

WYOMING PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Open Meeting Agenda

Items for Commission Attention

Tuesday, December 8, 2015
1:30 p.m.

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CONSENT AGENDA

Items on this list are deemed to be routine matters not requiring formal presentations and will be considered and voted on as a group by the Commission. Items may be removed from consent by a Commissioner or the Commission at the request of an interested person. Any item removed from consent will be considered as a regular agenda item and may be tabled if necessary to allow for full review at a later date. Requests from interested parties for removal of an item from consent prior to the meeting are encouraged.

1. Docket No. 70093-14-TA-15 (Record No. 14289). Notification from Hypercube Telecom, LLC of its name change to West Telecom Services, LLC. Commission to consider acceptance of notice of name change. Commission Staff: Melisa Mizel and John Burbidge. (No attachments).
2. Docket Nos. 30022-255-GA-15 & 30023-1-GA-15 (Record No. 14204). Joint Application of SourceGas Distribution LLC, SourceGas LLC, SourceGas Holdings LLC, and Black Hills Utility Holdings, Inc., for all necessary authorizations and approvals for Black Hills Utility Holdings, Inc. to acquire SourceGas Holdings LLC. Commission to consider and act on SourceGas Distribution LLC, SourceGas LLC, and SourceGas Holdings, LLC's *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Thorvald A. Nelson (Motion)*. Commission Staff: Sara Miller, Steve Mink, Tom Wilson, Kara, Seveland, Rachel Meeker and Luy Luong. (No memo; See attached *Motion*.)
3. Docket No. 20003-146-ET-15 (Record No. 14242). Application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company for authority to establish a Large Power Contract Service tariff. Commission to consider and act on:
 - a. Dyno Nobel, Inc.'s *Petition Intervene and Request for Hearing*;
 - b. Frontier Refining LLC's *Petition to Intervene and Request for Hearing*;
 - c. Microsoft Corporation's *Petition to Intervene*;

- d. Microsoft Corporation's *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Cameron L. Sabin*;
- e. Microsoft Corporation's *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Gregory B. Monson*; and
- f. Issuance of a *Special Order Authorizing One Commissioner and/or Hearing Examiner to Conduct Public Hearing*.

Commission Staff: Steve Mink. (No memo; See attached *Petitions and Motions*).

- 4. Docket Nos. 20002-98-EA-15; 20003-145-EA-15; 30005-208-GA-15 and 30011-92-GA-15 (Record No. 14241). Joint Application of Cheyenne Light, Fuel and Power Company; Black Hills Northwest Wyoming Gas Utility Company LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy and Black Hill Power, Inc., (collectively the Companies) for approval of Cost of Service Gas Hedge Agreement and other relief. Commission to consider and act on Constellation NewEnergy-Gas Division, LLC's *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Mark A. Nadeau (Motion)* and *Supplement to Motion (Supplement)*. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, John Burbridge, Marci Norby, Luy Luong and Michelle Bohanan. (No memo, see attached *Motion and Supplement*.)

REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. Docket No. 20002-99-EK-15 (Record No. 14243). Confidential contract of Black Hills Power, Inc., for confidential treatment of a business Development Service Agreement. Commission to consider acceptance of contract for filing and consider and act on *Petition for Confidential Treatment of a Business Development Service Agreement (Petition)*. Jon Thurber, Manager of Regulatory Services, and Amy Koenig, Corporate Counsel, to appear by telephone for Black Hills Power, Inc. Commission Staff: Don Biedermann and John Burbridge. (See attached *Confidential Memo* dated December 2, 2015, and *Petition*.)
- 2. Docket Nos. 30018-51-GA-15 and 30024-1-GA-15 (Record No. 14236). Joint Application of Lower Valley Energy, Inc., and Fall River Enterprises, Inc., for approval of a transfer of utility assets, an amendment to Lower Valley, Inc.'s Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN), and issuance of a CPCN to Fall River Enterprises, Inc. Commission to consider and act on Joint Application and *Petition for Confidential Treatment of Exhibit F to Joint Application (Petition)*. Wade Hirschi, CFO; and James Webb, President and CEO, to appear by telephone for Lower Valley; and Linden Barney, CFO; and JT Hill, General Manager, to appear by telephone for Fall River Enterprises, Inc. Commission Staff: Lori Brand, Kara Seveland and Dave Walker. (See attached *Memo* dated December 1, 2015, and *Petition*.)
- 3. Undocketed: CenturyLink to provide information concerning the status of the Sand Hill tower and associated cable installation located on the Wind River Indian Reservation and take such action as the public interest may require. Kristin Lee, Regulatory-Legislative Affairs Director, to appear in person for the Company. Commission Staff: Chris Petrie. (No memo.)

Upcoming Open Meetings:

Tuesday, December 15, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.
Thursday, December 17, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.
Tuesday, December 22, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.
Tuesday, December 29, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.

Notice of Increase in Telephone Relay Service Special Fee from \$.04 To \$.08

Having been notified by the Committee on Telecommunications for the Communications Impaired of an increase in the monthly access line special fee from \$0.04 to \$0.08, the Commission considered this at the November 17, 2015 Open Meeting and directs all local exchange companies and radio communications service providers to include and identify this increase on customer bills effective January 1, 2016.

Notice of Intent to Revise Rules and Regulations

Pursuant to Wyo. Stat. §§ 16-3-103; 37-1-106; 2-114(b)(iii), 124, 203(d), 204, 210 and 214; 3-112 and 114(a); 6-103(b); 13-131(a); 15-401 and 404(e) and 17-101(a)(i); the Wyoming Public Service Commission (Commission) intends to repeal Chapters 1 through 9 of its existing Rules and regulations and create amended Chapters 1 through 5.

The Commission intends to create amended Chapters 1 through 5 to comply with Governor Mead's initiative to administrative agencies resulting in: [i] reduction in the number and length of existing rules to the extent that there are now 5 chapters (from 9) and 94 pages (from 139); [ii] making the rules transparent, well written, concise and understandable; [iii] eliminating obsolete or unnecessary rules; [iv] promoting the streamlining of the Commission's operations by consolidating and reorganizing existing rules; [v] reducing unnecessary regulatory burdens on public utilities subject to the Commission's jurisdiction; and [vi] making the Commission more efficient and effective in implementation and enforcement of its rules for the benefit of the public and regulated entities subject to its jurisdiction.

The Commission welcomes all comments and suggestions on these proposed amended Rules. Written comments must be received by the Commission no later than the close of business on **December 4, 2015**. Copies of the proposed Rules are available to interested parties upon request at the Commission's offices in Cheyenne, and online at http://psc.state.wy.us/pscdocs/download/All_Chapters_Final_%2010-15-15.pdf.

A public hearing is scheduled to commence at 1:30 p.m. on December 14, 2015, in the Commission's hearing room located at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming, for the purpose of receiving comments on the proposed Rules.

Notice of Integrated Resource Plan

Rocky Mountain Power (RMP) has filed its 2015 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) in Docket No. 20000-474-EA-15 (Record No. 14089). Written comments regarding RMP's IRP were filed by various parties, and the comment period has ended. RMP has filed reply comments. This docket has been postponed from its original date of November 17, 2015 and will be considered at the Commission open meeting on December 29, 2015.

Please contact Sara Miller, John Burbridge, Marci Norby, or David Walker at (307) 777-7427 for additional information. This docket can be viewed at the Commission's office located at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming or at any RMP business office during regular business hours.