

Diane Holt

From: pmorgan3@roadrunner.com
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2018 10:31 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Phil Morgan

Name: Phil Morgan

Case Number: Avista Case Number AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*

Email: pmorgan3@roadrunner.com

Telephone:

Address:

Coeur d'Alene Idaho, 83814

Name of Utility Company: AVISTA

Comment: Please don't let this transaction go thru. It will be one more US company gobbled up by another foreign country business. Most importantly power generation is a national security issue. If HydroOne down the line is taken over by another foreign company i.e. think China. They will do anything to get into the U.S. market and control us. Plus power company mergers don't usually mean lower rates they raise their rates and what does that mean to our economy. Our President is all in on America First, lets do the same when it comes to companies being taken over by foreign investors.....vote no please!

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Diane Holt

From: alpinechiro400@gmail.com
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2018 7:55 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Teresa Davis

Name: Teresa Davis

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *AVU-6-17-05*

Email: alpinechiro400@gmail.com

Telephone: 2086990724

Address: 7106 W. Winchester St.

Rathdrum, ID, 83858

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment:

I do not think it is a good idea to have our electric grid owned by another country. To many rate hicks as it is my bill was \$100.00 higher than last month! Stop this madness keep our electric grid in our own country!!

Unique Identifier: 64.183.137.58

Diane Holt

From: walker9904@roadrunner.com
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2018 9:51 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Donna Walker

Name: Donna Walker

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-G-17-05*

Email: walker9904@roadrunner.com

Telephone: 2086679055

Address: 3215 W Pinehill Dr
Coeur d Alene ID, 83815

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I am against selling Avista to a Canadian company. Regardless of what we have been told, I doubt if we will be able to have control of the company once it is sold. Canada is a very liberal country, strong believer in man made global warming. I can see our utility rates rising. Keep American companies in America !!

Unique Identifier: 76.178.170.55

Diane Holt

From: walker9904@roadrunner.com
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2018 9:55 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Donna Walker

Name: Donna Walker

Case Number: AVU-E-17-05 *and AVU-6-17-05*

Email: walker9904@roadrunner.com

Telephone: 2086679055

Address: 3215 W Pinehill Dr
Coeur d Alene ID, 83815

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I am against the sale of Avista to a Canadian company. We will have no control once the sale is done and will be at the mercy of a very liberal country. Keep American companies in America!!

Unique Identifier: 76.178.170.55

Diane Holt

From: jimhollingsworth@frontier.com
Sent: Thursday, April 19, 2018 4:59 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: James Hollingsworth

Name: James Hollingsworth
Case Number: AVU-17-09 *AVU-6-17-05*
Email: jimhollingsworth@frontier.com
Telephone: 2087727748
Address: 1203 W. Orchard Ave
Hayden Lake Idaho, 83835

Name of Utility Company: Mr.

Comment: Comment: I know that the merger of Avista with Hydro One makes a lot of sense to those who own the two companies, but it does not make much sense to those of us who pay for the service and who are affected.

1. It is poor policy for a foreign country to own any American utility. Our utilities ought to be for the benefit of our country. Especially is this true for Idaho.
2. Although as a part of the merger there can be no rate increase, what is the guarantee this will not happen later on?
3. The majority of the comments made concerning this merger are negative. That ought to tell you to not approve this merger.
4. There is no sense having meetings if your mind is already made up on the matter.
5. Right now we have a good relationship with Canada. But what is to prevent them later on from selling the utility to a country with whom we are not so friendly? I think this could happen without your control.
6. Most of the comments made are negative and I believe I am in agreement with most of them.

Thanks

Jim Hollingsworth
jimhollingsworth@frontier.com

Unique Identifier: 104.235.202.40

Diane Holt

From: jamescarlbox@yahoo.com
Sent: Thursday, April 19, 2018 6:40 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Connie Madison

Name: Connie Madison
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *ad AVU-6-17-05*
Email: jamescarlbox@yahoo.com
Telephone: 2086641209
Address: 5803 East Sleepy Lane
Coeur d Alene Kootenai, 83814

Name of Utility Company: Avista
Comment: I object to HydroOne acquiring Avista

Unique Identifier: 208.94.82.50

Diane Holt

From: lakecityusa@mindspring.com
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 11:34 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Carroll Carey

Name: Carroll Carey

Case Number: Avista Case Number AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*

Email: lakecityusa@mindspring.com

Telephone: 2087727721

Address: 3513 E. Ohio Match Road
HAYDEN LAKE ID, 83835

Name of Utility Company: Kootenai Elec

Comment: My home Utility Co is Kootenai Elec. However, I have properties in CDA in the Avista Utility area. Please keep our Utility control in America. We don't need another country regulating our utility rates.

