

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Approval of its Agreement for Electric Service with City of Blanding, Utah)))))))	<u>DOCKET NO. 14-035-124</u> <u>ORDER APPROVING ELECTRIC SERVICE AGREEMENT</u>
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ISSUED: October 21, 2014

On September 19, 2014, Rocky Mountain Power, dba PacifiCorp (“PacifiCorp”), filed a request (“Request”) for approval of an amendment (“Amendment”) to an existing agreement with the City of Blanding, Utah (“City”), whereby PacifiCorp and the City agree that the City will provide electric service to certain additional customer(s) located outside the City’s municipal boundaries and located within PacifiCorp’s certificated service territory (“Agreement”). The existing Agreement was approved by the Commission on September 5, 2014, in Docket No. 14-035-83. PacifiCorp indicates the City and PacifiCorp entered into the Agreement, subject to the Commission’s approval, in compliance with Utah Code Ann. §§ 10-8-14 and 54-4-40.

On September 25, 2014, the Division of Public Utilities (“Division”) filed comments pursuant to the Commission’s September 22, 2014, Notice of Filing and Comment Period, recommending approval of the Agreement.

The Division indicates the customer(s) are not currently receiving electric service from the City or PacifiCorp. The Division notes that according to the City and PacifiCorp, the additional customer(s)’ meter(s) are located closer to the nearest City distribution facilities than to the nearest PacifiCorp distribution facilities. As such, it is presently more cost-effective for the City to provide electric service to the additional customer(s). Finally, the Division indicates the

Agreement will not affect any other current PacifiCorp customers. Based on these factors, the Division recommends the Commission approve PacifiCorp's Request.

The Commission has not received any opposition to PacifiCorp's Request.

ORDER

Based on the Division's recommendation, the lack of opposition to the Request, and for other good cause appearing, the Request is approved.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah this 21st day of October, 2014.

/s/ Ron Allen, Chairman

/s/ David R. Clark, Commissioner

/s/ Thad LeVar, Commissioner

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg
Commission Secretary
DW#261601

Notice of Opportunity for Agency Review or Rehearing

Pursuant to §§ 63G-4-301 and 54-7-15 of the Utah Code, an aggrieved party may request agency review or rehearing of this Order by filing a written request with the Commission within 30 days after the issuance of this Order. Responses to a request for agency review or rehearing must be filed within 15 days of the filing of the request for review or rehearing. If the Commission does not grant a request for review or rehearing within 20 days after the filing of the request, it is deemed denied. Judicial review of the Commission's final agency action may be obtained by filing a petition for review with the Utah Supreme Court within 30 days after final agency action. Any petition for review must comply with the requirements of §§ 63G-4-401 and 63G-4-403 of the Utah Code and Utah Rules of Appellate Procedure.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that on the 21st day of October, 2014, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon the following as indicated below:

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