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MEMORANDUM

TO: Power Committee

FROM: Terry Morlan

SUBJECT: Presentation and Discussion with Mid-Columbia PUD Managers

The general managers of the three mid-Columbia PUDs will meet with the Power Committee in Wenatchee. These utilities operate five dams on the mid-Columbia River. The three managers are:

Tim Culbertson, General Manager/CEO, Grant PUD
(Priest Rapids and Wanapum dams)

John Janney, General Manager/CEO, Chelan PUD
(Rock Island and Rocky Reach dams)

Bill Dobbins, General Manager/CEO, Douglas PUD
(Wells dam)

About half of their time will be spent talking about any issues confronting them, or anything that is of particular interest to them that they would like to discuss with the Power Committee. This may include their planning under I-937, integration of renewable resources, providing for large new loads from server farms, and other issues.

The rest of the time may be spent on issues surrounding the Columbia River Treaty. As the owners of mainstem dams on the Columbia River these utilities could be affected significantly by changes that might occur to the Treaty. Their role and involvement in the treaty discussions is of particular interest because they are not sovereigns, but do have a significant interest.

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