proposed ECAM sharing band elimination will not place Wyoming customers at a disadvantage but will instead allow the Company to return to customers NPC that were over-recovered or recover from customers NPC that were under-recovered.

- 7 Q. Which ECAM sharing band incentive appears to be no longer relevant to NPC?
- A. "[T]o use the existing forecasting mechanisms."²⁹ Since the proposed test period matches the rate effective period, the pre-existing forecasting mechanisms that underpinned the design of the ECAM are no longer relevant and as a consequence, it appears that this ECAM incentive is no longer relevant.
- Q. Of the four ECAM sharing band incentives, since one is achieved absent the ECAM, one is no longer achievable, one has been and will continue to be achieved, and one appears to be no longer relevant, what is the Company's proposal?
- 15 A. The Company proposes to eliminate the ECAM sharing band to allow for 100 percent 16 return or recovery of the mechanism's revenues or costs to or from customers.
- Q. Does the elimination of the ECAM sharing band have the potential to benefit customers?
- 19 A. Yes. Considering the increasing inaccuracy of regional forward market prices it is 20 conceivable and probable, as previously mentioned, that there will be years in which 21 the NPC forecast is substantially higher than the actual NPC, resulting in an *over*-

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²⁹ *Id*.

recovery of NPC. Under this scenario, all over-recovered costs would flow back to customers and eliminate their exposure to this downside risk.

Q. Does the elimination of the ECAM sharing band imply a prudence review that is monumental in scope?

No. With participation in an organized market, the quantity of transactions to review are less numerous because the majority of NPC transactions and decisions will be automated under the purview of an independent system operator. The remaining NPC transactions relevant for prudency reviews become smaller by magnitudes and therefore manageable instead of monumental.

XII. CONCLUSION

Please summarize your direct testimony.

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The Company's NPC as modeled in the test period in this case have increased by \$1.122 billion on a total-Company basis, approximately 78 percent, since the 2020 GRC. This increase is driven by: 1) the bias towards under-recovery that resulted in a NPC forecast in the 2020 GRC that was too low; 2) increases in purchased power and decreases in wholesale sales revenue that offset a reduction in generation due to the OTR, the WA-GHG program, the gas conversion of Jim Bridger units 1 and 2, increased regulation reserve requirements and the expectation of lower hydroelectric generation; and 3) the increase is offset by the Gateway South transmission project.

The upcoming participation in a complete organized market (EDAM) allows for an independent system operator to have economic control over day-ahead, hourahead and intra-hour generation commitment/dispatch and market transactions. This in turn allows for the majority of NPC to be as low as modern optimization techniques

allow for, while simultaneously removing the ability of the Company to control	that
same majority.	

Furthermore, as wind, solar and other weather dependent resources proliferate across the region, from Canada to Mexico, it is near impossible to accurately forecast NPC a year or more in advance and furthermore, customers bear an increased risk of over-collection as the NPC forecast is exposed to substantial uncertainty resulting from the electric industry being in the midst of permanent and unprecedented change.

8 Q. Please summarize your recommendation to the Commission.

- 9 A. I recommend that the Commission adopt the proposed base NPC for the test period of \$2.553 billion on a total-company basis and \$360.3 million on a Wyoming-allocated basis.
- I also recommend the Commission approve modifications to the design of the ECAM to remove the sharing band.

14 Q. Does this conclude your direct testimony?

15 A. Yes.

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AFFIDAVIT, OATH AND VERIFICATION

Ramon Mitchell (Affiant) being of lawful age and being first duly sworn, hereby deposes and says that:

Affiant is the Manager, Net Power Costs for PacifiCorp, which is a party in this matter.

Affiant prepared and caused to be filed the foregoing testimony. Affiant has, by all necessary action, been duly authorized to file this testimony and make this Oath and Verification.

Affiant hereby verifies that, based on Affiant's knowledge, all statements and information contained within the testimony and all of its associated attachments are true and complete and constitute the recommendations of the Affiant in his official capacity as Manager, Net Power Costs.

Further Affiant Sayeth Not.

