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## Action Request Response

**To:** Public Service Commission of Utah

**From:** Utah Division of Public Utilities

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**Date:** March 7, 2022

**Re:** **Docket No. 22-035-T05**, Rocky Mountain Power's Proposed Tariff Revisions to Electric Service Schedule No. 94, Energy Balancing Account.

**Docket No. 09-035-15**, Application of Rocky Mountain Power for Approval of its Proposed Energy Cost Adjustment Mechanism.

### Recommendation (Approve Tariff Sheets)

The Division of Public Utilities (Division) recommends the Public Service Commission of Utah (Commission) approve the proposed revised 2022 procedural schedule for the Energy Balancing Account (EBA) as detailed and included in revised tariff sheet 94.3 filed by Rocky Mountain Power (Company) on March 2, 2022.

### Background

On December 10, 2021, the Company filed an application to establish an EBA interim rate process and included a modified Electric Service Schedule No. 94 with a requested effective date

of March 1, 2022. On February 24, 2022, the Commission denied the Company's application as the Company's included schedule did not fit within the 300 days required under Utah Code 54-7-13.5. The Company and Division have agreed on the 2022 procedural schedule presented in the Company's revised Schedule 94 with a requested effective date of May 1, 2022. The Company has advised that it will make another tariff filing in January 2023 to implement a proposed EBA schedule for 2023 going forward.

## **Conclusion**

The Division has reviewed the Company's tariff filing, requested 2022 procedural schedule, and its request for an interim rate process in Docket Nos. 22-035-T05 and 09-035-15. In accordance with Rule R746-405-2(D), the Company has stated that the revisions do not constitute a violation of state law or Commission rule. The Division recommends that the Commission approve the revised tariff sheet 94.3 filed March 2, 2022 and make it available for public inspection.

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