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BOULDER CANYON PROJECT
FISCAL YEAR 2022 BASE CHARGE AND RATES
PUBLIC COMMENT FORUM

Lakewood, Colorado

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(11:00 a.m.)

MR. GORLIN: Good morning and welcome to our public comment forum for the Boulder Canyon Project. My name is Dave Gorlin. I'm an attorney with the Western Area Power Administration from our Headquarters office in Lakewood, Colorado. I'll be the moderator of this forum.

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The purpose of this forum is to give interested parties the opportunity to make oral

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presentations and comments for the record on the proposed base charge and rates for the Boulder Canyon Project for fiscal year 2022.

A verbatim transcript of this forum will be prepared by our transcription service. Everything said while we are in session today will be part of the official record. Copies of the transcript and the complete record of the public process will be available for review at the Desert Southwest Regional Office at 615 South 43rd Avenue in Phoenix, Arizona, 85009.

All presentations and comments at this forum should be relevant to the proposed base charge and rates. As the moderator, I reserve the right to disallow any presentations or comments which are not relevant to the subject matter of this forum.

You may email to WAPA any materials to be introduced into the record and they will be assigned an exhibit number. The email address is dswpwrmrk@wapa.gov. After the close of the consultation and comment period, all comments, exhibits, and other information received will be reviewed and considered. WAPA will then issue a notice in the *Federal Register*

addressing comments made during the public process. Next slide, please.

I will now open the forum for oral presentations and comments. For those utilizing WebEx, you may notify the host via the WebEx chat feature and the host will call upon you. Please do not provide your presentations or comments in the chat box. You can also use the raise hand feature by clicking the hand icon to the right of your name in the participant window. If you are only participating by phone, unmute your phone by pressing *6. After you have been recognized, provide your name and the name of the organization that you represent. Also for transcription convenience, please spell your last name. If you have a copy of your presentation, please email it to dswpwrmrk@wapa.gov.

Does anyone want to make a presentation or provide comments at this time?

I'm seeing no hands raised or nothing noted in the chat box at this time. But I will open it up to, you know, another opportunity for presentations or comments.

And, Jay, can you confirm for me you're not

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seeing any hands raised or any comments being offered in the chat box, is that correct?

DSW HOST: That is correct. No hands raised, no comments in the chat box.

MR. GORLIN: All right. One last call for presentations or comments.

Okay. I'm still seeing no hands raised, no comments in the chat box. So, seeing that no one has indicated that they would like to present or provide comments during the forum I want to thank everyone for their attendance. Jay, could you go to the next slide, please?

So as mentioned earlier, you may also submit written comments on the Boulder Canyon Project FY 2022 proposed base charge and rates to Jack D. Murray, Acting Senior Vice President and Regional Manager, Desert Southwest Region, Western Area Power Administration; by mail to P.O Box 6457, Phoenix, Arizona, 85005-6457; or by email, this is the same address mentioned earlier, dswpwrmrk@wapa.gov. Comments must be received by the close of the consultation and comment period on July 14, 2021. For further information, please visit WAPA's rate

website at

<https://www.wapa.gov/regions/DSW/Rates/Pages/boulder-canyon-rates.aspx>.

Again, I want to thank everyone for their attendance today. This forum is now closed. We will go off the record, stop recording, and end the Webex session. Thank you very much.

(Whereupon, at 11:09 a.m., the
PROCEEDINGS were adjourned.)

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