Dated this 27 day of telegrage, 2023

Ramon Mitchell

Manager, Net Power Costs

STATE OF (NGO) COUNTY OF MULTINAMA

The foregoing was acknowledged before me by Ramon Mitchell on this 27 day of

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Cedar Springs Wind III		8,939,587 \$	1,025,293 \$	\$63,560 \$	784,236 \$	772,111 \$	631,271 \$	565,347 \$	564,366 \$	445,199 \$	628,829	\$ 828,668 \$	811,823 \$	1,018,881
Cedar Springs Wind IV	€9	43,667 \$	ن	٠	'	'	'	٠	٠	'	'	- '	'	43,667
Combine Hills Wind		٠	ن	٠	'	'	'	٠	•	'	'	-	'	
Cove Mountain Solar		3,824,831 \$	183,114 \$	199,253 \$	335,342 \$	365,062 \$	420,185 \$	451,894 \$	438,350 \$	414,770 \$	355,679	\$ 286,322 \$	205,725 \$	169,135
Cove Mountain Solar II	7 ⁶ 6 \$			492,928 \$	829,598 \$	903,121			1,084,426 \$		806'628		\$ 860'909	416,084
Deseret Purchase		27,684,996 \$	3,228,408 \$	3,092,614 \$	3,010,571 \$	2,973,793 \$	3,009,156 \$	2,719,178 \$	3,228,408 \$	3,228,408 \$	3,194,459	-	'	
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Elektron Solar 20yr	69	1	1	'	'	'	'	'	'	'	'	5	'	'
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Gemstate	69	'	1	'	'	'	'	'	'	'	'	'	'	'
Graphite Solar		6,247,480 \$	311,883 \$	365,922 \$	\$ 227,963 \$	612,332 \$	\$ 777 \$	704,723 \$	687,351 \$	642,989 \$	576,256	\$ 480,478 \$	355,140 \$	265,665
Hermiston Purchase		-	'	5	-		'	'	'	'	'	'	'	
Horseshoe Solar		5,332,320 \$	233,718 \$	\$ 605'008	437,779 \$	495,804 \$	591,109 \$	654,482 \$	643,280 \$	609,542 \$	507,018	\$ 407,367 \$	251,783 \$	199,930
Hunter Solar		7,031,207 \$	369,331 \$	433,652 \$	\$ 998'289	665,722 \$	759,120 \$	785,546 \$	746,797 \$	702,015 \$	654,578	\$ 558,601 \$	396,190 \$	321,788
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Milican Solar		2,898,880 \$	95,313 \$	150,647 \$	222,859 \$		332,937 \$	362,395 \$	408,109 \$		290,222	\$ 190,032 \$	121,715 \$	83,523
Milford Solar				-	\rightarrow			821,177 \$			656,707	-	-	303,612
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Long Term Firm Purchases Total	\$ 202.3	202.367,458 \$	17.319.045 \$	16.243.105 \$	17,609,552 \$	17.116.603 \$	16 858 070 \$	17 005 296 \$	17 988 702 \$	17 525 760 \$	17 696 411 \$	15 810 926 \$	4E EOO 7EA	4E 600 000
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QF California	€9	1,658,369 \$		141,402 \$	153,489 \$	154,589 \$	-	131,654 \$	132,928 \$	131,618	127,262 \$	132,956 \$	139,460 \$	136,519
QF Idaho	₩	-	250,055	\$ 21,178 \$	\$ 620,029 \$	634,937 \$	720,838 \$	711,597	626,253 \$	-	493,745 \$	-	531,787 \$	536,048
QF Oregon	69	38,355,763 \$	1,921,262 \$	2,312,674 \$	3,119,183 \$	4,024,168 \$	4,270,174 \$	4,352,342	4,565,124 \$	4,102,556 \$	3,413,575 \$	2,651,709 \$	1,946,296 \$	1,676,698
QF Utah	69	6,814,556 \$	400,464 \$	458,756 \$	537,735 \$	647,822 \$	710,670 \$	730,764 \$	\$ 063,990	669,527 \$	658,260 \$	568,747 \$	428,130 \$	339,690
QF Washington	69	595,442 \$	5,111 \$	10,028 \$	16,495 \$	31,298 \$	61,974 \$	118,753 \$	133,374 \$	117,176 \$	75,316 \$	15,663 \$	5,880	4,373
QF Wyoming	69	78,034 \$	9,487	7,388 \$	9,072 \$	7,728 \$	7,134 \$	2,863 \$	4,347 \$	4,859 \$	\$ 809'9	6,298	2,080 \$	5,169
Biomass One QF	69	18,597,518 \$	1,467,149 \$	1,682,299 \$	1,801,148 \$	1,760,367 \$	1,478,176 \$	1,902,739	1,373,031 \$	1,795,085 \$	1,379,180 \$	1,774,602 \$	1,408,658 \$	775,084
Chopin Wind QF	69	2,048,377 \$	193,044	212,355 \$	168,226 \$	188,753 \$	161,939 \$	177,933 \$	160,795 \$	152,387 \$	133,330 \$	156,651 \$	177,435 \$	165,528
DCFP QF	69	147,652 \$	5,078 \$		1,965 \$	2,612 \$	5,237 \$	8,926 \$	19,768 \$	53,161 \$	20,220 \$	14,726 \$	8,333 \$	5,725
Enterprise Solar I QF	69	12,428,315 \$	605,776			1,100,161 \$	1,246,936 \$	1,367,030 \$	1,552,309 \$	1,503,979 \$	1,161,053 \$	940,221 \$	689,473 \$	531,699
Escalante Solar I QF	69	11,464,945 \$	555,383	702,390 \$	861,800		1,180,119 \$	1,278,616 \$	1,437,770 \$	1,392,853 \$	1,073,040 \$	-	627,972 \$	496,091
Escalante Solar II QF	69	10,801,514 \$	522,020		811,762	941,605 \$			1,358,137 \$	1,305,905 \$		804,026 \$	587,622 \$	462,683
Escalante Solar III QF	69	9,936,063		644,271 \$	787,602	915,846	1,085,562 \$			-		735,783 \$		424,125
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Five Pine Wind QF	69	9,710,176 \$	563.431	1.038.012 \$	944.560	1.014.433 \$	442.482 \$	736,691 \$	615,701 \$	733,643 \$	820,900 \$	889.560 \$	933,939 \$	976,823
Granite Mountain East Solar QF	69	+	538,975	252	873,532			1.244,331 \$	1.333,659 \$	1.255,131 \$	959.245 \$		\vdash	455,845
Granite Mountain West Solar QF	69	7,121,644 \$	356,801	+	579,379		-	823,479 \$	883,781 \$	+	634,512 \$		\vdash	301,619
Iron Springs Solar QF	69	\vdash	623.133	681,626 \$	875,888 \$	1,002,096 \$	1.119,438 \$	1.269.977 \$	1.344.268 \$	1.314,577 \$	987,521 \$	802.236 \$	566,110 \$	486,508
Latigo Wind Park QF	69	9.793.430 \$	1,008,523	974.723 \$	1.127.257 \$	888,162 \$	870.272 \$	743,515 \$	687.491	567,983 \$	624.430 \$	⊬	\vdash	790,950
Mountain Wind 1 QF	69		1,421,577	1.090,928 \$	884,151	699,375 \$	494,107 \$	509,817 \$	413,520 \$	443,831 \$	466,242 \$	672,794 \$	930,752 \$	1.015,271
Mountain Wind 2 QF	69	\vdash	2,060,743	1,624,957 \$	1,360,834 \$	1.082.104 \$	769,391 \$	912,714 \$	759.165 \$	732,764 \$	769,110 \$	1,005,488 \$	1.432.507 \$	1,492,316
North Point Wind OF	69		1.124.011	2.125.702 \$	1,999,790	2.164.701	938.564 \$	1.585.605	1.359.834 \$	1.726.325 \$	1.853.270 \$	1.964.389	1.885.477 \$	1.919.480
Oregon Wind Farm QF	69	+		1,532,569 \$	1.246,680 \$	1,005,615 \$	725,755 \$	954,399 \$	1.241.939 \$	2.818,117 \$	871.584 \$	870,570 \$	715.262 \$	1,135,497
Orchard Wind 1 OF	69			72.099 \$	97.721 \$	124.816 \$	110.803 \$	123.524 \$	123.449 \$	105.362 \$	79.489	84.148	75.107	80.003
Orchard Wind 2 QF	69	+		70,438 \$			112,506 \$	123,255 \$	125.420 \$	106,117 \$	79,928 \$	\vdash	76,765 \$	81,568
