

JULY 31 - 2017 PSE RATE CASE HEARING

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The Commission:

I am a long-time customer of PSE on Vashon Island. I currently pay extra for 100% Green Power. I would like to see PSE switch to 100% green power ~~right~~ away, but given the nature of this hearing, I am requesting that the ~~commission~~ ~~not~~ ~~allow~~ PSE to collect revenue from ~~coal~~ ~~plants~~ ~~3~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~end~~ ~~of~~ ~~2025~~. I believe there is strong support for this position throughout the service area, including many governmental bodies and governmental organizations. The year 2025 is also the deadline specified in the 2015 Pans Agreement. In addition, we know that the main supplier of coal for these plants will not be able to supply coal beyond 2025 without significantly expanding their operation.

Most experts agree that 100% green power is a very reasonable goal for this area and given the urgency of abating Climate Change, I believe this is a fair request. PSE should know that we, their customers, are willing to put up with the costs and inconvenience this may entail with their customers will surely allow ~~us~~ ~~to~~ ~~pay~~ ~~for~~ ~~it~~ ~~if~~ ~~it~~ ~~is~~ ~~reasonable~~ ~~and~~ ~~fair~~ ~~and~~ ~~given~~ ~~the~~ ~~urgency~~ ~~of~~ ~~abating~~ ~~Climate~~ ~~Change~~, ~~I~~ ~~believe~~ ~~this~~ ~~is~~ ~~a~~ ~~fair~~ ~~request~~.

Please limit PSE's request for a rate increase to the time 2025.

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