

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Authority to Revise Rates in Tariff Schedule 98, Renewable Energy Credits Balancing Account

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DOCKET NO. 13-035-33
SCHEDULING ORDER AND NOTICE OF INTERIM RATES HEARING

ISSUED: April 8, 2013

By The Commission:

On April 4, 2013, the Commission convened a duly-noticed scheduling conference in the above-referenced matter. In accordance with the discussion at the conference, the parties have agreed to the following schedule for this proceeding.

SCHEDULE

ITEM	DEADLINE/DATE/TIME/LOCATION
Company Filing	Friday, March 15, 2013
Non-Company Parties File Comments	Friday, April 26, 2013
Intervention Deadline	Friday, May 3, 2013
Response Comments -- All Parties	Friday, May 10, 2013
Interim Rates Hearing	Thursday, May 16, 2013, at 9:00 a.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah
Interim Rates Order	On or before Friday, May 31, 2013 (effective date of change sought: June 1, 2013)
Division's Audit Report	Friday, July 12, 2013
Comments on Company's Filing and/or Division's Audit Report -- All Parties	Friday, August 2, 2013
Reply Comments -- All Parties	Friday, August 23, 2013

Parties shall file testimony with the Commission in accordance with the foregoing schedule and shall follow the procedures set forth at “PSC Filing Requirements” under the “MISC” tab on the Utah Public Service Commission website homepage (www.psc.utah.gov). Additionally, written testimony and other exhibits offered into evidence shall conform to Utah Administrative Code R746-100-10(F)(2). In particular, they shall adequately explain: “Explicit and detailed sources of the information contained in the exhibit; methods used in statistical compilations, including explanations and justifications; assumptions, estimates and judgments, together with the bases, justifications and results; formulas or algorithms used for calculations, together with explanations of inputs or variables used in the calculations.” Parties shall serve copies of all filings on other parties by electronic mail at or before the time an electronic copy of the document is required to be filed with the Commission.

DISCOVERY

Discovery turn-around times are fourteen calendar days until April 26, 2013, and seven calendar days thereafter.

Parties shall serve discovery requests and responses on applicable parties by electronic mail. In the event a document filed with the Commission or produced in response to a discovery request cannot reasonably be transmitted by electronic mail, the party filing the document shall file an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy) with the Commission by hand delivery and shall serve an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy) on each applicable party by hand delivery if the party being served is in the same metropolitan area as the serving

party, or by overnight courier if the party being served is located in a different metropolitan area from the serving party.

REQUEST(S) FOR HEARING

Any party desiring a hearing on the issues presented in the Company's filing or Division's audit should so state in their comments, filed August 2, 2013, or reply comments, filed August 23, 2013.

NOTICE OF INTERIM RATES HEARING

Notice is given that an interim rates hearing in the above-entitled matter will be conducted by the Utah Public Service Commission on **Thursday, May 16, 2013, beginning at 9:00 a.m. (MDT). The hearing will be held in the Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.**

Individuals wishing to participate in the hearing by telephone should contact the Public Service Commission two days in advance by calling (801) 530-6716 or (toll-free) 1-866-PSC-UTAH (1-866-772-8824). Participants attending by telephone should then call the Public Service Commission at the same number listed above five minutes prior to the hearing to ensure participation.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals needing special accommodations (including auxiliary communicative aids and services) during this hearing should notify the Commission at 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, (801) 530-6716, at least three working days prior to the hearing.

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DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 8th day of April, 2013.

/s/ Melanie A. Reif
Administrative Law Judge

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg
Commission Secretary
D#243179

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that on the 8th day of April, 2013, a true and correct copy of the foregoing, was served upon the following as indicated below:

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