Orchard Wind 3 QF	69	1.139.264 \$	63.522	915	105.763			124,350 \$		105,662 \$	78,908		-	78,427
Orchard Wind 4 QF	69	\vdash	63,331	377				123,692 \$	122,969 \$	105,683 \$	78,915 \$	82,859 \$	73,472 \$	78,535
Pavant II Solar QF	69	5,116,247 \$		470	407,283		499,355 \$	\$ 604'409	546,878 \$	758,285 \$	464,865 \$	411,225 \$	254,555 \$	206,606
Pioneer Wind Park I QF	69	10,709,139 \$	1,308,719	979,538 \$	۲,	\$ 898'506	709,742 \$	649,747	657,551 \$	685,231 \$	449,790 \$	Н	1,261,619 \$	1,092,950
Power County North Wind QF	€9	Н	445,195	434		645,185 \$	315,946 \$	462,404	Н	Н	404,038 \$	Н	548,859 \$	668,826
Power County South Wind QF	₩		.,		-			409,979	308,756 \$	406,414 \$	359,373 \$		496,807 \$	581,053
Roseburg Dillard QF	69				149,346		110,536 \$	109,492 \$	182,380 \$	248,535 \$	\$ 050'09	-	74,410 \$	74,560
Sage I Solar QF	69	2,224,606 \$			185,750		-	255,841 \$	330,468 \$	328,474 \$	202,900 \$	-	102,564 \$	73,604
Sage II Solar QF	69	2,226,990 \$	+	_	185,945		_	256,127 \$	330,821 \$	-	203,129 \$	-	102,691	73,674
Sage III Solar QF	₩ €	+	069'99	67,449 \$	153,415		-	209,266	269,677 \$	-	167,470 \$	+	86,929 \$	62,528
Spanish Fork Wind 2 QF	÷> €	2,929,265	196,128	217,811 \$	233,814 \$	182,707	141,420 \$	\$ 689,882	247,949 \$	427,513 \$	236,345	290,348 \$	233,897 \$	232,649
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Sweetwater Solar QF	A 6	7,625,670	253,990	3/9,040 \$	950,100		40,795	957,706	1,095,180	4 586,8TU,T	482,992	015,295	292,905	196,650
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Utah Payant Solar OF	63	+		352.596 \$	546.244 \$	642.550 \$	673.453 \$	865.705 \$	762.807 \$	956.395 \$	617.319 \$	+	318.588 \$	270.697
Utah Red Hills Solar QF	€9	11,458,023 \$		640,061 \$	773,732 \$	1,020,201	1,193,809 \$	1,227,730 \$	1,524,395 \$	1,463,201 \$	1,300,074 \$	\$ 00,670 \$	579,337 \$	454,373
Qualifying Facilities Total	↔	305,733,761 \$	20,228,726 \$	23,798,056 \$	26,524,722 \$	28,327,666 \$	26,313,015 \$	29,442,736 \$	30,360,081 \$	32,456,710 \$	25,019,385 \$	23,864,061 \$	20,420,587 \$	18,978,017
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Douglas - Wells	69	1	-	'	9	9	ľ	49	•	9	1	1	1	
Grant Reasonable	69	(9,177,438) \$	(764,786)		(764,786)	(764,786)		-		\$ (764,786) \$	(764,786)	\$ (764,786) \$	(764,786)	(764,786)
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φ (\$ 13,725,805	12,043,617	9,517,948	2,109,423	8,157,467	7,392,059	18,795,742	17,805,917	14,889,231	8,492,194		13,088,616
	\$ 2,638,333	1,223,845	1,675,831	085,888	1,306,920	1,528,738	2,715,350	3,428,707	103,532	1,944,460		
Emergency Purchases \$ 2,328,540	\$	\$ (656,656,11)	20,259 \$		628,516 \$	43,771 \$	1,160,138 \$	294,275 \$		180,959 \$		9
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Total Purchased Power & Net Interchange \$ 1,415,018,693	\$ 123,707,019	\$ 100,626,664 \$; 102,152,110 \$	82,531,017 \$	97,653,249 \$	105,494,969 \$	192,640,442 \$	\$ 190,340,555 \$	3 128,665,270 \$	93,169,612 \$	82,353,003	\$ 115,684,780
\$ 164,752	\$ 12,490,080	\$ 13,040,611 \$	13,824,578 \$	14,024,746 \$	13,306	14,166	16,	15,144	14,672,784 \$	12,690,570 \$	11,529,224	\$ 13,001,740
C&I EIM Admin fee \$ 2,734,506	\$ 210,477	192,813	230,652	220,405	231,652	233,135	735,464	7,52,792	612,822	226,374	-	\$ 245,016
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Total Wheeling & U. of F. Expense \$ 167,486,665	\$ 12,700,557	\$ 13,233,424 \$	14,055,229 \$	14,245,151 \$	13,537,757 \$	14,399,139 \$	17,096,411 \$	\$ 15,401,062 \$	14,901,003 \$	12,916,944 \$	11,753,230	\$ 13,246,757
Coal Firel Burn Expense												
€	\$ 1,347,945	1,697,135	1,793,151	1,644,230	1,613,950	1,515,964	1,987,544	1,970,031	2,015,481	1,413,006		\$ 1,597,673
Craig \$ 17,837,976	\$ 1,790,948	\$ 1,409,758 \$	1,349,401 \$	1,047,333 \$	1,243,692 \$	1,372,831 \$	1,842,889 \$	\$ 1,869,966 \$	3 1,437,347 \$	1,430,757 \$	1,435,560	\$ 1,607,4
₩.	\$ 4,887,919	5,149,814	4,331,143	5,101,950	2,535,269	2,804,175	3,745,072	3,838,019	2,868,401	5,162,829		5,876,9
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↔	\$ 15.529,346	14,634,099	15.160.417	12,855,619	8.407.473	10,822,988	15,223,552	13,721,322	11,238,404	15,495,550		
↔ ↔	\$ 3,473,542	2,949,573	2,749,834	1,727,132	2,050,481	2,408,181	3,077,597	3,199,590	2,492,329	2,589,035		
₩	\$ 2,173,199	1,900,766	1,512,471	2,007,234	629,538	754,263	1,247,590	1,203,737	936,121	1,440,232		\$ 2,160,673
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as Burn S. Storage	-	1 741 978	4,459,481	3,638,965	2,472,528	1,509,931	1,140,546	2,855,671	2,122,267	547,757	2,843,673	3,144,888	3,637,413
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			297)	(510,368)	778,905	1,007,515	788,955	(1,206,784)	(1,390,280)	(810,105)	1,736,899	630,930	(2,635,612)
		(733,232)	448)	(211,830)	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	(262,779)	(498,446)
	42,641,816 \$	3,595,182	864	3,593,440	3,560,992	3,535,121	3,468,895	3,592,882	3,600,562	3,411,380	3,593,706	3,563,602	3,597,189
Total Gas Fuel Burn Expense \$	\$ 197,819,710	\$ 84,908,041 \$	74,120,160 \$	\$ 62,296,813 \$	44,724,296 \$	44,663,338 \$	49,308,648 \$	74,061,124 \$	74,204,415	\$ 65,179,928	\$ 60,802,786 \$	75,960,710 \$	87,589,450
Other Generation													
	3,006,964	295,565	157,647 \$	68,204	271,606	148,379	276,832	299,854	312,101	299,309	283,066	288,962	305,438
Blundell Bottoming Cycle \$	1,316,426	\$ 147,826 \$	288	19,873		59,936	114,467	118,207	118,209	114,433		143,010	147,834
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Rocky Mountain Power Exhibit 10.2 Docket No. 20000- -ER-23 Witness: Ramon J. Mitchell BEFORE THE WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE **COMMISSION ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER** Exhibit Accompanying Direct Testimony of Ramon J. Mitchell Net Power Cost Aurora Test Report

