EXH. PAH-8C DOCKETS UE-240004/UG-240005 2024 PSE GENERAL RATE CASE WITNESS: PHILIP A. HAINES

#### BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

Complainant,

v.

**PUGET SOUND ENERGY,** 

Respondent.

Docket UE-240004 Docket UG-240005

#### SEVENTH EXHIBIT (CONFIDENTIAL) TO THE PREFILED DIRECT TESTIMONY OF

PHILIP A. HAINES

ON BEHALF OF PUGET SOUND ENERGY

REDACTED VERSION

**FEBRUARY 15, 2024** 

# Grant PUD Meaningful Priority and Auction Results Update

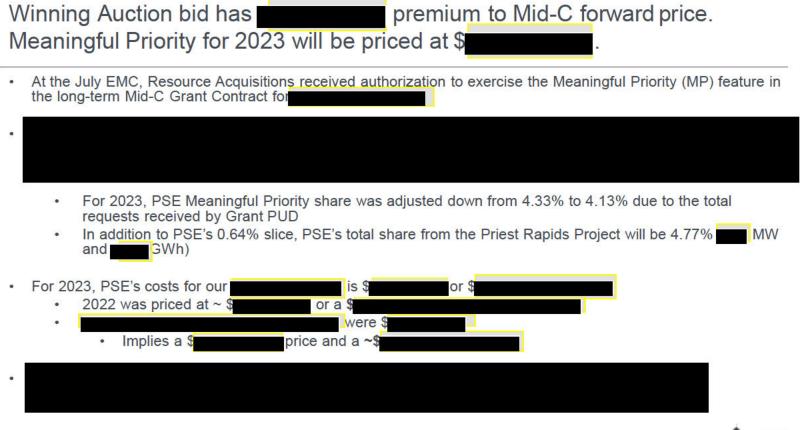


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Eric Kang Sr Commercial Development Manager

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Commercial Acquisition Manager



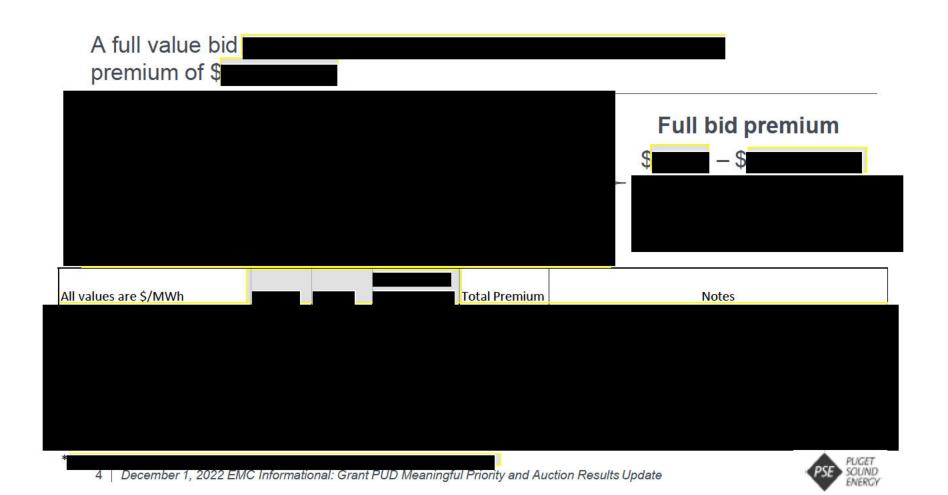


## Resource Acquisitions to consider updating premium methodology for upcoming hydro opportunities.

- Based on history and 2021 hydro \$ appeared to be a competitive bid
  - 2021 Chelan and Colville products where bid ~ \$
  - Past Grant auctions indicate a historical average premium of about \$ \_\_\$
- Initial valuation was based on the formula of \$ and a capacity value of \$ and a capacity va
- · 2022 Grant Auction results indicate a possible shift in carbon and capacity values
- · Updated valuations will reflect full value to PSE:







#### **Appendix**



#### 2021 and Historic Auction Results (Assuming 80-Year average Output)

Auction Year	Slice %	Auction Price \$/MWh	MidC Price	Premium Winning Bidder
2014 Power Auction				
2015 Power Auction				
2016 Power Auction				
2017 Power Auction				
2018 Power Auction				
2019 Power Auction				
2020 Power Auction				
2021 Power Auction				
2022 Power Auction				
	·		2018 - 2019 Average	\$
			2014 - 2021 Average	\$
		Average	Excluding 2016 - 2018	\$

<sup>\*</sup> Auction Year is the year auction was held.

For example, the 2022 auction was held in November 2022 and deliveries would start 2023.



