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Re: *Annual Report of Rocky Mountain Power's Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Program;*
Docket No. 24-035-17

Dear Ms. Saba:

The Public Service Commission (PSC) reviewed Rocky Mountain Power's (RMP) Annual Report of Rocky Mountain Power's Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Program (EVIP) filed on April 1, 2024 ("Report") in compliance with Utah Code Ann. § 54-4-41(8) and the PSC Order in Docket No. 20-035-34 ("Reporting Requirements"). The PSC also reviewed the May 2, 2024 comments filed by the Division of Public Utilities (DPU) and the Office of Consumer Services (OCS), as well as RMP's May 17, 2024 reply comments.

DPU recommends that the PSC acknowledge RMP's Report with the DPU's recommendations. DPU comments that RMP collected from ratepayers more funds than the \$5 million authorized by Schedule 198¹ and that RMP's capital expenditures deviated from the expenditure allocations ratio set forth in Docket No. 20-035-34. DPU finds it prudent to monitor the potential over-collection and capital expenditures going forward. DPU also plans to review the accounting treatment for the use of the National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure funds in future reports. DPU's recommendations include that, in future reports, RMP file its EVIP Accounting and a comparison of RMP's owned chargers in Excel format and provide the average time that each charging port is available for use as data becomes available.

¹ Comments from the Division of Public Utilities, Docket No. 24-035-17, May 2, 2024, at page 3, <https://pscdocs.utah.gov/electric/24docs/2403517/333620DPUCmnts5-2-2024.pdf>.

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The OCS recommends the PSC acknowledge that the Report meets the requirements established for the EVIP program. OCS believes that annual fluctuations in the target \$5 million fund are generally reasonable but will review revenues annually with a focus on the firm \$50 million cap. OCS recommends that RMP present more specific recommendations addressing customer concerns, research customer qualifications confusion, and include a customer education plan in the 2024 EVIP report.

In its May 17, 2024 reply comments, RMP states the Settlement Stipulation in Docket No. 20-035-34 provides it flexibility to make expenditures as necessary and believes that the EVIP is on track. RMP agrees with the DPU and OCS to continue to monitor the expenditures and re-evaluate the fund allocation percentage as well as the total revenue collected in the upcoming Program Review. RMP agrees to provide the information requested by the DPU and OCS in future EVIP Reports. RMP requests that the PSC acknowledge the Report as modified in these reply comments.

Based on the PSC's review of the Report, as well as DPU's and OCS's comments and recommendation, the PSC acknowledges that the Report as modified in RMP's May 17, 2024 reply comments complies with the Reporting Requirements. The PSC expects RMP to honor the good faith representations it made in its reply comments.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg
PSC Secretary
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