March 2023

Net Power Cost Report						Aurora	Aurora Test NPC Report	port -					
12 months ended December 2021													
	Total	1/1/2021	2/1/2021	3/1/2021	4/1/2021	5/1/2021	6/1/2021	7/1/2021	8/1/2021	9/1/2021	10/1/2021	11/1/2021	12/1/2021
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Special Sales For Resale													
Long Term Firm Sales													
Black Hills Losses_S	308,860	26,315	21,811	23,518	22,569	21,526	33,190	28,307	25,794	26,552	26,173	25,272	27,832
Black Hills Sale-MC_S	3,714,881	352,854	345,348	381,005	260,897	132,813	168,939	358,954	334,088	341,594	352,854	331,273	354,262
Black Hills Sale-UTS S	2,095,040	178,500	147,946	159,524	153,092	146,016	225,135	192,008	174,962	180,108	177,535	171,424	188,792
Black Hills Sale-WYE S	1,789,443	152,463	126,365	136,255	130,761	124,717	192,295	164,000	149,441	153,836	151,638	146,419	161,253
Leaning Juniper Revenue S	105,254	7,601	7,384	9,260	5,355	4,684	6,043	14,266	16,102	10,939	7,961	6,724	8,936
Hurricane Sale_S	7,474	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623
Total Long Term Firm Sales	8,020,951	718,356	649,476	710,184	573,296	430,379	626,225	758,158	701,009	713,652	716,784	681,735	741,698
Short Term Firm Sales													
STF Borah S	•	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF COB S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Colorado_S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Four Corners_S	21,354,660	3,522,890	2,974,080	3,095,370	1,977,600	1,958,400	1,977,600	0	0	0	1,971,460	1,905,800	1,971,460
STF Mead_S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Mid Columbia_S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Mona_S	7,750,000	1,277,800	1,202,400	1,345,800	338,000	325,000	338,000	0	0	0	985,000	953,000	985,000
STF Palo Verde_S	23,424,050	3,801,450	3,397,800	3,751,050	1,877,100	1,834,950	1,877,100	0	0	0	2,320,550	2,243,500	2,320,550
STF PP-GC_S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Wyoming East_S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Wyoming North_S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Short Term Firm Sales	52,528,710	8,602,140	7,574,280	8,192,220	4,192,700	4,118,350	4,192,700	0	0	0	5,277,010	5,102,300	5,277,010
System Balancing Sales													
COB-Sale	30,427,339	3,321,041	2,293,355	2,180,958	1,039,510	1,269,402	1,794,325	2,202,105	2,341,634	2,079,633	3,621,494	3,901,647	4,382,234
Four Corners-Sale	42,302,885	3,616,086	2,682,091	1,824,757	2,167,706	1,285,084	2,332,335	6,126,247	5,688,306	5,761,445	3,516,089	3,408,296	3,894,444
Mead-Sale	27,629,244	3,348,249	2,397,171	1,442,945	926,949	1,123,344	1,722,920	2,366,515	3,561,802	3,095,697	2,591,993	2,557,454	2,494,205
Mid Columbia-Sale	34,612,093	4,897,083	2,708,596	981,339	1,039,686	551,854	1,601,827	4,489,554	5,590,328	4,654,937	3,100,223	2,428,095	2,568,571
Mona-Sale	21,211,278	2,080,627	1,218,820	160,368	985,792	1,033,466	1,965,544	2,312,725	2,418,449	5,456,820	1,344,863	1,112,031	1,121,774
NOB-Sale	5,309,085	0	0	71,541	800,569	217,231	90,618	1,093,834	1,576,831	627,172	40,264	76,189	820,397
Palo Verde-Sale	28,708,926	(155,506)	(133,364)	(146,895)	850,630	979,874	1,252,619	8,421,419	9,324,164	6,125,457	683,077	695,432	812,019
Trapped Energy Sale	101,435	0	0	93,029	0	200	0	0	0	0	0	2,906	0
Total System Balancing Sales	190,302,286	17,107,580	11,166,669	6,608,042	7,705,281	6,460,755	10,760,187	27,012,400	30,501,514	27,801,162	14,898,003	14,187,049	16,093,644
Total Special Sales For Resale	250.851.948	26.428.076	19.390.425	15.510.447	12.471.277	11.009.484	15.579.112	27.770.557	31,202,522	28.514.815	20.891.797	19.971.084	22.112.352
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Long Term Firm Solar Purchases													
SR Cove Mountain P	3,863,928	185,318	194,698	339,380	369,457	425,244	457,334	443,628	419,764	359,961	289,769	208,202	171,172
SR Cove Mountain II P	343,571	28,534	28,675	28,713	28,701	28,534	28,701	28,624	28,624	28,609	28,624	28,609	28,624
SR Hunter P	7,122,377	374,917	425,032	647,514	675,791	770,602	797,428	758,093	712,634	664,479	567,050	402,182	326,655
SR Milford P	7,081,167	358,636	412,994	609,192	677,611	796,634	839,927	747,990	720,079	671,702	541,718	394,119	310,565
SR Milican P	2,668,657	90,574	138,221	204,961	257,983	306,198	333,291	375,334	331,655	266,914	174,771	111,940	76,815
SR Old Mill P	831,936	26,484	46,325	52,432	79,715	99,415	118,812	111,013	94,492	83,002	59,410	33,957	26,880
SR Pavant III P	2,686,563	111,395	134,597	228,283	257,419	312,381	326,190	313,964	299,310	261,828	215,287	136,955	88,955
SR Prineville P	1.772.986	60,175	91.830	136.171	171.397	203.430	221.430	249.362	220.343	177,331	116,113	74.370	51.034
SR Sigurd P	2,905,614	0	0	0	0	0	23,671	660,236	605,233	565,052	458,516	322,228	270,678
Total Long Term Firm Solar Purchases	29,276,799	1,236,034	1,472,372	2,246,646	2,518,075	2,942,439	3,146,785	3,688,242	3,432,133	3,078,876	2,451,256	1,712,562	1,351,377
Long Term Firm Wind Purchases													
WD_Cedar Springs_P	11,723,272	1,348,848	1,095,201	1,032,244	1,016,035	830,825	743,881	742,782	585,990	827,498	1,090,534	1,068,343	1,341,093
WD Cedar Springs III P	8,908,094	1,025,293	832,068	784,236	772,111	631,271	565,347	564,366	445,199	628,829	828,668	811,823	1,018,881
WD Combine Hills P	5,369,070	372,722	451,621	547,613	547,338	465,613	400,323	451,806	378,748	357,771	372,201	456,360	566,954
WD Rock River P	3,978,379	647,624	502,957	528,679	435,960	284,843	262,622	181,185	193,222	262,771	490,382	188,135	0
WD Three Buttes P	20,662,793	2,790,662	1,806,920	2,135,555	1,618,738	1,425,615	1,202,984	807,053	950,560	1,186,425	1,734,559	2,352,374	2,651,346
WD_Top of the World_P	40,686,139	5,436,528	3,612,747	4,244,159	3,270,671	2,907,362	2,399,809	1,720,419	1,872,120	2,296,835	3,513,194	4,491,633	4,920,662
WD Wolverine Creek P	10,259,067	760,539	888,634	1,132,687	1,040,512	787,597	844,716	669,522	637,856	752,718	827,853	962,861	953,572
Total Long Term Firm Wind Purchases	101,586,814	12,382,216	9,190,148	10,405,173	8,701,365	7,333,126	6,419,682	5,137,134	5,063,696	6,312,848	8,857,391	10,331,529	11,452,507
Long Term Firm Hydro Purchases													
Douglas - Wells P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grant Wanapum Dev_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Grant Priest Rapids Dev P	2,072,011	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668
Meaningful Priority P	25.591.632	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636	2.132.636
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Total Long Term Firm Hydro Purchases	27,663,643	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304	2,305,304
Long Term Firm Other Purchases													
APS Supp Coal_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
APS Supp Other_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Deseret Purchase P	33,411,787	2,792,683	2,843,537	2,655,766	2,590,568	2,513,634	2,552,753	2,979,150	2,979,150	2,947,854	2,946,550	2,674,022	2,936,119
CoolKeeper Reserve_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Eagle Mountain-UAMPS1626656_P	546,803	16,316	15,456	17,263	17,566	16,566	68,739	118,561	120,073	82,257	0	35,667	38,341
Eagle Mountain-UAMPS1626657 P	2,068,850	140,576	125,592	108,610	111,251	137,604	215,863	318,185	287,362	158,816	156,349	118,011	190,629
Gemstate Purchase P	1,717,824	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152
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MadCorp Reserves P	4 828 040	401 000	392 980	401 000	409 020	401 000	409 020	413 030	392 980	388 970	372 930	433 080	413 030
Monsanto Buythru P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Monsanto Reserves P	20.000.000	1.666,667	1.666,667	1.666.667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1.666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1.666.667	1.666,667	1,666,667
Nucor Reserve P	7,129,800	594,150		594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150
PGE Cove Replacement_P	154,785	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899
Small East Purchase_P	14,288	1,173	1,213	1,172	1,172	1,233	1,203	1,226	1,202	1,153	1,157	1,209	1,176
GEO_Soda Lake_P	8,293,091	822,675	726,731	767,167	706,207	682,902	572,441	516,487	545,410	595,644	725,349	782,467	849,611
Biomass One_NonGen_P	(1,241,584)	0	0	0	0	(626,892)	(614,693)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Long Term Firm Other Purchases	77,089,163	6,605,080	6,536,166	6,381,635	6,266,441	5,556,705	5,635,983	6,777,296	6,756,835	6,605,352	6,632,993	6,475,113	6,859,562
Total Long Term Firm Purchases	235,616,418	22,528,634	19,503,990	21,338,758	19.791.185	18.137.574	17 507 754	17 907 976	47 EE7 067	48 202 270	20 246 944	20 824 608	24 060 75
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SK Oregon CO Post-MSP QF	2.300.677	77.816	111,034	102,713	000				1000	1000			20,00