<sup>\*\*</sup>All years reflect current 80-year average hydro assumptions

# HF Sinclair Puget Sound Refinery & Cogeneration RFP Bid Proposal



February 24, 2023

EMC Decisional

Zac Yanez Consulting Energy Trader Energy Supply Merchant

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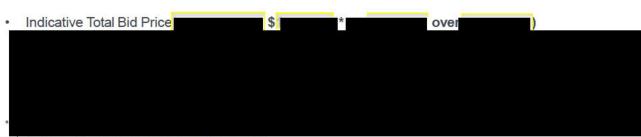
Recommendation: Submit bid to participate in HF Sinclair Puget Sound Refinery ("PSR") and Cogeneration RFP to acquire a net of MW and GWH from project

Recommendation:

Submit a bid to acquire the output of the PSR Cogeneration project ("Cogen Project"). The Cogen Project consists of three GE Frame 6 gas turbines and an additional 20 MW steam turbine for a total capacity of 140 MW. The RFP includes an obligation to provide load service for the PSR from the Cogen Project. The net generation results in an average of MW of capacity during winter and summer peak months and about MW of energy per year.



Product: Net generation and ~ GWh of



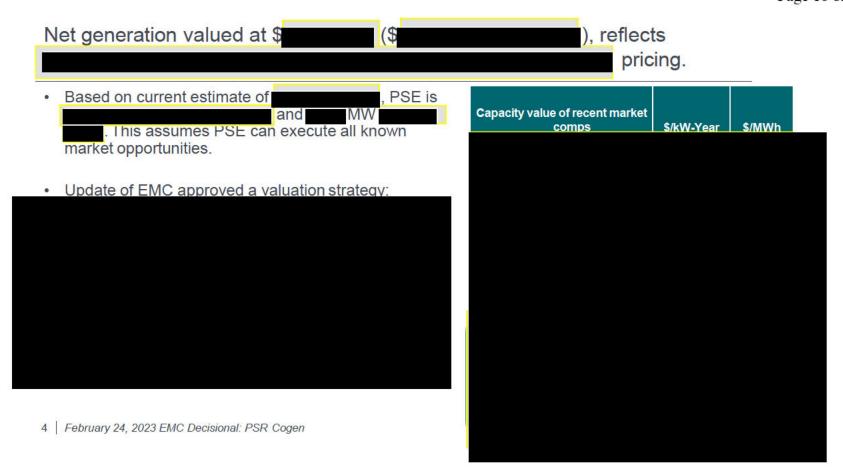
2 February 24, 2023 EMC Decisional: PSR Cogen

#### PSR Cogen Project background and key terms

- PSR Cogen Project, owned by HF Sinclair, generates as a baseload resource between 105-110 MW and produces steam, heat, and electricity for the PSR which consumes ~40 MW around the clock
- PSR is a 449 transmission customer, PSE has previous experience being an off-taker of PSR Cogen Project
- On Feb 6th HF Sinclair issued an RFP for a new off-taker of the net generation
  - Summary of Key Terms and assumptions
    - Term: Requested
    - Product: estimate about WW and GWh
    - PURPA facility, should reduce PSE's net load effectively



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maintains upside value and remains competitive based on historic premiums

PSE will offer a
Should market prices fall relative to prices based on forward price curve

At prices value would be \$
Does not reflect upside value should

Capacity value of \$

Dollars at risk if prices fall

P5 Energy Value

P25 Energy Value

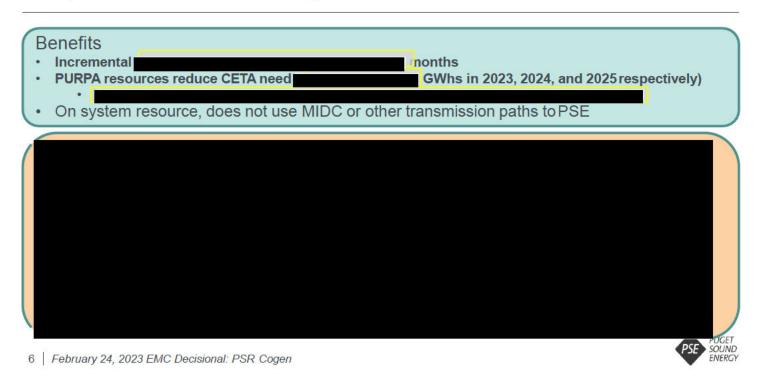
Bid Value

Bid Value



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Other Considerations: PSR Cogen provides base-load capacity and reduces CETA need, PSR owner carries CCA obligation



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#### Next Steps: ESM will prepare to submit a bid pending EMC approval

Feb 16 - Feb 23 - Edit and review deal confirmation and master agreement

- Finalize work with front office teams, ERC, EDA, and legal to ensure contract meets PSE commercial requirements before final bid submittal
  - · Review WSPP credit terms

Feb 24 - Finalize bid package and submit

Mar 3 - Finalist selected

Mar 4-Apr 7 - Execute final contract, if selected as the winning bid



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Product: Net generation

Indicative Total Bid Price not to



#### Appendix



#### Potential new resources reduce winter RA position gap





#### Potential new resources reduce summer RA position gap





## 5-Year Chelan Slice 38

EMC Decisional March 28, 2023



Zacarias Yanez
Originator, Energy Supply

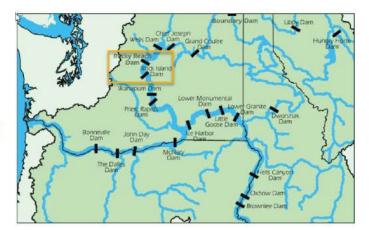
Recommendation: Submit bid for Chelan Slice 38, a 5% slice of Chelan County PUD's (CHPD) Mid-C hydro projects





