

**MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
AGENDA NO. 13-10-08**

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For Work Week Commencing: October 7, 2013
Commission Meeting: October 8, 2013, 9:00 a.m.

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9:00 a.m. Weekly Scheduling (Commission Conference Room – No Web Audio Feed)

9:30 a.m. Business (Bollinger Room)

Public Comments

Action Items All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. Approval of Commission Minutes (Aleisha)

Approval of the Commission Minutes for the week of September 30, 2013

2. Amazing Adventures TN2589 (Brenda)

Carrie Anne Pintar dba Amazing Adventures, Livingston, Montana, requests permission to lease PSC No. 9482 to Lightning Ram, Inc. dba Bozeman Airport Express, Big Sky, Montana, for a six month period, October 8, 2013, to April 8, 2014. Proposed Motion: Approve the lease of PSC No. 9482 as requested.

Class B – Passengers in non rate regulated service between all points and places in the State of Montana. LIMITATIONS: Transportation is limited to vehicles with a rated seating capacity of 10 to 26 passengers.

3. Town Taxi, Inc. T-13.25.RI (Nickie)

On August 26, 2013, Town Taxi, Inc., Havre, Montana, submitted a rate increase application. The increases cover passenger operations under PSC No. 9436 and range between 0 and 100%. The rate increase was noticed to the public on August 28, 2013. No protests were received and the rates are scheduled to become effective on October 10, 2013. Proposed Motion: Approve the rate increases applied for.

Sub A Class B - Passengers between all points and places in Blaine, Cascade, Choteau, Hill, Liberty, Phillips and Toole Counties, Montana.
LIMITATIONS: 1) Transportation of passengers in limousines or in limousine services is prohibited. 2) Transportation of passengers that originate and terminate in Cascade County, Montana is prohibited.

Work Sessions All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. D2012.10.109 and D2013.9.71 – Shoshone Condominium Hotel Owners Association – Complaint of Shoshone Condominium Hotel Owners Association against ABACO Energy Services, LLC and Boyne U.S.A., Inc. –
1) Discuss and decide whether to accept the complaint and require an answer from each defendant; and 2) discuss closing the previous Shoshone

complaint, Docket D2012.10.109 – Complaint of Shoshone Home Owner’s Association of Big Sky, MT against Boyne USA Inc. (10/8/13)

Other Meetings

Weekly Scheduling, Review of Monthly Calendars, and Docket Status Updates (if requested by a Commissioner).

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Protective Orders – Notice Items The Commission has received the following requests for protective order pursuant to ARM 38.2.5007. The Commission will rule on the requests no earlier than 10 days after the publication date of this agenda. Comments on the requests may be submitted at any time prior to ruling. Copies of these requests may be viewed on the Commission’s web site at <http://psc.mt.gov>.

Protective Orders – Information Items The Commission has issued the following protective orders. These orders may be challenged pursuant to ARM 38.2.5008. Copies of these orders may be viewed on the Commission’s web site at <http://psc.mt.gov>.

Information Items All items identified below are for information only.

New Filings Received in Past Week

D2013.9.71 – Shoshone Condominium Hotel Owners Association – Complaint of Shoshone Condominium Hotel Owners Association v. Boyne U.S.A., Inc. and ABACO Energy Services, LLC