

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

**LC 80**

In the Matter of

PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC  
COMPANY,  
2023 Clean Energy Plan and  
Integrated Resource Plan.

GRID UNITED LLC PETITION TO  
INTERVENE

Pursuant to ORS § 756.525 and OAR § 860-001-0300(2), Grid United LLC (“Grid United”) petitions the Public Utility Commission of Oregon (the “Commission”) to intervene in this proceeding with full party status as described in OAR § 860-001-0010(7). In support of this Petition, Grid United provides the following information:

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Van Ness Feldman will represent Grid United in this proceeding. Please update the official service list with the following individuals:

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Grid United LLC is a transmission development company focusing on building infrastructure projects that will help modernize the U.S. electric grid. Created in 2021, Grid United is developing a series of utility-scale, interregional transmission line projects to increase reliability and provide consumers with access to low-cost electricity.. Grid United’s transmission projects are open to all sources of electric power generation. Grid United is back by Centaurus Capital LP, which has an established track record of developing and owning large energy infrastructure projects.

Grid United has an interest in resource planning and ensuring that Portland General Electric’s integrated resource planning process appropriately analyzes and considers opportunities for investment in transmission. Any Commission decision regarding PGE’s 2023 CEP and IRP could have a significant impact on PGE’s future resource acquisitions, which in turn, will drive potentially significant investments in additional transmission assets.

Because Grid United has significant experience developing transmission solutions throughout the United States, Grid United’s participation will assist the Commission in resolving issues and will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or delay the proceeding.

Based on the information provided above, and in accordance with the Commission’s rules of procedure, Grid United hereby requests to participate in this proceeding as an intervenor. Grid United therefore respectfully requests that the Commission grant its Petition to Intervene.

Dated this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted,

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