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Comments by Norm Hansen, Integrated Resource Plan Technical Advisory Member representing 9000 residents in Bellevue Bridle Trails area. Following are general comments affecting rate payers:

Energize Eastside Transmission line project was never discussed as promised by PSE. Both the Mar and Aug IRP discussion dates were missed by PSE. Delaying the review of

Energize Eastside until the 2021 IRP is completely unacceptable to ratepayers. By that time the project will have progressed to the potential completion date without meaningful dialogue with the TAG. This will not serve the public interest.

According to FERC, Form 1, PSE reportedly has already expended \$55,000,000 on "product development" which may already be in the current electric rate base.

It is requested that the commission specifically allow appropriate discussion to be meaningful prior to any new IRP final date.

Ratepayers need to discuss and provide needed technical oversight to protect rate payers interest in a timely manner.

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