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Public Service Commission of Utah
Heber M. Wells Building, 4th Floor
160 East 300 South
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

Attention: Gary Widerburg
Commission Administrator

Re: Docket No. 18-035-36

Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Authority to Change its Depreciation Rates
Effective January 1, 2021

Docket No. 20-035-04

Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Authority to Increase its Retail Electric Utility
Service Rates in Utah and for Approval of Its Proposed Electric Service Schedules and
Electric Service Regulations

Unopposed Motion to Consolidate Hearing

Rocky Mountain Power (“Company”) hereby submits an unopposed motion to consolidate the hearing on Phase II of Docket No. 18-035-36 with Docket No. 20-035-04.

Rocky Mountain Power respectfully requests that all formal correspondence and requests for additional information regarding these filings be addressed to the following:

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joelle Steward". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping "J" and "S".

Joelle Steward

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cc: Service List Docket Nos. 18-035-36 and 20-035-04

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Authority to Change its Depreciation Rates Effective January 1, 2021))))	Docket Nos. 18-035-36 & 20-035-04
In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Authority to Increase its Retail Electric Utility Service Rates in Utah and for Approval of Its Proposed Electric Service Schedules and Electric Service Regulations)))))))	UNOPPOSED MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE THE HEARING ON PHASE II OF DOCKET NO. 18-035-36 WITH DOCKET NO. 20-035-04

Pursuant to Utah Admin. Code R746-1-301, Rocky Mountain Power hereby moves to consolidate the hearing on Phase II of Docket No. 18-035-36 (“Depreciation Docket”) with the hearing on the revenue requirement phase of Docket No. 20-035-04 (“GRC”). Specifically, Rocky Mountain Power moves to vacate the hearing scheduled for November 2, 2020, and to hear the issues raised in Phase II of the Depreciation Docket during the revenue requirement phase of the GRC. The issues presented in both proceedings are materially similar, if not identical, and the parties do not believe there will be a material impact on the length of the revenue requirement hearing as a result of the consolidation. Counsel for the Division of Public Utilities, Office of Consumer Services, Utah Association of Energy Users, Western Resource Advocates, and Utah Clean Energy have reviewed this motion and are supportive.

On April 20, 2020, the Commission issued a Report and Order in the Depreciation Docket establishing Phase II of the Depreciation Docket to facilitate further review of the regulatory treatment of projected incremental decommissioning costs and the regulatory and ratemaking treatment of retired plant associated with repowered wind facilities. On June 9, 2020, the Commission set a schedule for Phase II of the Depreciation Docket and the GRC. Deadlines to submit prefiled testimony were the same in Phase II of the Depreciation Docket and the revenue requirement phase of the GRC. Testimony submitted in the revenue requirement phase of the GRC and Phase II of the Depreciation Docket have been substantially similar, and any issue raised in the Depreciation Docket would also be discussed during the GRC revenue requirement hearing.

Therefore, the Company respectfully requests that the Commission vacate the November 2, 2020 hearing and hear issues relating to Phase II of the Depreciation Docket during the revenue requirement hearing in the GRC. The Company further respectfully requests that the Commission issue a separate written ruling on Phase II of the Depreciation Docket and enter that ruling in Docket No. 18-035-36.

Respectfully submitted,



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Docket No. 18-035-36

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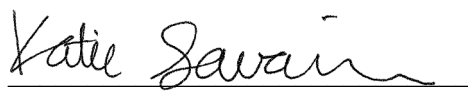
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