

July 15, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

Attention: Gary Widerburg
Commission Administrator

RE: **Docket No. 21-035-27 – In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Approval of a Power Purchase Agreement Between PacifiCorp and U.S. Magnesium, LLC**

Rocky Mountain Power (the “Company”) hereby submits for filing its unopposed motion to withdraw application and cancel the hearing scheduled for July 19, 2021 in the above referenced matter.

The Company respectfully requests that all formal correspondence and requests for additional information regarding this filing be addressed to the following:

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Sincerely,



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Enclosures

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

)	Docket No. 21-035-27
)	
In the Matter of the Application of Rocky Mountain)	
Power for Approval of a Power Purchase Agreement)	UNOPPOSED EXPEDITED
Between PacifiCorp and U.S. Magnesium LLC)	MOTION TO WITHDRAW
)	APPLICATION AND CANCEL
)	HEARING

Pursuant to Utah Administrative Code R746-1-301, PacifiCorp, doing business in Utah as Rocky Mountain Power (“Rocky Mountain Power” or the “Company”) hereby moves to withdraw its application seeking an order approving the Power Purchase Agreement (“Agreement”) between PacifiCorp and U.S. Magnesium LLC (“US Mag”). In support of its motion, Rocky Mountain Power states as follows:

1. On April 23, 2021, Rocky Mountain Power filed an application for approval of the Agreement. The Commission issued a scheduling order on May 12, 2021, setting a comment deadline for June 30, 2021, an intervention deadline of July 6, 2021, a reply comment deadline of July 15, 2021, and a virtual hearing on July 19, 2021.

2. The Division of Public Utilities filed comments recommending approval of the Application on June 30, 2021. No parties intervened by the intervention deadline.

3. The Agreement at issue in the Application was part of a broader ongoing contract negotiation between the Company and US Mag relating to electric service.

4. The Company received a system impact study relating to the Agreement after the Application was filed on July 2, 2021, which indicated upgrades would be necessary prior to designating the agreement as a network resource. After discussing the matter with representatives of US Mag, the parties agreed that the Company would withdraw the Application. The Agreement does not become effective without approval from the Commission, per section 2.1 of the Agreement.

5. The Company has communicated its intent to file this motion to the Division, and the Division indicated that it does not oppose withdrawal.

WHEREFORE, Rocky Mountain Power respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order allowing the Company to withdraw the Application and cancel the hearing scheduled for July 19, 2021.

DATED this 15th day of July, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Docket No. 21-035-27

I hereby certify that on July 15, 2021, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail to the following:

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