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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

In the Matter of a Request for Agency Action for)
Creation of a DSM Steering Committee for DSM) Docket No. 12-035-69
Issues involving Sensitive, Confidential or)
Proprietary Information or Settlement Negotiations)

COMMENTS OF SALT LAKE COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM

Salt Lake Community Action Program (SLCAP) appreciates the opportunity to provide comments to the Utah Public Service Commission (PSC or Commission) on the Request for Agency Action (Request) submitted by Rocky Mountain Power and several other Parties enumerated in the Request filed at the Commission on or about March 16, 2012.

SLCAP attended the Technical and Scheduling Conference in this Docket held by the Commission on March 29, 2011. The Technical Conference contributed to our understanding of the issues raised in the request for approval to create a DSM Steering Committee for purposes of receiving input on Demand Side Management and Energy Efficiency (DSM) issues involving sensitive, confidential or proprietary information and settlement negotiations as further described in the Request.

SLCAP was not a party to the settlement negotiations in Docket No. 11-035-T14 that led to the filing of the Request. However, SLCAP supports the concepts embodied in the Request as a way

to facilitate in a more effective and efficient manner the pursuit of cost effective DSM resources. SLCAP believes it is important both to maintain the DSM Advisory Group as contemplated in the Request as well as to create the smaller DSM Steering Committee.

I have personally been involved in these issues on behalf of SLCAP since the 1997 task force created by the Commission in Docket No. 97-035-01 as well as through the subsequent ongoing DSM Advisory Group. SLCAP has consistently supported the investment of Rocky Mountain Power in cost effective DSM resources since its involvement in these issues in the late 1990's. It would be the intention of SLCAP to take the necessary steps outlined in Section IV, Paragraph 10 of the Request to participate in the DSM Steering Committee. SLCAP is able and willing to meet all the requirements of Paragraph 10.

In conclusion, SLCAP requests that the Commission approve the Request for creation of a DSM Steering Committee for the purposes previously described. SLCAP further respectfully requests that it be included as one of the parties in the DSM Steering Committee either in this or a future proceeding as outlined in Section IV, Paragraph 11. Thank you for your consideration of these recommendations.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 4th day of May, 2012, a true copy of the foregoing Comments of Salt Lake Community Action Program in Docket No. 12-035-69 was served by email to the following:

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