

## Keeping You Informed

# Proposed rate change

On June 1, 2016, Pacific Power & Light Company (Pacific Power) submitted an advice filing with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) requesting a change to Schedule 191, System Benefits Charge Adjustment, to recover the costs associated with acquiring and administering cost-effective conservation in Washington and complying with the requirements of Initiative Measure No. 937.

If approved by the Commission, this proposed change will result in an increase of \$2.0 million, for an overall average increase to Washington customers of approximately 0.6 percent. A residential customer using approximately 1,200 kilowatt-hours (kwh) per month would see a bill impact of \$0.63 per month. The Commission will examine Pacific Power's request. As a result of this examination, the Commission may determine that the schedule should be accepted as filed, modified or rejected. If accepted as filed, the rate change would go into effect on August 1, 2016.

You are invited to comment to the Commission. The Commission has the authority to set final rates that may be lower or higher than the Company's request, depending on the outcome of its examination. You can comment by using the "Submit a Comment" feature on the Commission's website at [utc.wa.gov](http://utc.wa.gov), or by using the contact information below. Commission staff will make a recommendation to the commissioners at an open meeting in Olympia. These meetings are scheduled every other Thursday at 9:30 a.m. Please contact the Commission to request to be notified of the scheduled open meeting at which the proposal will be considered by the Commission.

You will have an opportunity to comment in person at this meeting. The Commission is committed to providing reasonable accommodation to participants with disabilities. If you need reasonable

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accommodation, please contact the Commission at **360-664-1132** or [human\\_resources@utc.wa.gov](mailto:human_resources@utc.wa.gov). If you are unable to attend the open meeting, the Commission has a bridge line that allows you to participate by telephone. Call **360-664-1234** the day before the open meeting for instructions and to sign in.

## **Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission**

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ISSUED: June 1, 2016

### **Summary of proposed rate increase for Schedule 191**

Overall increase in dollars \$2.0 million

Overall increase in percent 0.6%

<b>Type of service</b>	<b>Current rates (¢/kwh)</b>	<b>Proposed rates (¢/kwh)</b>
Residential	0.298	0.351
<b>Commercial and Industrial</b>		
Small general service	0.298	0.349
Medium general service	0.249	0.299
Large general service	0.204	0.245
Public streetlighting	0.267	0.316
Agricultural pumping service	0.285	0.330



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