

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of
PACIFICORP, dba PACIFIC POWER
2017 Integrated Resource Plan

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Robert J. Procter petitions to intervene in this proceeding. In support of this petition, the following is provided:

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The petitioner will not be represented by counsel in this proceeding.

There are significant issues being raised in this proceeding including, but not limited to, the following: determination of need, assessment of potential benefits and costs to Oregon retail customers, role of renewables in meeting the Company's obligation to serve, balancing potential benefits and risks of competing approaches to meeting retail customers need for power and the Company's future carbon emissions.

The issues the Petitioner intends to raise at the proceeding pertain to the topics identified above.

The petitioner has worked on energy issues, primarily in the electricity arena, for over thirty years. During that time, he has worked for twenty years for the Bonneville Power Administration and three years on the staff of the Oregon Public Utility Commission. The petitioner also has written and published articles in professional journals on topics ranging from electricity pricing, smart grid, competing policies to reduce carbon emissions from electricity generation, the economics of renewable energy, and limitations of studies advocating the adoption of intermittent renewables to address climate change. These issues are pertinent to the Company's filings in this docket. Resolving them in a consistent and coherent way is in the interest of the Company's Oregon's customers.

Based on the information provided above in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure, I request to participate in this proceeding as an intervener. I will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay the proceeding.

Robert J. Procter, Ph.D.

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