BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of

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PACIFICORP d/b/a PACIFIC POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

Petition for an Order Approving Deferral of Costs Associated with the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency

DOCKET UE-200234

PETITION TO INTERVENE OF THE ENERGY PROJECT

Pursuant to WAC 480-07-355 (1), The Energy Project hereby petitions the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission or UTC) for leave to intervene in the above-captioned docket as an intervenor. The Energy Project requests intervention with full party status as described in WAC 480-07-340.

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The Energy Project works with Community Action Partnership agencies that provide rate

assistance and energy efficiency programs for Pacific Power & Light Company's (Pacific Power)

low-income electric customers. The Energy Project also works generally with utilities and other

stakeholders to develop and expand rate assistance and energy efficiency programs for low-

income customers in Washington. The Energy Project is a frequent party in general rate cases

and other significant dockets before the UTC involving Washington investor-owned utilities

when energy affordability, energy efficiency, and customer service policies are at issue. The

Energy Project has an interest in the issues raised in Pacific Power's filing and the potential

impact on low-income customers and programs.

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The Energy Project has a direct and substantial interest in Pacific Power's filing in this

docket and no other party will adequately represent those interests. The Energy Project will be

the only party to focus solely on the interests of low-income customers in this proceeding. The

Energy Project's intervention will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or

delay the proceeding. Accordingly, it is in the public interest to allow The Energy Project to

intervene in this docket.

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- For the foregoing reasons, The Energy Project respectfully petitions the Commission for leave to intervene in this proceeding.
- 7 Dated this 28^h day of August, 2020.

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