SR Oregon WM Post-MSP QF	18,241,080	616,969	880,342	1,290,101	1,802,595	2,127,430	2,428,826	2,510,274	2,283,543	1,813,121	1,268,624	657,777	561,480
SR_Utah Post-MSP_QF	10,247,886	698,791	728,593	879,205	912,885	993,150	1,011,417	961,497	945,082	895,465	834,750	721,194	665,857
SR Enterprise LT OF	12 563 620	617.060	756 869	980 643	1 117 040	1 257 239	1 382 201	1 554 604	1 501 679	1 181 692	058 192	710.651	545 749
SR Escalante I UT OF	11.601.699	565.497	685.083	883.730	1.015.842	1,191,042	1,306,249	1,436,464	1,391,658	1.094.914	874.325	648.325	508.570
SR Escalante II UT QF	10,921,956	531,489	645,513	832,363	955,501	1,126,570	1,235,899	1,359,761	1,304,267	1,031,738	818,253	606,453	474,150
SR_Escalante III_UT_QF	10,520,814	517,551	627,998	806,130	929,680	1,098,976	1,206,562	1,321,201	1,268,973	1,003,181	750,478	555,442	434,642
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SR Granite Mountain West UT QF	7.220.476	363.517	409,549	593,814	657,018	766,608	830,757	887,222	834,460	645,109	536,218	387,167	309,035
SR Iron Springs UT QF	11,200,375	634,276	666,108	897,183	1,017,894	1,130,821	1,283,101	1,346,598	1,318,720	1,006,219	817,161	582,281	500,011
SR_Pavant_UT_QF	5,611,810	208,301	240,534	410,490	470,172	563,656	662,527	772,098	721,479	602,883	450,433	279,646	229,591
SR Pavant II UT QF	4,310,018	177,389	225,178	346,901	399,214	454,357	4 76,933	558,197	543,942	425,102	330,218	205,953	166,635
SK Ked Hills UI QF	11,565,267	484,032	70 801	190 158	1,034,403	1,204,545	1,240,487	1,530,453	1,463,983	1,326,490	812,004	104 870	465,395
SR Sage WY OF	2,270,430	80.764	79 986	190,130	206,003	235,208	263,709	338 244	333 977	208,747	155.870	105,000	75 460
SR Sade III WY OF	1.870.483	68.007	66.563	157.053	167.907	192,533	214.874	275.731	272.050	172.117	130.624	88.886	64.050
SR Sweetwater WY QF	7,797,372	259,240	374,746	567,021	689,492	814,365	985,566	1,121,978	1,038,739	815,928	628,052	300,112	202,134
SR Three Peaks UT QF	8,452,877	411,976	477,957	625,721	834,509	860,254	911,132	1,042,847	998,463	794,907	672,624	450,021	372,466
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Total Solar Qualifying Facilities	149,883,520	6,942,181	8,296,040	11,496,488	13,634,285	15,678,816	17,267,036	19,010,493	18,103,968	14,433,446	11,164,343	7,667,064	6,189,359
Wind Qualifying Facilities													
WD Oregon Post-MSP QF	7,200,085	516,989	469,240	690,448	782,327	721,027	775,598	684,669	652,282	479,718	462,384	467,492	497,910
WD Chopin OR QT	8.399.980	515 184	843 295	749 871	802 886	485 844	529.260	630.392	591 216	751 568	738 975	881 157	880 333
WD_Latigo Wind Park_UT_QF	9,672,433	1,007,976	917,725	1,119,717	895,550	857,781	745,592	682,684	563,374	621,378	790,071	708,277	762,309
WD Monticello UT QF	0 000	0 202 700 4	0 0 0 0	0 000	0	0 020	0	0 000	0 000	0 0 747	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 00 200	0 00 40
WD Mountain Wind 2 WY OF	13.895.032	2.038.486	1,566,199	1.352.529	1.078.715	750.862	890.296	761.456	734.168	757.712	1.009.556	1.435.298	1,519,756
WD North Point ID QF	18,786,578	1,081,867	1,817,410	1,672,825	1,801,611	1,084,057	1,202,040	1,464,552	1,465,393	1,786,186	1,717,960	1,871,544	1,821,134
WD Oregon Wind Farm OR QF	12,468,786	729,862	971,741	1,115,635	1,312,367	1,260,504	1,201,740	1,261,215	1,114,408	919,425	735,728	801,715	1,044,447
WD Orem Family OR QF	10 630 652	1 202 017	024 808	1 187 446	0 00 00	704 142	0 080 877	0 0	0 000	0 040	0 820 875	1 263 501	1 008 250
WD Power County North ID QF	5,460,338	415,705	548,470	525,350	519,896	350,949	344,576	370,353	360,111	380,493	511,430	530,622	602,381
WD Power County South ID QF	4,865,045	367,049	482,868	474,030	482,998	302,559	306,289	327,761	335,462	336,896	447,464	479,427	522,240
WD Spanish Fork 2 UT QF	2,754,893	217,428	177,317	204,533	160,625	154,092	210,748	289,637	315,766	271,043	242,506	250,579	260,620
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Total Wind Qualifying Facilities	103,058,904	9,592,169	9,764,061	9,962,201	9,435,034	7,151,426	7,355,043	7,533,363	7,254,020	7,209,682	8,149,323	9,617,687	10,034,896
Other Qualifying Facilities California Pre Merger Pre-MSP OF	981.258	91.344	121.650	139 635	189.175	178.961	121 479	40.661	13 623	6966	9.370	16.818	48.582
California Post Merger Pre-MSP_QF	29,542	3,186	3,043	3,025	3,083	2,638	2,325	2,638	1,854	1,693	1,436	2,505	2,115
California Post Merger Post-MSP_QF	1,456,200	121,787	112,517	125,199	121,035	121,787	121,035	123,545	123,545	119,277	123,545	119,381	123,54
Maho Post Morgar Pre-MSP QF	4,958,064	344,783	308,524	392,179	443,898	288,668	585,708	527,676	348,862	344,348	322,121	383,309	367,989
Idaho Post Merger Post-MSP QF	2.751.508	236.038	225.933	210.794	199.697	178.158	184.294	244,859	239.987	239.726	237.899	233,686	320.438
Oregon Pre Merger Pre-MSP_QF	8,408,916	714,509	661,242	742,175	851,029	849,743	758,373	666,101	666,393	721,883	572,965	533,515	670,985
Oregon Post Merger Pre-MSP QF	584,796	47,831	41,135	61,541	100,349	97,645	84,416	31,946	18,992	18,727	12,349	27,155	42,711
Oregon Post Merger Post-MSP OF	14,109,749	46.396	954,695	55.415	1,262,452	62 149	61 998	48,990	1,346,342	48 604	50 933	53 978	45,574
Utah S Post Merger Post-MSP QF	632,177	46,396	49,136	55,415	53,863	62,149	61,998	48,793	55,340	48,604	50,933	53,978	45,574
Washington Post Merger Post-MSP QF	218,736	0	0	19	8,001	6	37,135	51,373	52,945	35,398	11,871	0	0
Wyoming Pre Merger Pre-MSP QF	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	9 0
Wyoming Post Merger Post-MSP_QF	86,184	10,091	8,471	10,115	6,257	4,967	2,992	8,382	7,360	4,207	5,944	87	10,520
Biomass One OR QF	16,515,565	1,240,650	1,202,754	1,328,737	1,605,809	1,642,614	1,605,809	1,455,965	1,407,485	1,392,619	1,454,920	1,426,918	751,284
DCFF OR QF	117,193	3,577	4,372	3,513	2,866	3,059	4,880	19,721	22,137	26,416	76,180	7,259	7,311
Sunnyside Base UT QF	25,446,689	1,926,944	1,794,251	2,230,743	1,509,783	2,271,849	2,278,852	2,438,937	2,404,628	2,262,028	1,952,501	2,278,541	2,097,630
Sunnyside Additional_UT_QF_ Teson_IIT_OF	5,496,514	411,090	388,623	462,527	451,598	469,488	470,673	497,779	491,970	467,826	474,327	470,621	439,990
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Total Other Qualifying Facilities	83,824,486	6,324,381	6,016,080	7,019,693	7,023,032	8,111,890	7,843,402	7,748,542	7,418,278	7,135,433	6,517,542	6,622,704	6,043,510
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APS Exchange In-PPGC_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	_
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APS Exchange Out-FC_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PSCol Exchange In P	5,400,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000
PSCol Exchange Out_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WD_SCL State Line Generation P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
SCL-Stateline Delivery P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SCL-Stateline Losses P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
SCL-Stateline Reserves_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Exchanges	5,400,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000
Short Term Firm Purchases													
STF Borah_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
STF COB P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Colorado_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STF Four Corners_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
STF Mead_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	
STF Mid Columbia_P	14,768,640	1,621,000	1,556,160	1,750,680	0	0	1,216,800	2,912,000	2,912,000	2,800,000	0	0	
STF Mona_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
STF Palo Verde_P	678,500	247,250	207,000	224,250	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
STF PP-GC_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
STF Wyoming East_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
STF Wyoming North_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total Short Term Firm Purchases	15,447,140	1,868,250	1,763,160	1,974,930	0	0	1,216,800	2,912,000	2,912,000	2,800,000	0	0	
System Balancing Purchases													
COB	13,650,632	256,796	176,618	1,541,659	766,329	2,532,784	1,598,378	1,986,504	1,277,522	563,293	831,396	743,288	1,376,064
Four Corners	18,532,479	1,765,251	2,892,183	4,051,845	1,279,491	1,076,258	217,643	872,158	676,196	352,326	1,379,366	1,484,561	2,485,201
Mead	5,635,494	365,486	777,555	348,436	294,096	456,275	412,248	894,509	413,420	443,981	380,806	169,957	678,726
Mid Columbia	69,840,592	2,961,318	1,414,822	962,531	2,238,265	13,451,364	12,840,011	13,022,595	13,900,634	3,546,501	2,252,822	1,434,611	1,815,117
Mona	8,736,656	1,083,486	690,394	803,185	562,467	661,458	92,264	866,660	493,322	346,124	1,016,204	1,190,417	930,675