#### CHPD operates 2 major hydro projects in the Mid Columbia

- CHPD total capacity is 1,978 MW
  - · Rocky Reach and Rock Island
- PSE has 30% share
  - 25% under
  - 5% under Chelan Slice 35
  - aMW energy
  - MW





#### The CHPD slice provides





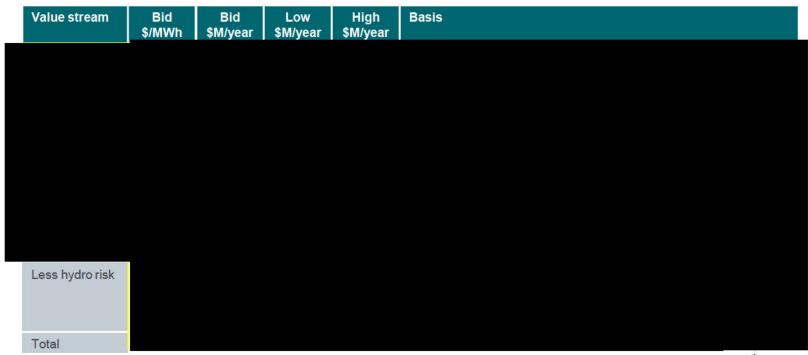
## CHPD Slice 38 helps PSE make progress towards meeting mid-term capacity and CETA needs

- Chelan Slice 38 provides MW of and GWh/year of CETAenergy
- · Helps meet immediate needs and functions as a bridging strategy while new resources are developed
- Tables below show the surplus/(deficit) positions before any new resource additions

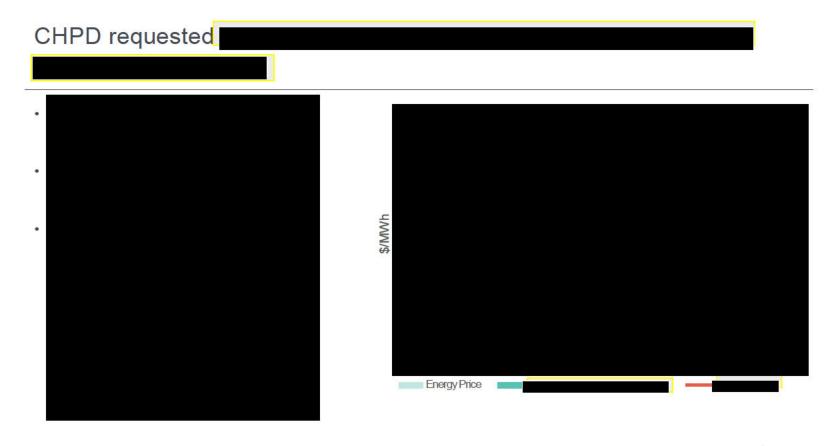














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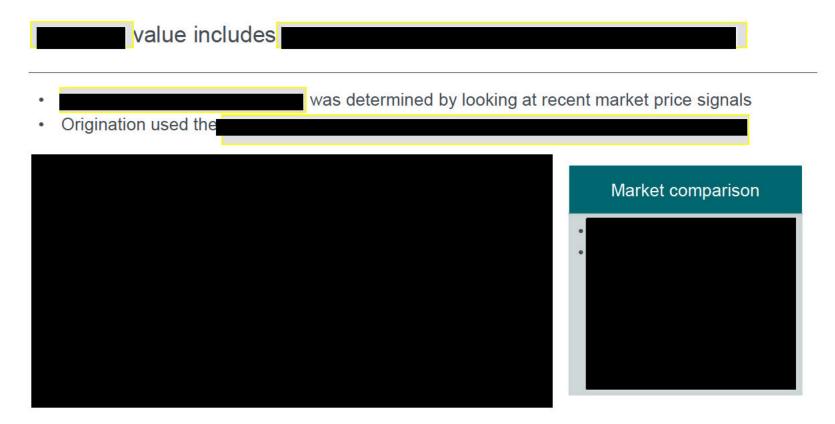
#### Next steps and schedule

Date	Event	Notes
Mar 28, 2023	EMC authorization of bid via email	
Mar 29, 2023	Bid finalized and submitted to CHPD	
Mar 29, 2023	CHPD notifies winning participant	
Mar 31, 2023	Contract finalized and executed	
	Delivery commences	