Thank you

Unique Identifier: 174.216.1.169

Diane Holt

From: brandirollins1@gmail.com
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2018 7:30 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Brandi Rollins

Name: Brandi Rollins
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU - 6-17-05*
Email: brandirollins1@gmail.com
Telephone: 2086824988
Address: 14927 S Hwy 3
Cataldo Idaho, 83810

Name of Utility Company: Avista
Comment: I do not support the merger due to costs of Hydro One and their current/recent history + it's out of country.

Thank you.
Brandi

Unique Identifier: 174.216.32.179

Diane Holt

From: brandirollins1@gmail.com
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2018 7:30 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Brandi Rollins

Name: Brandi Rollins
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*
Email: brandirollins1@gmail.com
Telephone: 2086824988
Address: 14927 S Hwy 3
Cataldo Idaho, 83810

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I do not support the merger due to costs of Hydro One and their current/recent history + it's out of country.

Thank you.

Brandi

Unique Identifier: 174.216.32.179

Diane Holt

From: Lindsm17@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2018 9:46 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Lindsey Mann

Name: Lindsey Mann
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-G-17-05*
Email: Lindsm17@yahoo.com
Telephone:
Address:
Cataldo Idaho, 83810

Name of Utility Company: Avista
Comment: I object to HydroOne acquiring Avista.

Unique Identifier: 174.216.24.255

Diane Holt

From: machinist16@gmail.com
Sent: Saturday, April 21, 2018 10:52 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: darrell johnson

Name: darrell johnson
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-G-17-05*
Email: machinist16@gmail.com
Telephone: 2087629515
Address: 8421 maple st, Address 2
hayden ID, 83835

Name of Utility Company: Company Name
Comment: I strongly oppose the sale of Avista to Hydro one. We would be fools to allow this.

Unique Identifier: 98.146.186.221

Diane Holt

From: donnaneric@roadrunner.com
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 6:42 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Donna Sferra

Name: Donna Sferra

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*

Email: donnaneric@roadrunner.com

Telephone:

Address:

Hayden Idaho, 83835

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I object to the merger!

Unique Identifier: 98.145.148.103

Diane Holt

From: cynthia.mika@gmail.com
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 8:45 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Cynthia Mika

Name: Cynthia Mika

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*

Email: cynthia.mika@gmail.com

Telephone: 208-882-1862

Address: 620 Ridge Rd
Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: A friend mentioned the possibility of a public hearing in Moscow, ID, about transitioning away from using coal for energy production in MT. As an older citizen, I have seen so much progress in understanding the consequences of our standard way of doing things, like using coal for energy. The impacts of polluting ground water and air from burning coal make it vital to switch to viable alternatives. It is very encouraging to read that Avista Corp. and Hydro One plan to merge and accomplish this. I support this merger and would be eager to attend a public meeting if one were held in Moscow.

Unique Identifier: 76.178.140.58

Diane Holt

From: Schreck2020@msn.com
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 12:35 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Myron Schreck

Name: Myron Schreck

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-G-17-05*

Email: Schreck2020@msn.com

Telephone:

Address:

Moscow Idaho , 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: · I'm a business owner in Moscow, ID and I'm concerned that if Avista does not begin to transition away from outdated energy sources like coal, that I may be on the hook for higher electric prices.

Unique Identifier: 75.87.254.194

Diane Holt

From: donnaneric@roadrunner.com
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 6:42 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Donna Sferra

Name: Donna Sferra
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-G-17-05*
Email: donnaneric@roadrunner.com
Telephone:
Address:
Hayden Idaho, 83835

Name of Utility Company: Avista
Comment: I object to the merger!

Unique Identifier: 98.145.148.103

Diane Holt

From: alpopsky@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 10:17 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Al Poplawsky

Name: Al Poplawsky
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*
Email: alpopsky@gmail.com
Telephone: 2088823959
Address: 2108 Vandal Dr
Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista
Comment: Hello, my name is Al Poplawsky and I live in Moscow, Idaho.

I'm interested in the Avista/Hydro One merger case before the Commission because I feel we must get off coal and invest in renewable energy

From what I understand, the proposed settlement agreement between the IPUC staff and interested parties is a good deal for Idaho and Avista ratepayers.

