

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

Application of Dominion Energy Utah to Increase Distribution Rates and Charges and Make Tariff Modifications	<u>DOCKET NO. 22-057-03</u> <u>SCHEDULING ORDER, NOTICE OF TECHNICAL CONFERENCES, NOTICE OF PUBLIC WITNESS HEARINGS, AND NOTICE OF HEARINGS</u>
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ISSUED: May 25, 2022

Pursuant to the Notice of Virtual Scheduling Conference issued on May 3, 2022, the Public Service Commission (PSC) held a scheduling conference in this docket on May 12, 2022. At the conference, the parties stipulated to a bifurcated schedule, which the PSC approves and adopts.

As the parties agreed, Phase I will address all issues necessary to determine Dominion Energy Utah's (DEU) cost of capital and revenue requirement. Phase II will address cost of service among customer classes and rate design. The schedule, consistent with the parties' stipulation, shall be as follows:

SCHEDULE

ITEM	DEADLINE/DATE/TIME/LOCATION
Phase I Technical Conference	Wednesday, June 1, 2022, beginning at 9:00 a.m., Fourth Floor Room 401, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah. Any person who wishes to submit questions in advance of the technical conference should send them via email to all of the following: the PSC (psc@utah.gov); Jenniffer Clark (jenniffer.clark@dominionenergy.com), Kelly Mendenhall (kelly.mendenhall@dominionenergy.com); and Austin Summers (austin.summers@dominionenergy.com) before 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 27, 2022.
Phase II Technical Conference	Wednesday, June 22, 2022, beginning at 1:00 p.m., Fourth Floor Room 401, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah. Any person who wishes to submit questions in advance of the technical conference should send them via email to all of the following: the PSC (psc@utah.gov); Jenniffer Clark (jenniffer.clark@dominionenergy.com), Kelly Mendenhall (kelly.mendenhall@dominionenergy.com); and Austin Summers (austin.summers@dominionenergy.com) before 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 15, 2022.
Phase I Written Direct Testimony Due	Friday, August 26, 2022
Phase II Written Direct Testimony Due	Thursday, September 15, 2022
Phase I Written Rebuttal Testimony Due	Wednesday, September 21, 2022

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Deadline to Intervene in the Docket, including Phase II	Friday, September 30, 2022
Phase I Written Surrebuttal Testimony Due	Thursday, October 13, 2022
Phase II Written Rebuttal Testimony Due	Thursday, October 13, 2022
Hearing on Phase I	Wednesday, October 19, 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 should reserve Thursday and Friday, October 20 and 21, 2022, in the event the hearing lasts more than one or two days.</u>
Public Witness Hearing on Phase I	Friday, October 21, 2022, beginning at 5:00 p.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah
Phase II Written Surrebuttal Testimony Due	Thursday, November 3, 2022
Hearing on Phase II	Thursday, November 17, 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 should reserve Friday and Monday, November 18 and 21, 2022, in the event the hearing lasts more than one or two days.</u>
Public Witness Hearing on Phase II	Thursday, November 17, 2022, beginning at 6:00 p.m., Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah

DISCOVERY WITH RESPECT TO PHASE I AND PHASE II

Discovery turn-around times shall be 21 calendar days or best efforts through September 21, 2022, and 5 calendar days or best efforts thereafter. Parties shall serve discovery requests and responses on applicable parties by email. In the event a document produced in response to a discovery request cannot reasonably be transmitted by email, 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 TECHNICAL CONFERENCES

Technical conferences will be held in this docket on **Wednesday, June 1, 2022, beginning at 9:00 a.m.; and Wednesday, June 22, 2022, beginning at 1:00 p.m.** Each technical conference will take place at the following location: **Fourth Floor Room 401, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.** Persons having questions they would like Dominion Energy Utah to address at either technical conference should email such questions to the PSC (psc@utah.gov), Jenniffer Clark (jenniffer.clark@dominionenergy.com), Kelly Mendenhall (kelly.mendenhall@dominionenergy.com), and Austin Summers (austin.summers@dominionenergy.com). Questions for the June 1, 2022 technical conference should be submitted by **Friday, May 27, 2022**, and for the June 22, 2022 technical conference by **Wednesday, June 15, 2022.**

Individuals wishing to participate in either of the technical conferences by telephone 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 a bridge number and participant passcode. Participants

attending by telephone should then call the bridge number five minutes before the conference, entering the passcode followed by the # sign to ensure participation.

Individuals needing accommodations during the conferences 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 conference.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WITNESS HEARINGS

The PSC will conduct Public Witness Hearings in this docket on **Friday, October 21, 2022 at 5:00 p.m., and Thursday, November 17, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. for Phase I and Phase II, respectively. Each public witness hearing will be held in the Fourth Floor Hearing Room 403, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.** The Public Witness Hearings will continue until all present individuals have had a reasonable opportunity to address the PSC. Individuals planning to address the PSC at the October 21, 2022 Public Witness Hearing must be present by 5:30 p.m. and must be present by 6:30 p.m. for the November 17, 2022 Public Witness Hearing.

The PSC may limit remarks that are unduly repetitious at the Public Witness Hearings. The PSC desires to provide an opportunity for all individuals who desire to speak to do so. As such, the PSC may limit the length of individuals' remarks. Any individual wishing to present a statement of position to the PSC that is unable to do so during the Public Witness Hearings may file a written statement of position with the PSC at its office, Fourth Floor, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111 in person, by mail, by email to psc@utah.gov, or by facsimile to 801-530-6796. Please indicate that the statement pertains to Docket No. 22-057-03, and whether the statement concerns Phase I or Phase II.

Individuals wishing to participate in the Public Witness Hearings by telephone 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 a bridge number and participant passcode. Participants attending by telephone should then call the bridge number five minutes before the Public Witness Hearings, entering the passcode followed by the # sign to ensure participation.

Individuals needing accommodations during the Public Witness Hearings 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 Public Witness Hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS

The PSC will conduct a hearing on Phase I of this docket on **Wednesday, October 19, 2022**, and will conduct a hearing on Phase II of this docket on **Thursday, November 17, 2022**. **Both hearings shall begin at 9:00 a.m.** The hearings 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. Parties also should reserve **Thursday and Friday, October 20 and 21, 2022**, in the event the Phase I hearing lasts more than one or two days, and should reserve **Friday and Monday, November 18 and 21, 2022**, in the event the Phase II hearing lasts more than one or two days.

Any cross exhibits containing new material or in a new format shall be provided to parties at least two business days prior to the hearings.

Individuals wishing to participate in the hearings by telephone 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 a bridge number and participant passcode. Participants attending by telephone

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Individuals needing accommodations during the hearings 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.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, May 25, 2022.

/s/ Yvonne R. Hogle
Presiding Officer

Attest:

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

I CERTIFY that on May 25, 2022, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served upon the following as indicated below:

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