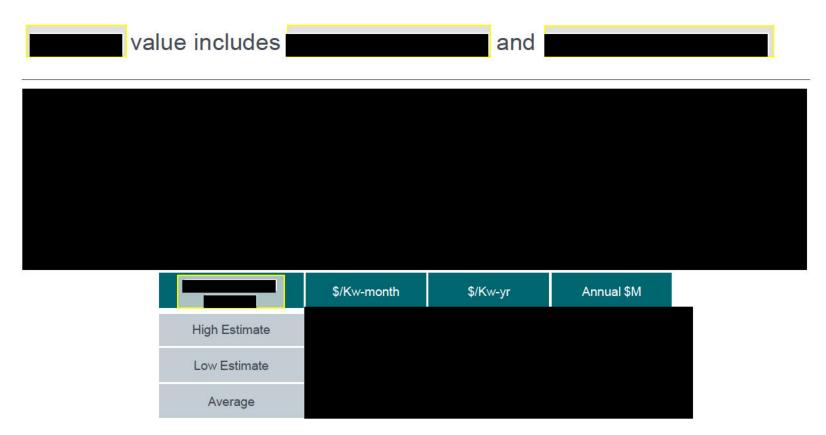


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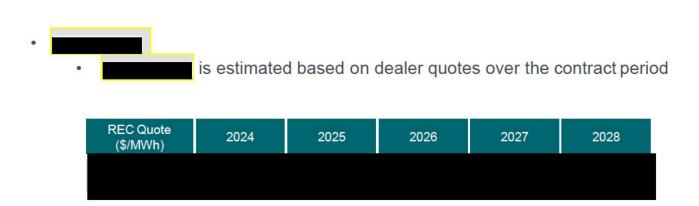














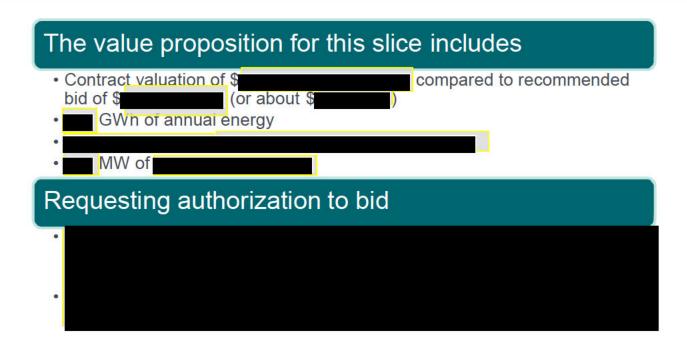
## **3-Year Grant Slice RFP**

EMC Decisional March 30, 2023



**Zacarias Yanez** Originator, Energy Supply

Recommendation: Submit a bid to Grant County PUD's (GCPD) RFP for a three year 20% slice of their Mid-C hydro projects

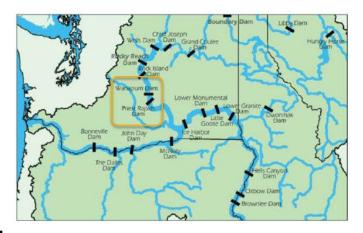




#### GCPD operates 2 major hydro projects in the Mid Columbia

- GCPD total capacity is 1,924 MW
  - Wanapum and Priest Rapids
- PSE has
- GCPD held its annual auction for 4.22% one year slice product in Nov 2022
  - Auction results implied a \$



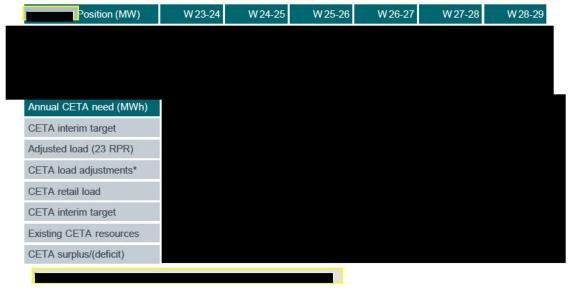






# GCPD Slice helps PSE make progress towards meeting mid-term capacity and CETA needs

- GCPD Slice provides and at least GWh/year of CETAenergy
- · Helps meet immediate needs and functions as a bridging strategy while new resources are developed
- Tables below show the surplus/(deficit) positions before any new resource additions











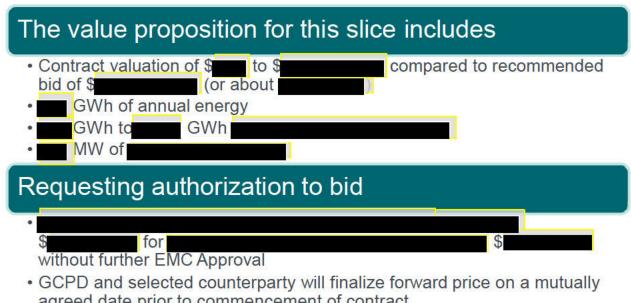


### Next steps and schedule

Date Event		
Mar 30, 2023 EMC authorization of bid		
Apr 6, 2023 Bid finalized and submitted to GCPD –refresh forward curv		
Apr 13, 2023 GCPD notifies bidders if selected for bilateral negotiation		
Q2 2023	Bilateral negotiations with counterparties	
Q3 2023	Final contract execution – refresh forward curve	
	Delivery commences	



### Recommendation: Submit a bid to Grant County PUD's (GCPD) RFP for a three year 20% slice of their Mid-C hydro projects