I'm encouraged to see that the proposed settlement would begin the process of addressing the concerns I have regarding the liability to north Idaho ratepayers of the increasingly expensive and risky Colstrip power plant.

I am also encouraged by the settlement terms that protect local decision making and that increase investments in community conservation and energy efficiency programs specifically in Idaho. I'm especially happy to see that these investments are being paid for by Avista and Hydro One shareholders rather than by Avista ratepayers.

Finally, I encourage the Commission to hold a public hearing on this case in Moscow. The Commission should conduct outreach and hold public hearings in all parts of Avista's service territory in Idaho. But, the Commission has not recently provided an in-person opportunity for folks in Moscow to share their opinions, directly with the Commission, on electric utility matters.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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Diane Holt

From: greenberly@yahoo.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 10:02 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Kimberly Green

Name: Kimberly Green
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-G-17-05*
Email: greenberly@yahoo.com
Telephone: 2085961865
Address: 707 East B St
Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I'm a homeowner in Moscow Idaho, writing about the Avista/Hydro One merger case before the Commission, because I'm concerned that we're lagging behind in the transition from risky and outdated energy sources like coal, to clean energy sources. A clean energy future is the gift I want to leave for generations who follow us.

Recently I learned about the Avista/Hydro One merger proposal and I want to know more about it, including how it will affect us in Moscow. It's a positive step to hear that the proposed settlement would start a process to address the liability to north Idaho ratepayers connected to the increasingly expensive and risky Colstrip power plant.

I urge the Commission to reach out to communities and schedule public hearings in all parts of Avista's service territory in Idaho. In particular, the Commission should provide an in-person opportunity for folks in Moscow to directly share their opinions with the Commission on electric utility matters. Please hold a public hearing on this case in Moscow asap.

Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Green

Unique Identifier: 98.146.221.208

Diane Holt

From: mcgrms1@turbonet.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 8:29 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Mary McGregor

Name: Mary McGregor

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09

and AVU - 6-17-05

Email: mcgrms1@turbonet.com

Telephone:

Address:

Moscow Idaho, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Clearwater Power

Comment: As a nurse who's cared for patients with lung disease I am pleased to hear that the proposed merger of Avista would help a Montana community move away from dependence on q coal economy. In addition, local Avista managers are thoughtful, involved in their communities, and ethical. Good merger!

Unique Identifier: 216.98.237.31

Diane Holt

From: miller83843@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 7:24 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Gretchen Wissner

Name: Gretchen Wissner
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17*
Email: miller83843@gmail.com
Telephone:
Address: 1043 Blue Heron Lane
Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: In regards to the Avista/Hydro One merger case before the Commission, I encourage the Commission to hold a public hearing on this case in Moscow because the Commission has not recently provided an in-person opportunity for Moscow residents to share their opinions directly with the Commission on electric utility matters. I am encouraged by the settlement terms that protect local decision making and that increase investments in community conservation and energy efficiency programs specifically in Idaho.

Unique Identifier: 134.49.227.129

Diane Holt

From: gwissner@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 7:19 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Grechen Wissner

Name: Grechen Wissner

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*

Email: gwissner@gmail.com

Telephone:

Address: 1043 Blue Heron Lane
Moscow Idaho, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I am interested in the Avista/Hydro One merger case before the Commission. I am encouraged by the settlement terms that protect local decision making and that increase investments in community conservation and energy efficiency programs specifically in Idaho. I'm especially happy to see that these investments are being paid for by Avista and Hydro One shareholders rather than by Avista ratepayers. I believe the Commission should conduct outreach and hold public hearings in all parts of Avista's service territory in Idaho. Specifically, I encourage the Commission to hold a public hearing on this case in Moscow because the Commission has not recently provided an in-person opportunity for Moscow residents to share their opinions directly with the Commission on electric utility matters.

Unique Identifier: 134.49.227.129

Diane Holt

From: culbrethsharon@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 6:28 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: sharon culbreth

Name: sharon culbreth

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09

and AVU-6-17-05

Email: culbrethsharon@gmail.com

Telephone: 208-687-6639

Address: 2795 Boekel Road
Rathdrum Idaho, 83858

Name of Utility Company: Avist

Comment: To allow a foreign country to buy any of our utility companies is absurd. If anything happened between the foreign country and the USA our State of Idaho could be devastated by the lack Power.

The very thought of allowing this to happen is a disgrace. How could even the thought be considered.

Is the money that important that potentially destroying the utilities to our citizens.

RECONSIDER this insane idea.

