

August 25, 2022

Mr. Rodney Bailey
CRSP Manager
CRSP Management Center
Western Area Power Administration
Via email only: Olmsted-Marketing@wapa.gov

RE: PROPOSED 2025 OLMSTED POWER MARKETING PLAN


Dear Mr. Bailey:

In accordance the Proposed 2025 Olmsted Power Marketing Plan, UAMPS hereby submits the following comments for WAPA's consideration.

UAMPS reiterates the comments we made in a 2018 comment letter as this project was beginning, which looked forward to this remarketing plan time. "We feel that the Olmsted Project should be renewed and continue beyond 2024 and at the same allocation percentages. We have concern about any changes to a project or allocations and how that could influence future allocations of federal energy."

The Federal Register Notice indicates a proposal to offer a portion of the resource to new applicants. While we feel that no allocation changes should be made, if new customers are to be added, we suggest you look no further than within the current entities for these new customers. There has been considerable growth and new people move into these areas over the last five years, corresponding to the time period of this project. Lehi has increased by 6,000 new customers which is a 30% increase. Springville has increased by 1,300 customers which is a 11% increase. Kaysville has increased by 800 customers which is a 9% increase. Weber Basin has increased by 175,000 people served which is a 32% increase. CUWCD has had significant growth as they cover water deliveries for some of these same areas and have upcoming new water plants for more growth.

Thank you for your consideration. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Kelton Andersen
Manger of Planning