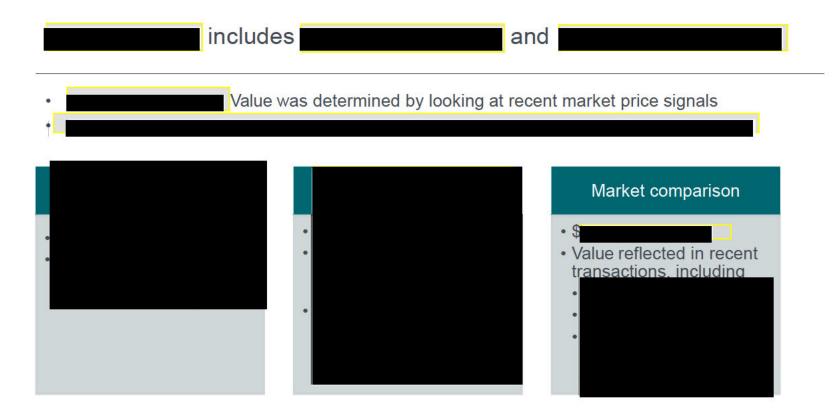


agreed date prior to commencement of contract

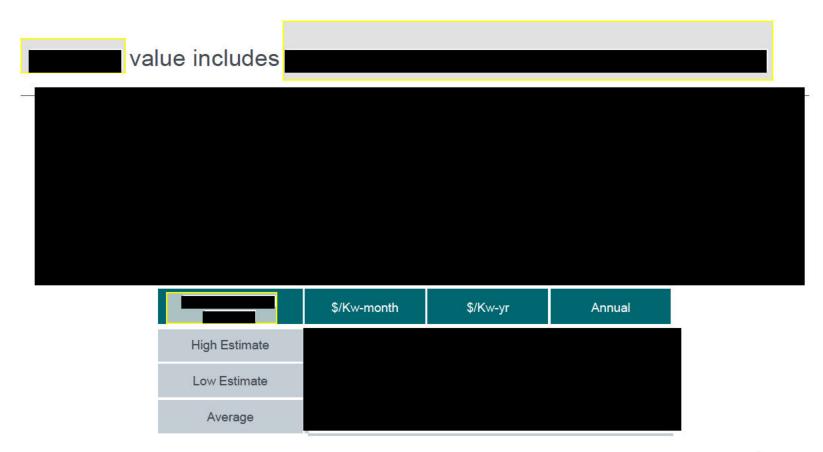


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- value is estimated based on dealer quotes over the contract period
- · Origination assumed PSE would maximize energy delivery from GCPD, and return unspecified energy to GCPD
- For example, in 2024 PSE would receive GWh of net generation but take delivery of GWh of







## Douglas County PUD 10% Slice Bilateral Offer

EMC Decisional May 12, 2023



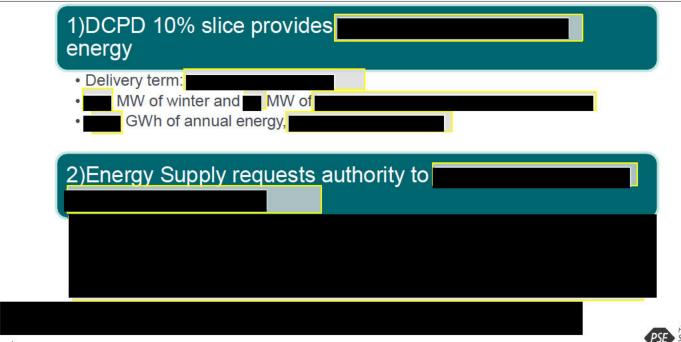
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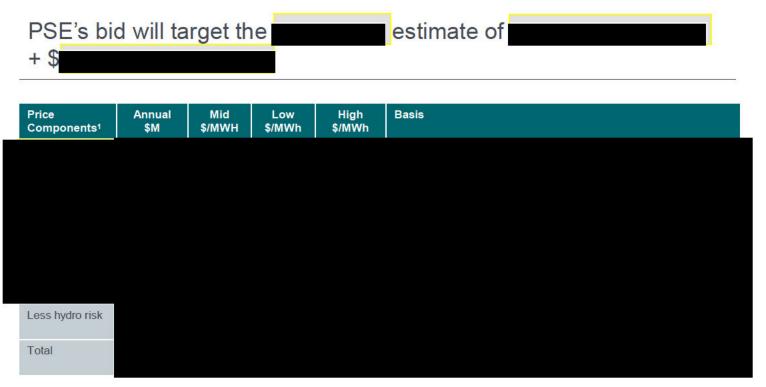
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Recommendation: Negotiate bilaterally for a Douglas County PUD's¹ Wells project



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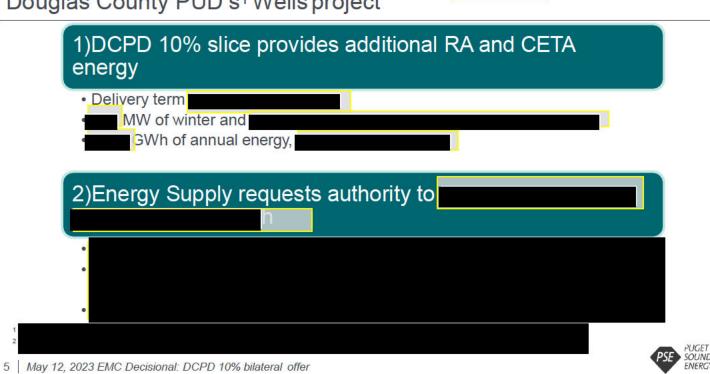
### Next steps and schedule

Date	Event	Notes
May 12, 2023	Request EMC authorization via email to negotiate bilaterally with DCPD	
May 17, 2023	10% slice bid finalized and submitted to DCPD	
Late Q2, 2023	Work with DCPD to finalize contract terms for 10% slice	Target 10% slice execution late in Q2 or early Q3
	Delivery of 10% slice commences	



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Recommendation: Negotiate bilaterally for a Douglas County PUD's¹ Wells project



#### **Appendix**

Please note that appendix slides 8-12 were originally presented at the April EMC meeting and reflect 80-year generation study. Energy Supply has since has updated to a 30-year data set that better reflect recent generation patterns.

