

Decision No. R22-0682-I

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO**

PROCEEDING NO. 22A-0230E

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IN THE MATTER THE APPLICATION OF BLACK HILLS COLORADO ELECTRIC, LLC FOR (1) APPROVAL OF ITS 2022 ELECTRIC RESOURCE PLAN AND CLEAN ENERGY PLAN, AND (2) APPROVAL OF ITS 2023-2026 RENEWABLE ENERGY STANDARD COMPLIANCE PLAN.

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**INTERIM DECISION CHANGING  
VENUE OF PUBLIC COMMENT HEARING**

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Mailed Date: November 2, 2022

Adopted Date: November 2, 2022

**I. BY THE COMMISSION**

**A. Statement**

1. By this Decision, the Commission changes the venue of a previously scheduled in-person public comment hearing regarding the Verified Application that Black Hills Colorado Electric, LLC filed on May 27, 2022, for approval of (1) its 2022 Electric Resource Plan and Clean Energy Plan and (2) its 2023-2026 Renewable Energy Standard Compliance Plan.

**B. Discussion**

2. By Decision No. C22-0612-I, issued on October 11, 2022, the Commission scheduled an in-person public comment hearing in Pueblo, Colorado, at the El Pueblo History Museum on November 10, 2022 from 4:00 p.m. through 6:00 p.m., or until concluded by the Commission.

3. After the Commission issued Decision No. C22-0612-I, it became aware of a conflict that made holding the public comment at the El Pueblo History Museum infeasible. Accordingly, the November 10, 2022, in-person public comment hearing will now be held at the Pueblo Convention Center.

4. The other details of the November 10, 2022, in-person public comment hearing remain the same. For instance, members of the public will not be permitted to call in or otherwise participate remotely at the in-person public comment hearing. The presiding officer may adopt procedures and time limits for comments as necessary to ensure that all members of the public have opportunity to comment. In addition, as discussed in Decision No. C22-0612-I, written public comments can be filed at any time in the proceeding and will be afforded the same weight as oral comments.

5. In addition, the Commission strives to accommodate all members of the public at its hearings and meetings by providing services for foreign language users and persons with disabilities upon receipt of a reasonable accommodation request. Requests for such accommodations should be made at least one week prior to the event by completing the [Language Access Form](#). Requests can also be made directly by contacting Holly Bise at 303.894.2024 or by emailing [holly.bise@state.co.us](mailto:holly.bise@state.co.us). Simultaneous Spanish interpreting will be provided during the November 10, 2022, in-person public comment hearing from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

6. Except for the venue of the in-person public comment hearing set for November 10, 2022, we do not modify any of the other directives in Decision No. C22-0612-I, including the details regarding the remote public comment hearing set for January 19, 2023.

## **II. ORDER**

### **A. It Is Ordered That:**

1. In accordance with the above, the previously scheduled in-person public comment hearing will no longer take place at the El Pueblo History Museum. Instead, the in-person public comment hearing is scheduled as follows:

DATE: November 10, 2022

TIME: 4:00 p.m. through 6:00 p.m., or until concluded by the Commission

PLACE: Pueblo Convention Center  
 320 Central Main Street  
 Pueblo, Colorado 81003

2. Except for the location of the in-person public comment hearing, this Decision does not modify the directives set forth in Decision No. C22-0612-I.

3. This Decision is effective upon its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING  
 November 2, 2022.**

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

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