NOB	11,488,657	0	0	136,696	1,682,517	313,457	156,723	2,190,741	3,482,419	1,332,912	63,056	193,975	1,936,162
Palo Verde	2,469,641	675,237	564,123	515,725	79,395	79,395	79,395	79,395	79,395	79,395	79,395	79,395	79,395
Emergency Purchases	1,933,211	0	0	0	59,583	775,436	72,286	473,946	47,070	354,072	62,489	16,636	66,692
EIM Imports/Exports	(59,250,810)	(3,445,870)	(3,105,010)	(6,863,178)	(6,863,641)	(7,467,599)	(3,035,622)	(7,434,719)	(7,740,230)	(4,243,730)	(2,826,239)	(2,722,603)	(3,502,369
Total System Balancing Purchases	73,036,553	3,661,704	3,410,686	1,496,900	98,501	11,878,828	12,433,327	12,951,790	12,629,748	2,774,875	3,244,295	2,590,237	5,865,663
Total Purchase Expenses	666,267,021	51,367,319	49,204,017	53,738,969	50,432,038	61,408,533	64,073,362	68,514,163	66,325,980	53,105,815	49,772,447	47,772,200	50,552,178
Wheeling Expenses													
Wheeling Expenses - East	23,995,497	2,219,922	2,390,245	2,269,358	2,207,351	1,635,627	1,914,090	1,728,308	1,692,073	2,055,323	1,763,481	2,190,283	1,929,437
Wheeling Expenses - West	116,275,997	9,811,383	9,417,188	9,833,558	9,701,806	8,965,309	9,514,241	9,218,342	9,372,759	9,720,813	9,853,080	10,010,925	10,856,596
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Colstrip 3	7 257 302	709.552	447 732	502,129	610 693	322.258	514 926	794 727	836.314	681 105	440 641	651 044	745 813
Craig 1	8.763.907	824,967	622,614	691,539	747,355	293,600	627.907	824.252	858,234	788,247	797.021	756.402	931,770
Craig 2	9.161,302	873,615	708,999	791,182	670,943	408.898	732,671	702,234	890,943	845,996	854,299	820,614	860,910
Dave Johnston 1	8,434,015	730,346	705,893	775,742	708,441	775,808	716,878	743,263	776,284	278,650	778,026	705,531	739,154
Dave Johnston 2	7,754,005	709,832	722,008	793,552	587,225	533,917	430,615	661,715	622,029	651,369	808,199	688,034	515,510
Dave Johnston 3	15,400,725	1,637,875	1,442,794	619,873	1,072,752	1,537,518	863,880	1,215,356	1,400,568	1,450,972	1,516,502	1,244,365	1,398,272
Dave Johnston 4	23,843,984	2,298,785	2,228,426	2,430,399	1,678,943	1,618,128	2,189,781	1,964,259	2,207,277	2,170,358	1,923,463	1,172,154	1,962,012
Hayden 1	6,518,462	572,263	473,256	539,817	527,516	621,051	565,885	626,932	549,133	335,977	508,879	603,705	594,048
Hayden 2	4,353,641	362,981	276,043	319,885	388,815	502,406	428,546	432,920	343,132	265,390	256,070	343,396	434,056
Hunter 1	41,173,406	3,921,773	2,967,374	1,687,380	2,658,292	2,726,535	3,616,013	3,963,715	4,057,193	3,716,762	3,976,571	3,805,619	4,076,179
Hunter 2	26,065,012	2,875,507	2,130,482	2,129,285	1,385,982	1,852,422	2,193,159	2,482,615	1,816,154	2,040,061	2,073,104	2,584,924	2,501,317
Hunter 3	50,561,913	4,782,836	3,631,652	3,670,041	2,350,165	3,943,947	4,171,685	4,735,171	5,074,824	4,417,382	4,436,911	4,702,258	4,645,042
Huntington 1	60,145,415	5,457,542	3,979,840	3,943,189	4,991,971	3,989,142	4,395,989	6,433,773	6,127,715	4,468,420	5,220,835	4,901,357	6,235,641
Huntington 2	43,390,630	3,929,290	2,084,775	2,489,016	3,159,220	2,572,348	2,930,819	4,826,207	5,397,127	4,065,968	1,907,699	4,246,904	5,781,257
Jim Bridger 1	44,451,387	2,984,935	2,618,409	2,894,337	3,781,950	1,887,600	2,781,931	5,563,463	5,610,212	4,748,675	3,814,928	4,309,198	3,455,750
Jim Bridger 2	48,519,097	3,581,861	3,031,949	3,194,427	2,376,725	2,925,493	3,719,856	5,817,880	5,208,470	5,028,788	4,904,166	4,318,646	4,410,836
Jim Bridger 3	38,769,170	2,568,113	2,108,772	2,558,268	3,387,973	2,487,063	3,303,153	4,537,483	5,111,074	4,069,382	2,515,083	3,165,380	2,957,427
Jim Bridger 4	35,126,601	2,819,482	2,260,864	2,640,948	2,947,085	2,444,086	2,613,908	4,508,884	4,281,763	2,022,148	2,338,833	2,967,531	3,281,069
Naughton 1	32,861,448	3,159,592	2,735,409	2,816,577	2,610,445	1,778,745	2,646,754	2,908,541	2,922,312	2,992,532	2,995,208	2,413,914	2,881,418
Naughton 2	44,989,355	4,267,375	3,608,743	3,623,729	3,836,804	3,501,728	3,440,209	3,759,965	3,935,783	3,716,798	4,053,936	3,878,647	3,365,638
Wyodak	29,331,659	2,665,998	2,596,607	2,858,330	2,549,670	2,837,949	2,204,888	2,706,063	2,551,464	2,386,598	2,416,783	2,007,256	1,550,053
Total Coal Fuel Costs	593,615,974	52,459,045	41,842,983	42,475,143	43,606,590	39,941,264	45,668,492	60,895,310	61,338,987	51,761,943	48,981,933	50,627,786	54,016,497
Gas First Crete													
GS Chehalis	39.191.777	5.601.806	6.850.667	5.000.964	399.342	0	526.745	3.952.845	3.842.001	3.053.599	3,995,823	1.442.305	4.525.679
GS Currant Creek	43.149.230	3,945,536	5.068.986	3,965,335	2.567.360	527.000	2.866.258	5,005,347	3,611,548	3.760,304	2,560,237	4.822.141	4,449,178
GS Currant Creek DF	2.618.880	246,907	302,755	237.606	151,756	33,290	155,738	310,092	217,979	206,945	159,648	290,171	305,993
GS Gadsby 1	1,500,904	113,808	138,029	123,398	38,707	21,139	77,313	302,329	261,884	132,164	74,250	74,174	143,708
GS_Gadsby 2	1,544,554	106,788	111,251	105,308	60,446	63,419	680'96	273,185	250,801	141,443	78,103	97,828	159,893
	2,501,997	242,267	270,207	243,593	79,156	91,727	153,064	321,208	322,474	192,552	121,909	170,161	293,680
GS Gadsby 4	1,227,107	210,235	101,469	0	27,130	2,266	31,215	208,132	218,050	123,748	69,923	68,870	166,067
GS_Gadsby 5	1,178,719	210,235	111,616	0	11,696	3,626	29,379	207,518	222,175	118,602	53,455	60,493	149,925
GS Gadsby 6	1,280,244	210,235		0	14,970	0	22,034	215,727	226,455	139,508	61,666	77,286	170,307
GS Hermiston 1	13,465,460	3,369,204	2,252,593	1,701,740	0 000	0 200	0 0	1,890,465	2,101,904	2,149,553	0 000	0 000	0 10
GS Hermiston 2	8,258,348	0 10	0 000	0 7 7 7	1,300,107	300,000	265,250	0 000	0 100	710 0	1,050,244	1,995,260	2,425,472
GS Lake Side 1	1 411 980	4,519,967	5,629,564	4,014,040	56 324	31645	3,341,092	282 132	258 701	164 278	111 537	136 720	3,924,704
GS Lake Side 2	59,058,338	6.060.646	6.527.223	5.744.565	3.750.550	1.805.471	3.893.581	5.414.014	5.368.840	4.684.680	4.953.688	4.533.242	6.321.837
GS Lake Side 2 DF	1,917,085	67,549	5,857	30,896	108,461	55,289	121,837	333,354	318,119	197,238	168,692	169,799	339,995
GS_Naughton 3	6,328,837	202,467	160,436	199,615	108,007	168,133	400,542	1,267,035	1,147,091	551,778	433,359	369,884	1,320,489
Total Gas Fuel Costs	235,242,654	25,167,807	27,872,708	21,972,211	10,734,169	3,913,607	12,430,168	25,670,328	24,100,696	20,792,893	18,889,042	18,825,655	24,873,372
Gas Financials													
GS_Clay Basin Gas Storage	(588,564)	(334,019)	(307,763)	(216,982)	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	2,850	(98,348
GS_Gas Physical - Chehalis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS_Gas Physical - East	84,248	26,737	25,270	32,240	0 (0	0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0
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GS Gas Swaps - Cicilans	(19 056 887)	(3 887 012)	(2 992 150)	(1.327.188)	(534 300)	(308 760)	(399 300)	(2.547.968)	(2 611 285)	(0 249 700)	18 135	(364 800)	(1852560)
GS Gas Swaps - Hermiston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GS_Pipeline Lateral - Chehalis	601,800	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150	50,150
GS_Pipeline Main - Chehalis	10,697,195	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433	891,433
GS_Pipeline Lateral - Currant Creek	1,292,395	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700	107,700
GS Pipeline - Hermiston	2,533,944	212,720	204,708	212,720	210,049	212,720	210,049	212,720	212,720	210,049	212,720	210,049	212,720
Go Pipeline - Nem River Gas	2,989,350	777,090	444 566	744 566	245,700	253,690	445,700	744 566	777,690	445,700	253,690	445,700	777,690
GS Pipeline Lateral - Lake Side	2,354,736	196.086	196 086	196,086	196,086	196,086	196,000	196 086	196,086	196 086	196 086	196 086	196 086
GS Pipeline - Naudhton	2.564,970	213.748	213.748	213.748	213.748	213.748	213.748	213.748	213.748	213,748	213.748	213,748	213.748
GS Pipeline Reservation Fees		66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820	66,820
GS_Pipeline - Southern System Expansion	5,635,526	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627	469,627
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Geothermal Fuel Costs													
GEO_Blundell 1	3,170,429	309,265	279,336	279,336	280,341	300,637	286,715	271,085	284,381	291,794	272,164	151,321	164,054
GEO_Blundell 2	1,381,645	147,909	133,596	133,596	130,074	120,972	104,090	107,501	107,531	117,113	126,023	70,539	82,702
Total Geothermal Fuel Costs	4,552,074	457,175	412,932	412,932	410,415	421,609	390,805	378,586	391,912	408,907	398,186	221,859	246,757
Total Generation Fuel Costs	847,272,587	76,040,705	69,325,843	66,286,749	57,139,050	46,903,696	61,014,893	87,304,507	86,129,448	73,617,022	71,208,989	72,209,228	80,092,456
NPC	1,402,959,155	,402,959,155 113,011,252 110,	110,946,867	946,867 116,618,187	107,008,968	107,903,680	120,937,475	138,994,763	132,317,737	109,984,159	111,706,200	112,211,552	121,318,315