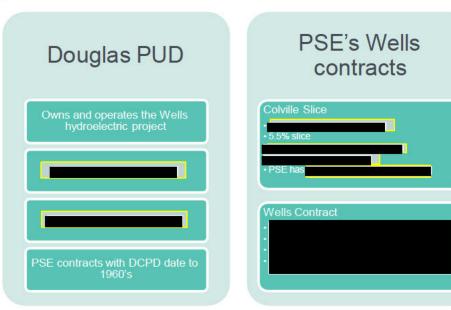


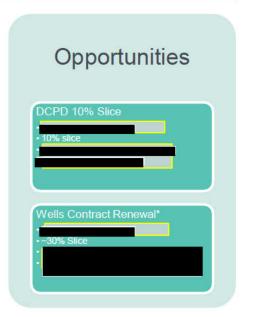
#### Recent known market activity supports PSE valuation methodology

- On May 1st BPA posted a notice of out of region non-preference surplus power sale
- · PSE allowed regional customers to purchase power at the same terms as the out of region sale



 The BPA products offer a reasonable comparison of third party pricing for a one yearhydro product PSE has two opportunities to expand its share of the Wells project and build on its long history with DCPD





\*Note term and volumes are estimates based on preliminary discussions with DCPD



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# DCPD 10% slice, contracts in negotiation, and upcoming market opportunities can help reduce winter RA deficits

Capacity in (MW)	Winter 23-24	Winter 24-25	Winter 25-26
RA position <sup>1</sup>			
PSR cogen <sup>2</sup>			
Grant 20% slice <sup>3</sup>			
Annual Grant slice (~4.22%)			
Colville renewal-DCPD4			
DCPD 10% slice			
RA position after additions			





See appendix for winter and summer RA position through 2031

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#### DCPD 10% slice contributes to 2025 CETA needs and CETA position already assumes renewal of Wells Contract

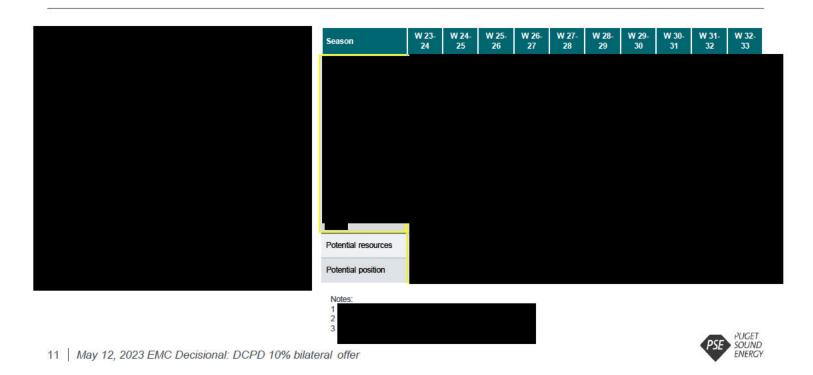
- PSE faces a CETA deficit of 1,448 and 6,735 GWh in 2025 and 2030 respectively
  - Position assumes a renewal of Wells Contract in 2028
  - Without renewal, deficit would increase by with a smaller increase in 2028
- DCPD 10% slice, PSR Cogen, and Grant 20% slice combine to reduce 2025 CETA need by
  - DCPD 10% slice provides about GWh
  - PSR Cogen may reduce retail load and effectively lower CETA need by about GWh
  - Grant 20% slice contract may provide betweer GWh depending on Grant's
  - CETA position at risk until contracts are executed; CETA surplus hedges under-generation from the existing portfolio
- Table below show the surplus/(deficit) CETA positions before any new resource additions

Annual CETA need (MWh)	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
CETA interim target	59%	63%	67%	65%	70%	75%	80%
Adjusted load (23 RPR)							
CETA load adjustments*							
CETA retail load							
CETA interim target							
Existing CETA resources							
CETA surplus/(deficit)							

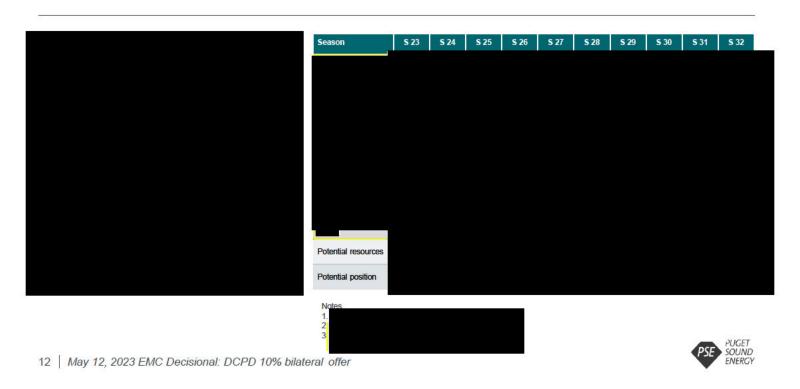


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### Potential new resources reduce winter RA position gap