Unique Identifier: 97.73.244.111

Diane Holt

From: maryhdupree@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 6:06 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Mary DuPree

Name: Mary DuPree
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *md AVU-G-17-05*
Email: maryhdupree@gmail.com
Telephone: 208-882-8615
Address: 320 N Adams St.
Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I'm a 45-year resident of Moscow and have extended family in construction, farming, and the restaurant industry here.

It's great to see that the Commission is taking seriously the concerns that many of us have about the risky and expensive Colstrip mine, and that it has the future well-being of the folks directly impacted by the mine. I hope that you will have hearings in North Central Idaho (Lewiston or Moscow) to get the input of Idahoans who live in this area.

Unique Identifier: 50.37.162.162

Diane Holt

From: kdawes208@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 5:49 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Katherine Dawes

Name: Katherine Dawes

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09

and AVU-6-17-05

Email: kdawes208@gmail.com

Telephone:

Address: 1018 E. E St.

Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: My husband, Dana, and I are very interested in giving input at a hearing regarding the merger between Hydro One and Avista, and we hope you will conduct a hearing on this in Moscow. Since we own property both in Ontario, Canada (served by Hydro One) and in Idaho (served by Avista), we have a special interest in this merger. From what we understand, the proposed settlement agreement is a good deal for Idaho and Avista ratepayers. We are very impressed with Avista's offer to provide \$3 million to help workers who would be out of jobs with the closure of the Colstrip mine so they can get new jobs. We are also glad to know that investments like this will be paid for by Avista and Hydro One shareholders rather than by Avista ratepayers like us, so there would not be a rate increase for us due to this action. We support this merger as long as certain conditions are met, and we would like to share our reasons at a hearing with you, held in Moscow if possible. Thank you for considering this.

Unique Identifier: 96.71.169.209

Diane Holt

From: hlytle@nrcinc.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 5:31 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Howard Lytle

Name: Howard Lytle

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09

AVU-6-17-05

Email: hlytle@nrcinc.com

Telephone: 15092207020

Address: 26089 S HWY 97

Harrison ID, 83833

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I object to the merger of Hydro one and Avista. I don't believe it's a good thing to have a foreign country controlling our electric grid.

Unique Identifier: 69.55.215.234

Diane Holt

From: diane208@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 4:41 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Diane Baumgart

Name: Diane Baumgart
Case Number: AUV-E-17-09 *AD AUV-6-17-05*
Email: diane208@gmail.com
Telephone: 2088820971
Address: 494 ridge rd, 494 Ridge rd
MOSCOW ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I am concerned about the costs of continuing to use out dated energy sources like coal. these costs are in money as this means of energy is harder to get and more more expensive than existing energy alternative sources. In addition, the environmental costs are beginning to really be expensive. Unpredictable weather patterns, rising summer temperatures with increased fires is expensive for all business. Recreation and tourism certainly affected business last year and families canceled trips to Idaho because of this.

In addition, I'm interested in the Avista/Hydro One merger case before the Commission because I just recently found out about the Avista/Hydro One merger proposal and want to know more about it and how it will affect my business, and residential utility costs here in Moscow.

I hope the Commission will conduct outreach and hold public hearings in all parts of Avista's service territory in Idaho. and I hope that includes an in-person opportunity for folks in Moscow to share their opinions directly with the Commission on electric utility matters. I encourage the Commission to hold a public hearing on this case in Moscow.

I look forward to a meeting and discussion.

Unique Identifier: 75.87.254.194

Diane Holt

From: tjryan11231@gmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 3:58 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: TIMOTHY RYAN

Name: TIMOTHY RYAN

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*

Email: tjryan11231@gmail.com

Telephone: 2084171780

Address: 11231 N Rocking R Rd
Hayden Idaho, 83835

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: Having lived in Idaho for only 2 years, I am not fully knowledgeable of the history here.

Previously I lived in Fairbanks, Alaska where we had an electric co-op, Golden Valley. It seemed to work just fine. The bottom line is for the customers to have lower utility bills.

I am just curious why we are involved with a company from a different country, not only to the north, but considerably to the east of us.

Unique Identifier: 98.146.134.162

Diane Holt

From: m-dibble@hotmail.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2018 2:18 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Margaret Dibble

Name: Margaret Dibble

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *or AVU-G-17-05*

Email: m-dibble@hotmail.com

Telephone: 707-479-1139

Address: 1131 Jacksha Rd
Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Clearwater Power

Comment: The proposed settlement agreement between the Idaho Public Utilities Commission seems like a good deal both Idaho and Avista customers. I'm glad to see Avista's \$3million commitment to help the surrounding community to transition away from coal.

