

Dear Commissioners David Clark, Thad LeVar, and Jordan A. White,

The latest data show that replacing coal plants with clean energy not only protects our air and water, but it can save us money too. Coal plant operations and maintenance costs have increased 53% since 2009, and 20 coal units in PacifiCorp's fleet—including the ones here in Utah—now cost more to run than new wind power.

Other states in the utility's service area are completely divesting from coal, which means Utah will soon be burdened with a greater share of the high costs of maintaining the aging coal infrastructure. Planning a clean energy transition now is a win-win for all PacifiCorp customers.

Tell PacifiCorp to make the right choice and accelerate the transition to clean, low cost, renewable energy here in Utah.

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