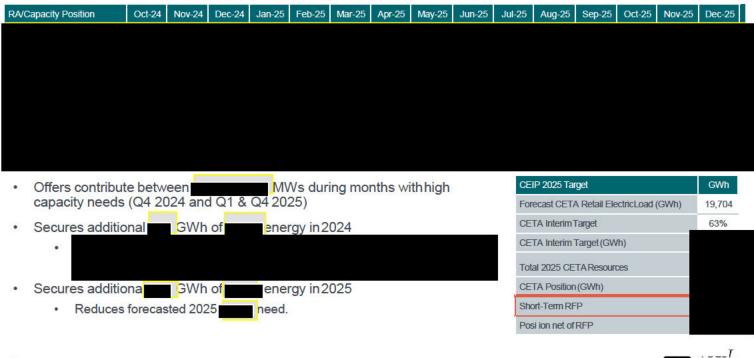
### Potential new resources reduce summer RA position gap







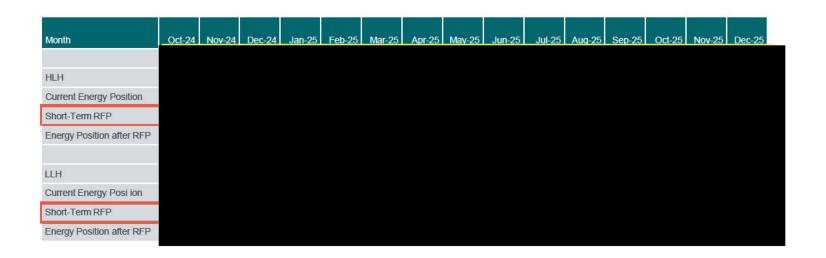
#### RFP offers will contribute to PSE's identified capacity and CETA needs



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### RFP offers reduce PSE open energy position

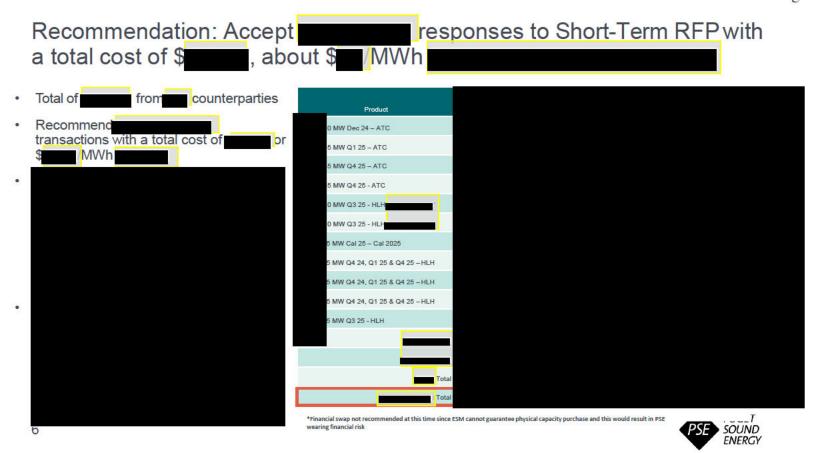




RFP offers secure energy and provide cost stability in volatile market conditions







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As presented at the August EMC meeting, under a scenario, PSE could face a CETA need as early as 2024



In 2025, to meet the CETA 63% target, there is a range of deficit from

	Scenarios	2,024	2,025	2,026
Surplus / Deficit				
Surplus / Deficit				





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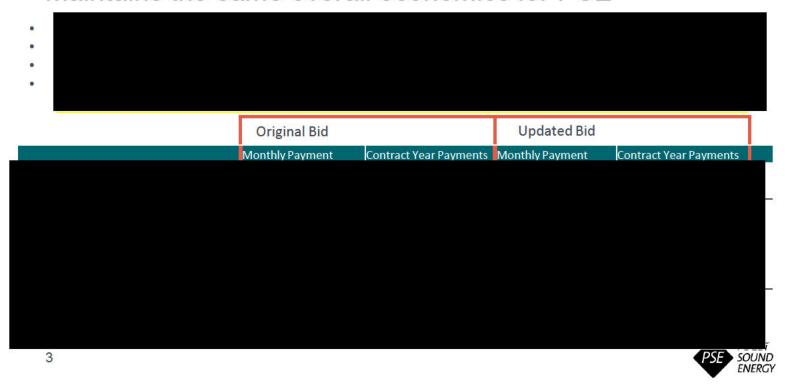
Recommendation: Present a modified price structure for the Colville tribe's\* 5.5% share of the Wells hydroelectric project

- At the August 28, 2023 EMC meeting, the EMC authorized Energy Supply to negotiate a renewal to purchase the Colville tribe's 5.5% share of the Wells project at a price of or \$
- PSE presented the Colville tribe a five-year term priced at \$
   or \$
   (\$
- Colville tribe has indicated interest in a five-year term, and has requested the option to accelerate
- Energy Supply requests authority to