Unique Identifier: 64.126.169.222

Diane Holt

From: jais_fam@outlook.com
Sent: Saturday, April 21, 2018 10:54 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Jeanette Tallent

Name: Jeanette Tallent

Case Number: *AVU-E-17-09 and AVU-G-17-05*

Email: jais_fam@outlook.com

Telephone:

Address:

Athol Idaho, 83801

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: Why is the sale of Avista, a company that produces a necessary commodity using the natural resources of the United States, being sold to a friendly, albeit foreign, country? As a utility, Avista has a monopoly and a guaranteed profitable rate that it is allowed to charge, plus the right of eminent domain. Only an American company should have that right and privilege. It seems that only a few Americans will benefit from these arrangements. Who could they be?

Unique Identifier: 172.79.107.84

Diane Holt

From: jknight523@hotmail.com
Sent: Saturday, April 21, 2018 8:41 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: KEITH Knight

Name: KEITH Knight
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-6-17-05*
Email: jknight523@hotmail.com
Telephone: 2087725072
Address: 9075 N. Finucane Drive
Hayden ID, 83835

Name of Utility Company: AVISTA

Comment: I OBJECT TO AVISTA MERGING WITH HYDRO-ONE. I BELIEVE IT WILL INCREASE THE COST AND EFFICIENCY OF OUR POWER. I ALSO BELIEVE WE SHOULD NOT MERGE WITH A COMPANY OF A FOREIGN COUNTRY.

Unique Identifier: 98.145.150.249

Diane Holt

From: jknight523@hotmail.com
Sent: Saturday, April 21, 2018 8:36 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Jackie Knight

Name: Jackie Knight
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *AVU-6-17-05*
Email: jknight523@hotmail.com
Telephone: 2087725072
Address: 9075 N. Finucane Drive
Hayden ID, 83835

Name of Utility Company: AVISTOA
Comment: I OBJECT TO AVISTA MERGING WITH ANY FOREIGN COUNTRY COMPANY. I OBJECT TO THE MERGER PROPOSED WITH HYDRO-ONE FOR THAT REASON.

Unique Identifier: 98.145.150.249

Diane Holt

From: hbsbmb@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, April 21, 2018 5:29 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: harold brazil

Name: harold brazil

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-G-17-05*

Email: hbsbmb@yahoo.com

Telephone:

Address: 3835 Jimmy St
couer dalene id, 83815

Name of Utility Company: avista

Comment: Selling our natural resources and infrastructure to a foreign government is criminal! It threatens not only our national security, but our very survival! Follow the money...who is being bought off selling us out?!

No Too Hydro 1s Purchase of Avista Utilities!

Unique Identifier: 98.146.188.86

Diane Holt

From: hattentim@hotmail.com
Sent: Saturday, April 21, 2018 4:19 PM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Tim Hatten

Name: Tim Hatten

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *or AVU-6-17-05*

Email: hattentim@hotmail.com

Telephone:

Address: 1119 Lynandra Drive
Moscow Idaho, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: Good Day! My name is Tim Hatten, I'm a resident of Moscow, Idaho, and I'm very interested in this Avista/Hydro One merger.

I know that a settlement agreement has been reached in Washington and now in Idaho.

From what I have read the settlement agreement looks quite good and will speed up the decommissioning of Colstrip Power Plant and the transition to renewable energy. This is very encouraging and I support it.

Please consider holding the public hearing for this important merger in Moscow. I think we could get good participation here and it would alleviate the burden on Lewiston where you tend to hold such meeting.

Unique Identifier: 50.37.85.141

Diane Holt

From: flint.stephan@gmail.com
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 9:14 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Stephan Flint

Name: Stephan Flint

Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *ml AVU-6-17-05*

Email: flint.stephan@gmail.com

Telephone: 2088828621

Address: 4961 Lenville Rd
MOSCOW ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista/Hydro One

Comment: I'm interested in the Avista/Hydro One merger case before the Commission because most of the people I know and the business I patronize are Avista customers. From what I understand, the proposed settlement agreement between the IPUC staff and interested parties is a good deal for Idaho and Avista ratepayers.

I'm encouraged to see that the proposed settlement would begin the process of addressing the concerns I have regarding the liability to north Idaho ratepayers of the increasingly expensive and risky Colstrip power plant. As I am concerned about climate change, it is encouraging to see the early retirement of this large source of carbon emissions.

