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**Subject:** Puget Sound Energy Integrated Resource Plan (UE-120767)

Dear Chairman Danner, Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission: As a customer of PSE, and a grandmother and great grandmother I believe that it's important to include the estimated social and economic cost of carbon in any final Integrated Resource Plan submitted to your commission. I am committed to investing in clean, renewable energy and reducing our reliance on carbon intensive sources of energy like the Colstrip Generating Facility. I have taken out a loan so that we could weatherize our home and install solar panels to make more carbon free energy available. We all must prepare for a carbon-constrained future, and I ask that all final recommendations in the IRPs coming before the UTC include a broad examination of carbon pollution, new federal air quality standards, and other environmental costs associated with the continued operation of the Colstrip facility. On behalf of future generations let's stop our reliance on the antiquated burning of fossil fuels and charge onward toward future clean energy. Thank you,

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