

DECISION MEMORANDUM

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FROM: CATHLEEN M. MCHUGH

DATE: JULY 23, 2013

SUBJECT: TARIFF ADVICE 13-02 REGARDING REVISIONS TO SCHEDULE 95 —
ADJUSTMENT FOR MUNICIPAL FRANCHISE FEES.

On July 12, 2013, Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power) filed Tariff Advice No. 13-02 to revise Schedule 95—Adjustment for Municipal Franchise Fees. The revision updates the ordinance number and effective date of change for the City of Fairfield. The current 1.00% franchise fee does not change.

STAFF ANALYSIS

In January of 2003, the City of Fairfield granted Idaho Power a franchise for a period of ten years with Ordinance No. 199. In April of 2013, the City of Fairfield issued Ordinance 253, which terminated Ordinance 199 and granted Idaho Power another ten-year franchise beginning April 11, 2013. Idaho Power revised Schedule 95 to reflect both the new ordinance number and the new updated date of change.

The new Ordinance kept the franchise fee at the same level of 1.00%. The only significant change in the new Ordinance is language directing Idaho Power to maintain its property free from noxious weeds.

Staff recommends approval of the revisions to Schedule 95 to update the Ordinance number and effective date of change for the City of Fairfield.

COMMISSION DECISION

Does the Commission approve Idaho Power's revisions to Schedule 95 updating the ordinance number and effective date of change for the City of Fairfield?


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