Rocky Mountain Power
Exhibit 10.3
Docket No. 20000-___-ER-23
Witness: Ramon J. Mitchell

BEFORE THE WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER

Exhibit Accompanying Direct Testimony of Ramon J. Mitchell

Net Power Cost GRID Test Report

March 2023

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12 months ended December 2021	01/21-12/21	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21	Oct-21	Nov-21	Dec-21
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Special Sales For Resale													
Long Term Firm Sales													
Black Hills	7,532,217	735,605	518,304	481,626	474,039	433,303	595,216	737,682	733,885	726,030	643,094	706,458	746,974
Hurricane Sale	7,474	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623	623
Leaning Juniper Revenue	105,254	7,601	7,384	9,260	5,355	4,684	6,043	14,266	16,102	10,939	7,961	6,724	8,936
Total Long Term Firm Sales	7,644,944	743,829	526,310	491,509	480,016	438,610	601,882	752,571	750,609	737,591	651,677	713,806	756,532
Short Term Firm Sales													
COB													
Colorado													
Four Corners	21,354,660	3,522,890	2,974,080	3,095,370	1,977,600	1,958,400	1,977,600				1,971,460	1,905,800	1,971,460
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Palo Verde	23,424,050	3,801,450	3,397,800	3,751,050	1,877,100	1,834,950	1,877,100				2,320,550	2,243,500	2,320,550
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CTE Trading Margin													
STF Index Trades													
Total Short Term Firm Sales	52 528 710	8.602.140	7.574.280	8.192.220	4.192.700	4.118.350	4.192.700				5 277 010	5.102.300	5.277.010
System Balancing Sales						:							
COB	29,651,914	3,332,735	2,357,695	1,898,661	1,035,907	1,048,019	1,760,434	2,240,054	2,231,577	2,100,152	3,520,890	3,894,654	4,231,137
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Mid Columbia	44.001.091	3,786,533	803,610	528.753	2.209,685	1,371,110	2.444.523	6,701,841	7.389,368	7.080.796	4,269,499	4,171,327	3,244,045
Mona	19,491,384	1,825,358	547,950	233,377	784,958	995,043	1,432,010	2,289,681	2,400,963	5,463,776	1,324,799	1,133,092	1,060,377
NOB	6,320,250		14,777	588,915	784,080	22,523	47,501	1,252,386	1,907,945	654,601	26,842	11,956	1,008,724
Palo Verde	29,896,139	447,443	(13,689)	18,916	942,147	1,047,494	1,457,472	8,639,102	9,586,551	6,248,536	514,470	363,107	644,590
Trapped Energy	1,403	1			1							1,403	
Total System Balancing Sales	201,198,989	17,112,413	10,175,360	6,734,861	8,470,896	6,817,222	9,511,238	29,594,947	32,511,127	30,607,559	16,202,167	16,242,679	17,218,521
Total Special Sales For Resale	261.372.642	26.458.383	18.275.950	15.418.589	13.143.612	11.374.182	14.305.819	30.347.518	33.261.736	31.345.151	22.130.854	22.058.785	23.252.063

Long Term Firm Purchases													
APS Supplemental													
Cedar Springs Wind	11,723,273	1,348,849	1,095,201	1,032,244	1,016,035	830,825	743,881	742,782	585,990	827,498	1,090,534	1,068,343	1,341,093
Cedar Springs Wind III	8,908,095	1,025,294	832,067	784,236	772,110	631,271	565,348	564,366	445,200	628,830	828,668	811,823	1,018,881
Combine Hills Wind	5,369,068	372,723	451,621	547,613	547,338	465,612	400,323	451,804	378,748	357,771	372,201	456,360	566,954
Cove Mountain Solar	3,863,906	185,318	194,698	339,380	369,458	425,244	457,335	443,628	419,763	359,961	289,769	208,202	171,150
Cove Mountain Solar II	343,571	28,534	28,675	28,713	28,701	28,534	28,701	28,624	28,624	28,609	28,624	28,609	28,624
Deseret Purchase	33,416,953	2,792,679	2,843,532	2,655,765	2,590,568	2,494,076	2,584,049	2,979,142	2,979,142	2,947,847	2,946,543	2,667,501	2,936,112
Douglas PUD Settlement													
Eagle Mountain - UAMPS/UMPA	2,615,653	156,892	141,048	125,873	128,817	154,170	284,603	436,745	407,435	241,073	156,349	153,679	228,968
Gemstate	1,717,824	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152	143,152
Hunter Solar	7,122,324	374,917	425,031	647,514	675,791	770,602	797,429	758,093	712,635	664,479	567,050	402,182	326,602
Hurricane Purchase	165,480	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790	13,790
MagCorp													
MagCorp Reserves	4,828,040	401,000	392,980	401,000	409,020	401,000	409,020	413,030	392,980	388,970	372,930	433,080	413,030
Milican Solar	2,646,179	68,661	138,221	204,961	257,983	306,199	333,290	375,334	331,656	266,914	174,771	111,940	76,250
Milford Solar	7,081,219	358,636	412,994	609, 192	677,611	796,634	839,927	747,990	720,080	671,702	541,717	394,020	310,716
Nucor	7,129,800	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150	594,150
Old Mill Solar	860,113	27,048	47,956	54,277	82,521	102,914	122,994	114,920	97,817	85,923	61,501	35,152	27,089
Monsanto Reserves	19,999,999	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667	1,666,667
Pavant III Solar	2,693,193	112,247	140,376	230,428	259,149	310,804	322,999	305,697	292,254	260,260	214,705	137,146	107,129
PGE Cove	154,785	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899	12,899
Prineville Solar	1,795,505	82,013	91,830	136,171	171,397	203,430	221,430	249,362	220,343	177,331	116,113	74,370	51,717
Rock River Wind	3,949,010	647,624	502,957	528,679	435,960	284,843	262,621	181,185	193,222	262,771	490,382	158,766	
Sigurd Solar	2,905,571						23,671	660,236	605,234	565,052	458,516	322,228	270,634
Small Purchases east	14,288	1,173	1,213	1,172	1,172	1,233	1,203	1,226	1,202	1,153	1,157	1,209	1,176
Small Purchases west													
Soda Lake Geothermal	8,293,074	822,678	726,727	767,161	706,202	682,900	572,444	516,493	545,404	595,645	725,353	782,463	849,605
Three Buttes Wind	20,662,796	2,790,663	1,806,921	2,135,557	1,618,738	1,425,615	1,202,984	807,052	950,561	1,186,424	1,734,559	2,352,376	2,651,346
Top of the World Wind	40,686,138	5,436,527	3,612,759	4,244,151	3,270,658	2,907,364	2,399,806	1,720,417	1,872,120	2,296,841	3,513,203	4,491,632	4,920,662
Wolverine Creek Wind	10,259,065	760,539	888,633	1,132,686	1,040,512	787,596	844,716	669,522	637,857	752,718	827,852	962,861	953,573
Long Term Firm Purchases Total	209,204,921	20,224,670	17,206,098	19,037,430	17,490,397	16,441,523	15,849,432	15,598,304	15,248,923	15,998,428	17,943,153	18,484,599	19,681,966

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Monticello Wind OF	9,674,740	1,007,477	917,570	1,126,955	897,120	856,897	745,979	673,722	567,152	616,686	799,252	209,690	756,240
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nd QF	5,460,338	415,705	548,470	525,351	519,896	350,950	344,576	370,353	360,112	380,493	511,430	530,622	602,381
	4,865,045	367,049	482,868	474,030	482,998	302,560	306,289	327,761	335,462	336,896	447,464	479,428	522,241
QF	982,170	43,523	50,277	26,541	102,556	104,709	88,024	164,486	131,433	66,116	76,189	75,916	52,402
	2,270,456	80,679	79,891	190,158	206,003	234,995	262,709	337,883	333,611	208,547	155,711	104,870	75,399
	72,891	80,764	79,986	190,360	206,223	235,208	263,006	338,244	333,976	208,784	155,870	105,000	75,469
	1,870,483	68,007	66,563	157,054	167,907	192,623	214,874	275,730	272,050	172,117	130,624	88,886	64,050
Wind 2 QF	2,754,893	217,428	177,317	204,533	160,626	154,092	210,749	289,636	315,766	271,043	242,505	250,579	260,620
.,	70,399	2,309,028	2,161,795	2,472,700	2,027,444	2,723,249	2,736,541	2,752,683	2,722,145	2,586,845	2,374,035	2,757,466	2,546,468
r Solar QF	7,797,376	259,240	3/4,/46	567,022	689,492	814,366	985,566	1,121,979	1,038,739	815,928	628,052	300,112	202,134
	298,022	46,182	34,259	27,485	19,215	25,768	7,053	13,5/1	21,290	19,336	20,203	20,155	43,505
	8,452,878	411,976	477,957	625,721	834,509	860,254	911,132	1,042,848	998,463	794,907	672,624	450,022	3/2,466
Utah Red Hills Solar QF 11,720	1,565,119	484,032	621,327	787,698	1,034,405	1,204,547	1,240,486	1,530,453	1,463,983	1,326,491	812,004	594,449	465,244
Qualifying Facilities Total 334,755,618	55,618	22,829,307	24,055,015	28,265,079	30,160,014	30,292,609	31,842,323	34,099,488	32,605,910	28,631,195	25,787,141	23,917,202	22,270,336
Mid-Columbia Contracts													
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aful Priority	91,630	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636	2,132,636
	2,072,011	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668	172,668
Grant - Priest Rapids		1	•					•	•				•
Mid-Columbia Contracts Total 27,663,641	53,641	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303	2,305,303
Total Long Term Firm Purchases 571,624,179	24,179	45,359,280	43,566,416	49,607,813	49,955,714	49,039,435	49,997,058	52,003,095	50,160,136	46,934,926	46,035,597	44,707,103	44,257,606

