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## Action Request Response

**To:** Public Service Commission of Utah

**From:** Utah Division of Public Utilities

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**Date:** December 27, 2022

**Re:** **Docket No. 22-066-03**, Dixie Power's Wildland Fire Protection Plan Annual Compliance Report.

## Recommendation (Acknowledge)

The Division of Public Utilities (Division) recommends the Public Service Commission (Commission) acknowledge Dixie Power's December 7, 2022, filing as complying with Utah Code § 54-24-203(4)(b).

## Issue

On December 7, 2022, Dixie Power filed a copy of its annual Wildland Fire Protection Plan (WFPP) compliance report, including that of Flowell Electric, which it acquired in 2021. On the same date, the Commission issued an Action Request to the Division asking the Division to review the filing for compliance and make recommendations. The Commission asked the Division to report back by January 6, 2023. This memorandum represents the Division's response to the Action Request.

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## **Discussion**

Utah Code § 54-24-203(4) requires electric cooperatives to (a) file with the governing authority an annual report detailing the electric cooperative's compliance with the WFPP; and (b) file with the Commission a copy of the annual compliance report. The report was reviewed and approved by Dixie Power's Board of Directors at its November 2, 2022, meeting and was filed with the Commission on December 7, 2022. The Division has reviewed the filing and recommends the Commission acknowledge that Dixie Power has complied with Utah Code § 54-24-203(4)(b).

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