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Dear Commissioners Danner, Rendahl and Balabas,

Please direct PSE to plan for a 100% renewable future. Reliance on coal, natural gas and any other fossil fuel, as "transition fuels," is in opposition to the UTC mission statement as follows:

"to protect the people of Washington by ensuring that investor-owned utility and transportation services are safe, available, reliable and fairly-priced."

As we no longer deny the devastating effects of climate change, and its largest contributor is the burning of fossil fuels, we must change business as usual.

From an economic perspective alone, renewables are now cheaper than fossil fuels and batteries are reliable vessels for stored energy. Let's embrace that sunshine and wind power are free fuels!

Also, as you know, our US military lists climate change as a national security risk. (Sea level rise and coastal base flooding; civil unrest due to water and food shortages; severe storms; disease outbreaks; relocation of desperate refugees; costly military fuel convoys being targets of sabotage, etc.)

Renewables are safe, available, reliable and fairly-priced. Please direct PSE to convert to 100% renewables. It's a perfect match to your mission statement.

Sincerely,

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