

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

Application of US Magnesium, LLC for Determination of Long-Term Rates, Terms, and Conditions of Interruptible/DSM Electric Service between it and Rocky Mountain Power	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>DOCKET NO. 21-035-53</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>PHASES I AND II SCHEDULING ORDER</u> <u>AND NOTICE OF HEARINGS</u></p>
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ISSUED: October 13, 2021

At the scheduling conference the Public Service Commission (PSC) held on October 7, 2021, the parties in attendance agreed to bifurcate this docket into two phases. In Phase I, the PSC will consider approval of a proposed interim contract to set rates and terms for US Magnesium, LLC's ("USM") electric service from January 1, 2022 until the PSC issues a final order on USM's underlying request for agency action, *i.e.* the application USM filed to initiate this docket. RMP and USM agreed to file the proposed interim contract by October 14, 2021. In Phase II, the PSC will adjudicate USM's request for agency action.

The parties agreed to the following schedule, which the PSC approves and adopts:

PHASE I SCHEDULE

ITEM	DEADLINE/DATE/TIME/LOCATION
Proposed interim contract between Rocky Mountain Power and US Magnesium, LLC	Thursday, October 14, 2021
Comments	Thursday, October 28, 2021
Intervention deadline	Thursday, October 28, 2021
Reply comments	Wednesday, November 3, 2021
Hearing	Wednesday, November 10, 2021, beginning at 9:00 a.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah

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DISCOVERY

Because Phase I is proceeding on an accelerated schedule, discovery turn-around times shall be as soon as practicable during Phase I with parties using their best efforts to respond promptly. Parties shall serve discovery requests and responses on applicable parties by electronic mail. In the event a document produced in response to a discovery request cannot reasonably be transmitted by electronic mail, the party disclosing the document shall provide an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy).

NOTICE OF HEARING

The PSC will conduct a hearing for Phase I of this docket on **Wednesday, November 10, 2021, beginning at 9:00 a.m.** The hearing will be held in the **Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.** All parties must have their witnesses in attendance and prepared to testify.

Individuals wishing to participate in the hearing remotely should contact the PSC two days in advance by calling (801) 530-6716 or (toll-free) 1-866-PSC-UTAH (1-866-772-8824) to receive connection information and instructions.

Individuals needing accommodations during this hearing should notify the PSC at 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, (801) 530-6716, at least three working days prior to the hearing.

PHASE II SCHEDULE

ITEM	DEADLINE/DATE/TIME/LOCATION
Rocky Mountain Power's Response to the Application	Friday, January 7, 2022
Direct testimony, all parties	Thursday, April 7, 2022
Intervention deadline	Thursday, April 14, 2022
Rebuttal testimony, all parties	Friday, May 6, 2022
Surrebuttal testimony, all parties	Friday, May 20, 2022
Hearing	Wednesday, May 25, 2022, beginning at 9:00 a.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah <u>NOTE: Parties also should reserve Thursday, May 26, 2022, at 9:00 a.m., in the event the hearing lasts for more than one day.</u>

DISCOVERY

For Phase II, discovery turn-around times shall be 21 calendar days until April 7, 2022 and 10 calendar days thereafter. Parties shall serve discovery requests and responses on applicable parties by electronic mail. In the event a document produced in response to a discovery request cannot reasonably be transmitted by electronic mail, the party disclosing the document shall provide an electronic copy of the document on CD (or, if an electronic copy is not available, a paper copy).

NOTICE OF HEARING

The PSC will conduct a hearing for Phase II of this docket on **Wednesday, May 25, 2022, beginning at 9:00 a.m.** The hearing will be held in the **Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403,**

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DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, October 13, 2021.

/s/ Michael J. Hammer
Presiding Officer

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg
PSC Secretary
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that on October 13, 2021, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon the following as indicated below:

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