

At the meeting of the Public Service Commission of the State of Montana held at the Commission's Offices in Helena, Montana, on September 28, 2015, the following members were present:

Brad Johnson, Chairman	
Travis Kavulla, Vice Chairman	
Kirk Bushman, Commissioner	via phone
Roger Koopman, Commissioner	via phone
Bob Lake, Commissioner	

APPEARANCE  
Chairman Johnson

(253) In the matter of Acting Regulatory Division Chief.

Chairman Johnson moved to APPOINT Will Rosquist as Acting Regulatory Division Chief for the period of time while the position is vacant and to pay him a salary of \$77,379.93 during that time. Commissioner Koopman seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

There being no further business to come before the Commission the meeting was adjourned.



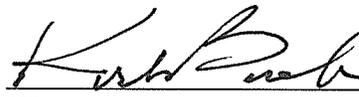
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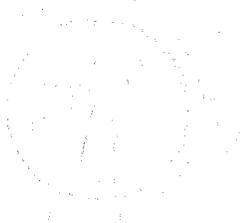
BOB LAKE, Commissioner

ATTEST:



Aleisha Solem  
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(254) In the matter of the approval of Commission Minutes for the week of September 14, 2015.

Commissioner Koopman moved to APPROVE the Commission Minutes for the week of September 14, 2015. Commissioner Lake seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

APPEARANCE

Mandi Hinman, Administrator, Centralized Services Division  
Eric Sell, Public Information Officer

(255) In the matter of Out of state staff travel.

Commissioner Lake moved to APPROVE the out of state staff travel of Eric Sell to attend the Basics course in Albuquerque, NM October 11-16, 2015. Commissioner Koopman seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

APPEARANCE

Justin Kraske, Administrator, Legal Division

(256) In the matter of D2009.12.54: Mountain Water Company's state drinking water revolving fund tracking adjustment.

Commissioner Lake moved to APPROVE eliminating the tracker adjustment. Commissioner Koopman seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

APPEARANCE

Jeremiah Langston, Legal Division

(257) In the matter of D2015.9.69: Mountain Water Company's application for power cost tracking adjustment.

Commissioner Lake moved to AMEND the effective date of the adjustment to November 1, 2015 to allow for a month of public comment on the docket. Commissioner Koopman seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

APPEARANCE

Jason Brown, Legal Division

(258) In the matter of D2014.6.53: NorthWestern Energy's lost revenue adjustment mechanism.

Commissioner Koopman moved to APPROVE the Final Order subject to minor edits. Commissioner Kavulla seconded the motion.

The motion was withdrawn.

APPEARANCE

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(259) In the matter of the Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes and EKI.

Chairman Johnson moved to DIRECT staff to file a request for rehearing. Commissioner Koopman seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

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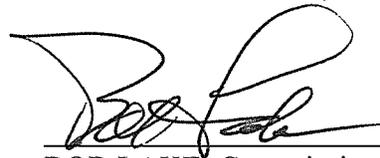
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