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Jean Jewell
Commission Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission

Re: Case No. PAC-E-06-10

Dear Ms. Jewell:

Enclosed, please find an original and seven copies of Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho's Petition to Intervene and Objection to Modified Procedure in the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,



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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)	CASE NO. PAC-E-06-10
OF PACIFICORP TO DETERMINE THE APRO-)	
PRIATE PAYMENT STRUCTURE OF)	
SCHEDULE 21)	COMMUNITY ACTION
)	PARTNERSHIP ASSOCIA-
)	TION OF IDAHO'S
)	PETITION TO INTERVENE
)	AND OBJECTION TO
)	MODIFIED PROCEDURE

COMES NOW, Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho (hereinafter "CAPAI" or "Intervenor") and, pursuant to Rules 071-075 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.071-075, hereby petitions the Commission for leave to intervene in this proceeding and to appear and participate with full parties' rights. In support of this Petition, CAPAI states as follows:

1. The address and name of the respective Intervenor is:

Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho
5400 W. Franklin Rd., Suite G
Boise, ID. 83705

2. This Intervenor will be represented in this proceeding by, and pleadings and other correspondence need only be sent to:

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3. The purpose of this proceeding is to address and resolve the percentage level of funding that PacifiCorp will provide for every low-income weatherization project under its current program. CAPAI is a non-profit corporation consisting of six community action agencies serving every county in Idaho and also includes, among others, the statewide Idaho Migrant Council and fights the causes and conditions of poverty through building the capacity and effectiveness of its members who have a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding. These causes and conditions of poverty include high utility costs for PacifiCorp's low income rate payers. Low income families pay a higher percentage of their income for utility expenses than those in other economic categories. These conditions are often caused by living in sub-standard or older housing that is not energy efficient. Weatherization offers energy efficient retrofits for homes owned by low-income rate payers (at 150% poverty level). Currently, weatherization programs in Idaho

4. This particular filing involves the percentage of low-income weatherization funding that PacifiCorp will agree to provide on any given project. This filing is the result of a settlement stipulation executed by Petitioner and PacifiCorp in Case No. PAC-E-05-8 PacifiCorp's merger proceeding with Mid-America Holdings Company. In that stipulation, both parties agreed that it would be appropriate to present the subject matter of this filing to the Commission for resolution in a separate proceeding. PacifiCorp has made the filing consistent with the stipulation. Because this filing is limited to

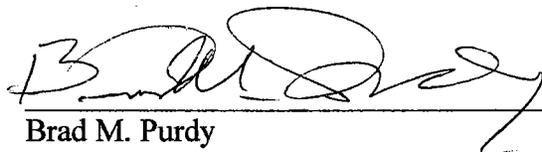
PacifiCorp's low-income weatherization program, Petitioner has a material interest in this proceeding and will address issues of interest to PacifiCorp's general body of ratepayers.

5. PacifiCorp has requested that this case be handled under modified procedure.

Petitioner does not object to an expedited handling of this case, to the extent reasonably possible, but objects to modified procedure. The reasons for this objection are several. First, PacifiCorp has already prefiled direct testimony and exhibits in support of its Petition. Petitioner would like to do the same. Furthermore, Petitioner wishes to conduct discovery and, depending upon the results of that process, might need to either depose PacifiCorp personnel or have them available for cross examination. Thus far, it appears that there exists between Petitioner and PacifiCorp disagreement regarding material issues of fact. Unless and until these disagreements can be resolved, attempting to sort it out solely through the submission of written comments imposes the risk that the issues will never be made clear to the Commission. Thus, Petitioner proposes that the parties be allowed to conduct discovery and that a tentative hearing date be set. The Commission could also set a prehearing conference date to discuss whether all issues of fact have been resolved and, at that time, decide whether to proceed with hearing or simply resolve the matter based on prefiled testimony.

WHEREFORE, the Community Action Partnership of Idaho hereby requests that this Commission grant its Petition to Intervene in this proceeding and to fully appear and participate as a party with all the attendant rights and responsibilities.

DATED, this 21st day of September, 2006.



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