The Commission should conduct outreach and hold public hearings in all parts of Avista's service territory in Idaho. But the Commission has not recently provided an in-person opportunity for folks in Moscow to share their opinions directly with the Commission on electric utility matters. I encourage the Commission to hold a public hearing on this case in Moscow.

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Diane Holt

From: marysteve@palouse.net
Sent: Monday, April 23, 2018 9:04 AM
To: Beverly Barker; Diane Holt; Matthew Evans
Subject: Case Comment Form: Mary Ullrich

Name: Mary Ullrich
Case Number: AVU-E-17-09 *and AVU-B-17-05*
Email: marysteve@palouse.net
Telephone: 208-301-0202
Address: 1133 Paradise Ridge Rd.
Moscow ID, 83843

Name of Utility Company: Avista

Comment: I want to express my interest in learning more about the Avista/Hydro One merger case before the Commission.

It seems this is a god deal for Idaho and Avista ratepayers.

I would like to urge the Commission to hold a public hering on this case in Moscow.

Thank you for your consideration!

Mary Ullrich

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reference case Nos. AVU-E-17-09 (electric) and AVU-G-17-05 (natural gas)

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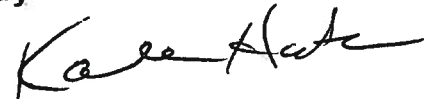
Idaho Public utilities commision,

Say NO to the Avista, Hydro one merger, A foreign-owned corporation should not own or control our dams, electrical or natural gas infrastructure

My old hometown Juneau Alaska unfortunately approved this many did not know it was going on till to late now they will own many of Juneau Alaska's old mine land and claims.

We don't need this type of monopoly, Idaho needs to say NO.

Thank you,



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Boise, ID 83720-0074

SUBJECT: "NO" TO PROPOSED AVISTA-HYDRO ONE MERGER

To Whom It May Concern:

I am totally opposed to the subject merger!

I agree with the concerns voiced by other opponents quoted in the Post Falls/CdA Press, such as Steve Adams and Thomas Price of CdA, as well as Jim Hollingsworth of Hayden Lake. I do not want a foreign-based corporation to own, control, manipulate, or possess any of our utility companies, land, or resources. I do not trust what Canada currently says. I look at the trend in that country and the potential to sell to another foreign entity at a later date and changing all the current "promises" being tossed around, not to mention potential for inflated consumer costs.

Please do not sell more land, companies, resources, etc., to ANY foreign-owned/based corporations. Let's keep making America Great Again and remember Idaho's attraction is its conservative and mostly sensible rationale and morals.

Sincerely,


Paula D. Woodward

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Dear Sirs;

I am against the merger of Avista with Hydro-One. I believe this should not be allowed as we are 2 separate countries with separate laws. This merger would allow a foreign country access to the operation of a company in this country. The ability to access information of individuals in the Avista Corporation's employees and subscribers to the electrical and gas by a foreign entity will be absolute.

I also think this merger should be unlawful in its entirety because of national security. At this time, we consider Canada an important ally and all could seem okay with this merger, as it stands. But consider if the merger is certified, all the information held by Avista will then be known to a foreign entity. If as time goes on Hydro-One decides to merge with another country or business, not friendly with the United States, I can imagine all sorts of conflicts then as electrical and natural gas interruptions could ensue and put this whole area under extreme duress.

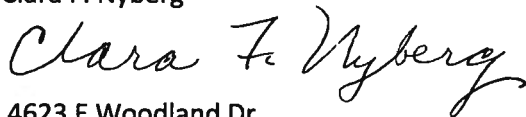
Again, we would be in jeopardy and possibly our military would have to be involved. There are many other concerns that could erupt if this merger goes through.

Times are hard for many people in this area and the additional charges will make it more of a struggle to keep the bills paid. I am very uneasy about having a foreign country business in charge of our domestic gas and electricity. Again, in the strongest terms possible, do not allow this merger to come about.

Please do not permit this merger to proceed.

Sincerely,

Clara F. Nyberg



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We do not want a foreign owned corporation to own or control our natural gas, electrical, or our dams. Our national safety and security are at risk. In the end it might not be Canada but Russia, China, or someone else who own our utilities. I don't want Canada owning our resources. They belong to the citizens of our country.

It is said the rates won't raise but nobody can promise that, especially down the road. Because of Canada's green energy policies the rates will go up without a doubt.

You should not even consider letting this merger occur.

Thank you

Katherine Phillips & Robert Karlen
of Coeur d'Alene Idaho