

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 1586

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| In the Matter of |) | |
| |) | REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF |
| PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER |) | THE CITIZENS' UTILITY BOARD |
| |) | OF OREGON |
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| Multi-State Process Intervenor Funding |) | |
| Agreement |) | |
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Pursuant to Section 6.1 of the Multi-State Process Intervenor Funding Agreement (“Agreement”), which was adopted in Order No. 12-110,¹ the Citizens’ Utility Board submits this final request for payment of \$4,760 of eligible expenses in docket UM 1586 from the PacifiCorp MSP Fund. CUB is a “participating intervenor” under the terms of the Agreement (Article 1(a)), which also established a CUB MSP Fund (Article 4.2).

We note that this is from 2014. CUB’s review of issue fund dockets revealed that this filing had never been made.

On February 19, 2014, CUB submitted a proposed budget of \$20,000. On February 27, 2014, in Order No. 14-070 the Commission approved CUB’s proposed budget.

On November 7, 2014, CUB submitted a request for a progress payment of \$6,224 of eligible expenses. On November 20, 2014, in Order No. 14-410, the Commission approved CUB’s progress payment request.

Under Section 6.1 of the Agreement, each MSP Fund Grant Request for Payment must:

- (a) Itemize the expenses, payees and hourly rates for amounts to be reimbursed;*
- (b) Demonstrate that the expenses are reasonable and are directly attributable to MSP Activities pursued on behalf of a particular customers class;*
- (c) Provide information sufficient to show that Participating Intervenor has complied with any condition or requirement of the MSP Fund Grant, including, but not limited to, documentation sufficient to show*

¹ OPUC Order No. 12-110 was subsequently corrected by OPUC Order No. 12-122 to reflect the assigned docket number for the matter, UM 1586. No other substantive changes were made pursuant to OPUC Order No. 12-122.

that the Participating Intervenor has satisfied the matching fund requirement (i) set forth in [Article 6.1] or (ii) as the Commission may require as a reasonable condition on MSP Fund Grants, whichever applies.

- (a) Confidential Attachment A contains a summary of CUB's expenses and hourly rates in this case. Confidential Attachment B provides a list of CUB activities by date and MSP Funding Task Category. Confidential Attachment C shows a lump sum balance for docket casework.
- (b) The expenses incurred are reasonable and directly attributable to the issues and positions CUB addressed in UM 1586 on behalf of Oregon residential customers. In support of this assertion, we supply Confidential Attachments A, B, and C, which can be compared to CUB's MSP Fund Budget in this case.
- (c) CUB has satisfied the matching fund requirement as demonstrated in Confidential Attachment A, the summary of CUB's expenses. CUB expenses after the match are \$4,760

In this filing, CUB requests the final payment of our costs in UM 1586 amounting to \$4,760, with the remaining funds to be released. See Confidential Attachment A, CUB Expense Summary. The attached documents should allow the Commission to track the time spent on the elements of the case, and we believe that this filing meets the requirements of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

March 22, 2016



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Enc. Confidential Attachments A, B & C

cc. Sarah Wallace, PacifiCorp