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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

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In the Matter of the Application of)	
Rocky Mountain Power for Approval)	DOCKET NO. 14-035-___
to Revise Schedule for Mandatory)	
Reports)	
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)	ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER
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Rocky Mountain Power, a division of PacifiCorp (“Company”), hereby submits this application (“Application”) to the Public Service Commission of Utah (“Commission”), requesting approval to revise the schedule for currently required compliance filings. In support of its Application, the Company states as follows:

1. Rocky Mountain Power is a division of PacifiCorp, an Oregon corporation, which provides electric service to retail customers through its Rocky Mountain Power division in the states of Utah, Wyoming and Idaho, and through its Pacific Power division in the states of Oregon, California, and Washington.

2. Communications regarding this Application should be addressed to:

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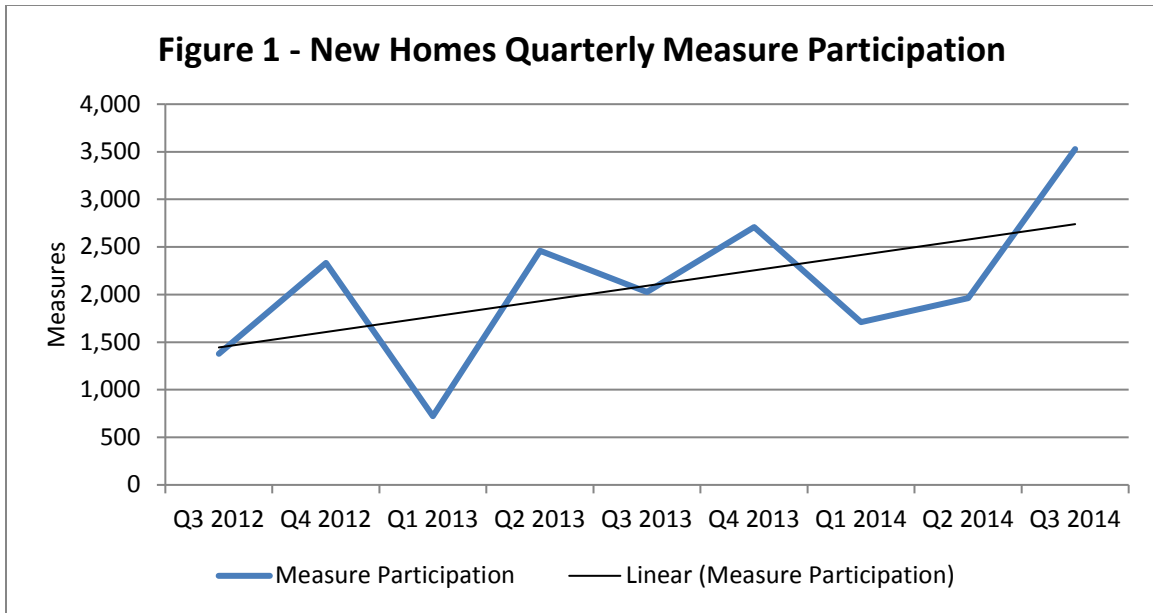
3. Pursuant to the Phase I Stipulation in Docket No. 09-035-T08 (“Stipulation”), approved by the Commission in its Order issued August 25, 2009, the Company is required to provide monthly reports containing detail of the amounts charged to Schedule 193 – Demand Side Management (“DSM”) Cost Adjustment (“Schedule 193”) by DSM program, total amounts billed under Schedule 193 by rate schedule, and the ending balance (“Balancing Account Report”) to the DSM Steering Committee.

4. Pursuant to the Commission's Order issued June 27, 2012 in Docket No. 12-035-T07 ("New Homes Order"), the Company is required to track and report Schedule 110 – New Homes Program participation rates to the DSM Steering Committee, DSM Advisory Group, and the Commission on a quarterly basis, within 45 days of the end of each quarter ("New Homes Report").

5. Pursuant to the Commission's Order issued September 13, 2013 in Docket No. 13-035-136, the Company is required to provide a detailed auditable report of all expenditures associated with the Cool Keeper program in the semi-annual reports filed with the Commission consistent with the order in Docket No. 09-035-T08, dated August 25, 2009 ("Cool Keeper Report").

6. The Company feels that providing the Balancing Account Report on a monthly basis is unnecessary, and should be provided quarterly going forward. Providing the Balancing Account Report on a quarterly basis still keeps the DSM Steering Committee updated on Schedule 193 activity in a timely manner. The last Balancing Account Report the Company provided to the Steering Committee included numbers through October 2014.

7. The Company also feels that providing the New Homes Report on a quarterly basis is no longer necessary, and that the annual participation rates provided in the Company's annual report are sufficient. Quarterly participation reports were provided starting in Quarter 3 2012 and every quarter since then so the Commission and members of the DSM Steering Committee and DSM Advisory Group could monitor the impact on participation rates from the program improvements approved in the New Homes Order. The changes approved in the New Homes Order have been positively received by home builders and participation in the new offerings has increased steadily as shown in Figure 1.



The success of the changes approved in the New Homes Order is evident in the increasing participation, and as such the Company feels the quarterly participation reports are no longer needed. The Company filed the New Homes Report for Quarter 3 2014 on November 14, 2014 in Docket No. 12-035-T07. If the Commission approves the Company’s request to provide the New Homes Report on an annual basis, the Company would provide the last New Homes Report for Quarter 4 2014 during Quarter 1 2015, and then participation rates going forward would be provided in the annual reports, as they are now.

8. The Cool Keeper Report was established due to increased expenditures from purchasing new equipment. Providing the Cool Keeper Report allowed the Commission to keep track of these increased expenditures. Now that the Company has finished replacing equipment, the increased expenditures have ceased and the Company is back to its day to day operation and maintenance of the equipment. In light of this, the Company requests that the Cool Keeper Report no longer be required in its semi-annual reports filed with the Commission.

9. The Company has discussed the Balancing Account Report, New Homes Report, and Cool Keeper Report with the Utah Division of Public Utilities (“DPU”) and the Office of Consumer Services (“OCS”). Both the DPU and OCS are supportive of revising the schedule for the reports as specified in this Application.

WHEREFORE, the Company respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order allowing the Company to 1) provide the Balancing Account Report to the DSM Steering Committee on a quarterly basis as specified in this Application, 2) discontinue the New Homes Report and provide participation rates in the Company’s annual DSM report as specified in this Application, and 3) discontinue providing the Cool Keeper Report in its semi-annual reports filed with the Commission. The Company requests an effective date of January 1, 2015.

DATED this 17th day of December, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

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