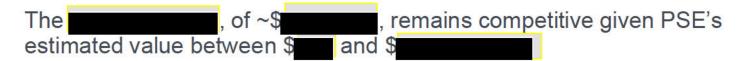


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# Giving the Colville tribe the choice between pricing options maintains the same overall economics for PSE



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### Next Steps

Date	Event	Notes
Nov 15, 2023		
Nov 16, 2023	Present both bids to Colville tribe	
Week of Nov 20		
Dec 08, 2023	Target execution date	
	Start new contract and continue receiving Colville's share of Wells project	



Appendix



As presented and approved on 08/29/2023

# Recommendation: Make a bid to renew the contract with the Colville tribe

• Request authorization to negotiate a

\$ or \$ for an offer to continue purchasing a 5.5% share of the Wells project from the Colville tribe\*

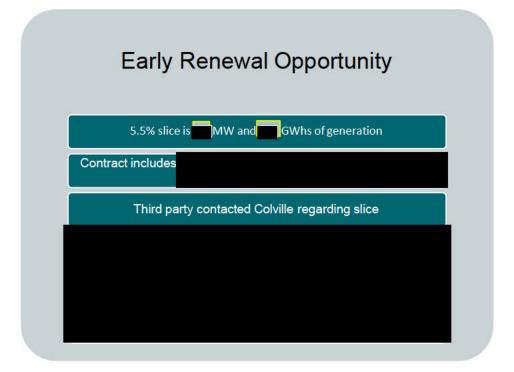
Category	Description
Product	5.5% slice of Wells project output, including storage
Quantity	• MW of and and GWh
Term	•
Value	

\* Confederate Tribes of the Colville Reservation



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**PSE** first purchased Colville's slice in 2018, and in 2021 extended through September 2024 8





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Recent market experience\* as well as limited known and supports a bid of MWh.

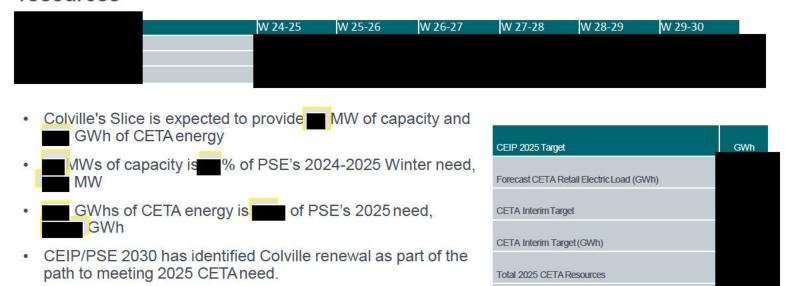


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CETA Posi ion (GWh)

PSE has identified a significant need for "bridge" capacity and CETA resources



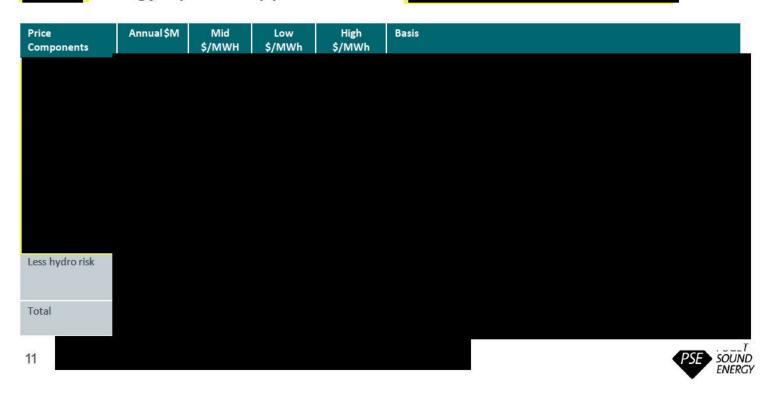


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Recent market experience\* as well as limited known energy option supports a bid of



Rate stability, (including Equity) benefits counter balance generation and price risks



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# Tentative timing will align with Power Cost Adjustment filing

Date	Event	Notes
Aug 29, 2023	Request EMC authorization for indicative bid	
Aug 30, 2023	Present bid to Colville targeting Late September Execution	•
Sep 6, 2023	Bid presented to Colville Tribal council	
Sep 15, 2023	Target execution date	
Jan 01, 2024		



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\$ or \$ for an up to offer to continue purchasing a 5.5% share of the Wells project from the Colville tribe\*

Description
5.5% slice of Wells project output,
MW of Capacity and GWh
•
•

\* Confederate Tribes of the Colville Reservation



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# Energy Supply has seen a dramatic increase in market prices for hydro-electric resources

- November 2022 Grant PUD Annual
  - A one year 4.22% slice of Priest Rapids project output
  - Auction settled at \$ (\$ )
- · April 2023 Grant County PUD 20% share of the Priest Rapids project
  - MW, between GWh of an and GWh energy net of return schedule
  - In July, Energy Supply's bid of ~\$ was rejected
- In May PSE submitted an offer to Douglas County PUD for a 10% share of the Wells project
  - MW and GWh
  - In June, Energy Supply's bid of (\$\square\$ (\$\square\$) was rejected