APS Exchange													
Black Hills CTs						•						•	
Cowlitz Swift													
PSCo Exchange	5,400,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000	450,000
SCL State Line		•				•					•		•
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Short Term Firm Purchases													
COB													
Colorado													
Four Corners													
Idaho													
Mead													
Mid Columbia	14,768,640	1,621,000	1,556,160	1,750,680			1,216,800	2,912,000	2,912,000	2,800,000			
Mona													
NOB													
Palo Verde	678,500	247,250	207,000	224,250	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
SP15	•		•			•				•	•		•
Utah	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Washington		•		•		•			•			•	•
West Main													
Wyoming													
STF purchase subtotal	15,447,140	1,868,250	1,763,160	1,974,930			1,216,800	2,912,000	2,912,000	2,800,000			
STF Electric Swaps													
STF Index Trades													
Total Short Term Firm Purchases	15,447,140	1,868,250	1,763,160	1,974,930			1,216,800	2,912,000	2,912,000	2,800,000			
System Balancing Purchases													
COB	14,400,284	285,501	1,261,483	1,663,711	654,627	1,723,681	1,485,126	2,446,485	1,421,069	490,529	859,093	269,382	1,839,598
Four Corners	28,429,398	2,842,587	6,364,713	5,884,089	1,787,296	1,633,184	309,859	982,553	851,816	639,118	1,206,644	1,623,407	4,304,131
Mead	6,543,189	387,353	928,141	318,456	278,541	379,237	379,454	940,549	439,285	462,393	719,567	378,270	931,941
Mid Columbia	74,407,799	3,915,594	800,844	526,045	1,576,329	12,539,935	10,932,812	16,028,724	15,750,997	4,701,338	2,559,815	2,096,022	2,979,345
Mona	8,713,073	947,711	193,196	1,362,896	221,788	747,258	66,919	835,818	503,604	356,076	1,169,571	1,267,020	1,041,216
NOB	13,555,306		54,296	839,002	1,593,155	47,602	126,782	2,608,241	4,164,455	1,515,362	44,561	30,185	2,531,664
Palo Verde	3,291,208	1,912,292	661,767	450,253	9,223	39,536	-		2,543	8,368	40,836	155,432	10,958
EIM Imports/Exports	(59,250,810)	(3,445,870)	(3,105,010)	(6,863,178)	(6,863,641)	(7,467,599)	(3,035,622)	(7,434,719)	(7,740,230)	(4,243,730)	(2,826,239)	(2,722,603)	(3,502,369)
Emergency Purchases	1,904,827				59,287	773,282	72,269	451,177	44,688	354,008	67,468	16,629	66,017
Total System Balancing Purchases	91,994,275	6,845,168	7,159,431	4,181,275	(683,394)	10,416,116	10,337,600	16,858,829	15,438,227	4,283,462	3,841,317	3,113,745	10,202,500
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Firm Wheeling C&T FIM Admin fee	138,233,270	11,846,758	11,639,521	11,941,445	11,705,073	10,378,573	11,220,154	10,774,214	10,929,786	11,622,523	11,445,797	12,073,700	12,655,725
ST Firm & Non-Firm	43,029	13,235	3,760	3,011	434		1,277	4,049	2,190	1,585	2,870	7,203	3,415
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Coal Fuel Burn Expense													
Cholla	•	•	•		•	•		•		•		•	
Colstrip	15,944,066	1,758,488	1,502,306	1,491,743	1,294,454	719,529	1,130,158	1,544,746	1,651,646	1,436,935	921,206	1,010,123	1,452,732
Craig	19,150,970	1,915,459	1,662,106	1,728,134	1,467,240	701,480	1,373,402	1,586,878	1,847,263	1,720,488	1,695,960	1,624,924	1,827,637
Dave Johnston	55,761,755	5,545,315	5,097,111	4,666,077	3,972,961	4,406,396	4,179,117	4,600,831	5,049,983	4,544,176	5,008,160	3,899,963	4,791,664
Hayden	11,314,790	1,092,517	971,852	996,901	891,991	1,119,222	980,957	1,054,345	890,611	583,886	745,023	962,052	1,025,432
Hunter	119,361,523	11,752,962	9,868,586	8,782,962	6,001,455	7,541,139	9,746,152	11,280,364	11,214,492	10,620,817	10,346,073	11,107,035	11,099,486
Huntington	99,922,532	9,902,243	8,280,046	7,685,095	7,137,019	5,729,828	6,704,581	10,577,674	10,714,065	7,672,838	6,652,417	8,067,526	10,799,200
Jim Bridger	160,568,885	10,891,597	11,572,897	12,951,734	11,209,268	8,629,348	10,713,340	21,122,415	20,810,479	14,798,137	11,635,424	13,336,149	12,898,097
Naughton	75,457,447	7,037,257	6,059,344	6,209,946	5,907,535	4,795,131	5,900,533	6,659,412	6,855,070	6,691,583	6,915,264	6,264,483	6,161,889
Wyodak	29,019,449	2,571,408	2,513,652	2,811,880	2,503,324	2,778,487	2,190,116	2,725,396	2,562,642	2,392,560	2,402,957	2,007,981	1,559,048
Total Coal Fuel Burn Expense	586,501,418	52,467,246	47,527,899	47,324,471	40,385,246	36,420,561	42,918,356	61,152,062	61,596,250	50,461,421	46,352,485	48,280,236	51,615,184
Gas Fuel Burn Expense													
Chehalis	38,103,671	2,474,830	1,122,065	1,924,565	2,320,703	20,136	1,745,829	4,774,064	4,709,339	4,661,488	5,007,935	4,525,362	4,817,356
Currant Creek	36,936,636	2,483,854	453,011	132,129	2,689,159	1,529,496	3,400,255	4,743,362	3,618,956	3,968,192	4,557,262	4,945,180	4,415,780
Gadsby	5,491,715	35,942	50,150	123,858	150,209	174,358	456,732	1,067,946	1,075,590	711,177	409,440	460,218	776,095
Gadsby CT	2,787,073	29,777	3,274	5,485	72,169	962'69	139,815	522,811	511,036	277,374	230,875	235,501	689,160
Hermiston	22,167,592	2,345,965	1,350,019	1,282,104	1,844,660	8,533	869,383	2,327,739	2,463,347	2,398,513	2,294,975	2,401,167	2,581,189
Lake Side 1	54,900,622	5,103,037	3,688,461	2,687,692	4,180,292	2,382,044	4,198,764	5,870,751	5,853,992	5,353,046	4,549,555	5,320,139	5,712,850
Lake Side 2	63,220,546	6,524,249	4,749,373	3,899,626	4,119,433	3,713,927	4,787,196	5,935,265	5,954,663	5,608,375	5,437,945	5,486,567	7,003,926
Naughton - Gas	20,317,381	2,531,859	2,433,992	1,963,691	593,083	1,074,098	1,226,797	1,988,607	1,826,395	1,191,663	1,313,676	1,403,712	2,769,808
Total Gas Fuel Burn	243,925,235	21,529,514	13,850,343	12,019,150	15,969,706	8,972,388	16,824,770	27,230,545	26,013,318	24,169,828	23,801,662	24,777,847	28,766,164
Gas Physical	(416,723)	(79,114)	(57,965)	(24,301)	(25,945)	(23,006)	(23,393)	(50,730)	(49,843)	(45,141)	(37,288)		
Gas Swaps	(19,937,668)	(4,536,928)	(3,311,210)	(1,238,993)	(534,300)	(308,760)	(399,300)	(2,547,968)	(2,611,285)	(2,249,700)	18,135	(364,800)	(1,852,560)
Clay Basin Gas Storage	(588,564)	(334,019)	(307,763)	(216,982)	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	52,242	2,850	(98,348)
Pipeline Reservation Fees	36,238,771	3,006,087	2,970,650	3,003,231	3,001,490	3,013,815	3,016,829	3,053,890	3,053,707	3,026,691	3,028,291	3,019,210	3,044,880
Total Gas Fuel Burn Expense	259,221,051	19,585,541	13,144,055	13,542,105	18,463,195	11,706,680	19,471,149	27,737,980	26,458,139	24,953,920	26,863,043	27,435,107	29,860,136
Other Generation													
Blundell	4,501,334	457,175	412,932	412,932	402,228	418,278	386,442	365,375	383,296	405,974	390,495	223,692	242,515
Blundell Bottoming Cycle	•						,		1	,			
Total Other Generation		457,175	932										242,515
Net Power Cost	1,413,631,280	112,618,817	107,559,136	114,180,864	107,738,968	107,677,824	121,901,193	142,082,522	135,203,334	110,722,273	113,421,514	114,359,509	126,165,326
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