



Workshop Announcement and Request for Comment

September 17, 2024

Docket No. UM 2005: Investigation into Distribution System Planning

Staff invites stakeholders to a **public workshop September 24, 2024**, to discuss revisions to Distribution System Planning Guidelines. Newly revised Guidelines will be posted separately to the Docket today. At the workshop Staff will present these proposed Guideline revisions.

The intended outcomes of the workshop are to:

- Develop a common understanding of the proposed language for public comment.
- Provide stakeholders an opportunity for discussion and questions.

Participation Details

Date: Tuesday, September 24, 2024

Time: 1:00-3:00 p.m. Pacific Time

Access: Join ZoomGov Meeting

<https://puc-oregon-gov.zoomgov.com/j/1618168389?pwd=K6JaKwxjnQyUX5Y9bCQWdGcoiTF1gB.1>

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Request for Comment

Staff's September revisions contain proposed language intended to address stakeholder and utility feedback. **Staff requests public comment on the proposed language by October 4, 2024. Stakeholders should submit comments to the PUC Filing Center via email to puc.filingcenter@puc.oregon.gov.** Staff welcomes general feedback; however, comments on specific guideline language are especially helpful at this stage. Staff will consider these comments to further hone the guidelines and present a final version of updated DSP Guidelines to the Commission for consideration at the November 14 Public Meeting.

Background

Current DSP Guidelines were adopted by the Commission in December 2020, through [Order No. 20-485](#). PGE, Pacific Power, and Idaho Power filed Part 1 of their inaugural Distribution System Plans on October 15, 2021. The utilities then filed Part 2 of their Plans on August 15, 2022. The Commission accepted both filings from each utility. The following table includes links to each utility's respective dockets, filings, and Commission Orders.



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Utility and Docket No.	DSP Part 1 filing	Commission Order	DSP Part 2 filing	Commission Order
Idaho Power UM 2196	2021 Oregon Distribution System Plan	Order No. 22-083	Distribution System Planning Report, Part 2	Order No. 23-117
PGE UM 2197	Distribution System Plan Part 1	Order No. 22-083	Distribution System Plan Part 2	Order No. 23-069
Pacific Power UM 2198	Oregon Distribution System Plan – Part 1	Order No. 22-083	Oregon Distribution System Plan – Part 2	Order No. 23-116

Staff Contacts

Staff appreciates the valuable engagement by utilities and stakeholders and looks forward to a productive workshop. If you have questions, please contact Nick Sayen at (503) 510-4355 or nick.sayen@puc.oregon.gov.

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