

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER)	CASE NO. IPC-E-19-11
COMPANY'S APPLICATION FOR A)	
DETERMINATION OF 2018 DEMAND-)	NOTICE OF MODIFIED
SIDE MANAGEMENT EXPENSES AS)	PROCEDURE
PRUDENTLY INCURRED)	
)	ORDER NO. 34338

On March 15, 2019, Idaho Power Company ("Company") applied for a Commission order finding that the utility's demand-side management ("DSM") expenses for the year 2018 were prudently incurred. The Company seeks to recover \$40,712,164 in deferred costs for its DSM programs, which includes \$33,560,433 in Idaho Energy Efficiency Rider expenses, and \$7,151,730 in demand response program incentives.

After the Company filed its Application, the Commission issued a Notice of Application and Notice of Intervention that required interested persons to file any petitions to intervene by April 29, 2019. *See* Order No. 34301. Idaho Conservation League and the City of Boise filed the only petitions to intervene, and the Commission granted both petitions. *See* Order Nos. 34306 and 34328. Pursuant to Order No. 34301, Commission Staff informally conferred with all parties about an appropriate schedule for the case. Commission Staff agreed with all parties that this case should be processed by Modified Procedure with a 90-day comment period and a 28-day reply comment period. Furthermore, Commission Staff and the parties agreed that all parties should be subject to a 14-day time limit to respond to discovery requests during the 28-day reply comment period.

With this Order, the Commission provides notice that the case will be processed by Modified Procedure, and that written comments must be filed by the dates set forth below.

NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Commission has reviewed the filing in this action, and has preliminarily determined that a formal hearing in this matter is unnecessary and will proceed under Modified Procedure pursuant to Rules 201 through 204 of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.201 through .204. The Commission notes that Modified Procedure and written comments have proven to be an effective means for obtaining public input and participation.

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YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that any person or party desiring to state a position on this Application may file a written comment in support or opposition with the Commission **no later than August 20, 2019**. The comment must contain a statement of reasons supporting the comment. Persons desiring a hearing must specifically request a hearing in their written comments. Written comments concerning this Application shall be mailed to the Commission and the Applicant at the addresses reflected below:

Commission Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
PO Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0074

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These comments should contain the case caption and case number shown on the first page of this document. Persons desiring to submit comments via e-mail may do so by accessing the Commission's home page located at www.puc.idaho.gov. Click the "Case Comment or Question Form" under the "Consumers" tab, and complete the comment form using the case number as it appears on the front of this document. These comments must also be sent to the Company at the e-mail addresses listed above.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company may file reply comments, if necessary, **no later than September 17, 2019**.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that, during the 28-day period between August 20, 2019 and September 17, 2019, all parties shall respond to discovery requests directed to them within 14 days of service.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that if no written comments or protests are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider this matter on its merits and enter its Order without a formal hearing. If written comments are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider them and, in its discretion, may set the same for formal hearing.


YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company's Application and supporting workpapers, testimonies and exhibits have been filed with the Commission and are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission offices. The Application and testimonies are also available on the Commission's web site at www.puc.idaho.gov. Click on the "File Room" tab at the top of the page, scroll down to "Open Electric Cases," and then click on the case number as shown on the front of this document.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this case be processed under the Commission's Rules of Modified Procedure, Rules 201-204 (IDAPA 31.01.01.201 - .204). Persons wishing to file comments or protests must do so no later than August 20, 2019.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Company must file reply comments, if any, no later than September 17, 2019. During the 28-day period between the deadline for comments and the deadline for reply comments, all parties shall respond to discovery requests within 14 days of service.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this *23rd* day of May 2019.



PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

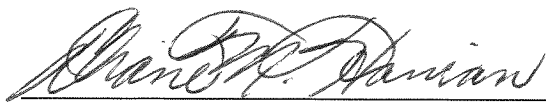


KRISTINE RAPER, COMMISSIONER



ERIC ANDERSON, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:



Diane M. Hanian
Commission Secretary

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