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### **IEDA POWER COMMITTEE AGENDA**

March 12, 2024 – 11 AM Virtual

#### **Call to Order – Ed Gerak**

#### **1. Expectations of the Committee**

#### **2. WAPA Issues**

- **CRSP-SPP/Pseudo-Tie**
- **LTEMP SEIS**
- **Parker-Davis Remarketing Effort**
- **West-Wide Governance Pathways Initiative**

#### **3. Federal Legislation Update**

- **Help Hoover Dam Act (PRB/Stranded Funds – Sinema & Lee - NV)**
- **H.R. 7200 - “Hydrogen Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act,” DOE Pilot to Provide Grants & Loans to Domestic Hydrogen Projects**
- **H.R. 7171 Limits Increases to Efficiency Standards for Specific Distribution Transformers**

#### **4. Federal Issues Update**

- **3 Members Nominated for FERC - Democrats, Judy Chang and David Rosner, and one Republican, Lindsay See**
- **House E&C Chair Cathy McMorris Rodgers Won’t Seek Reelection**
- **EPA Delays GHG Rules for Existing Gas Plants**
- **Global Energy Transition Cost Estimated at \$3.5-\$4.5T Annually to Achieve a Zero-Carbon Economy by 2050**
- **Bloomberg Estimated 2022 Global Investments at \$1.1T Towards Effort**
- **Pause on LNG Export Permits**
- **Utilizing Enhanced Geothermal as a Load-Following Resource is Examined**
- **BP Backs Away From US Offshore Wind, Writing Down \$1.1B**
- **SPP Initial Indication that 45% Winter Reserve Margin Necessary**
- **American Petroleum Institute Files Lawsuit Against Administration Over Off-Shore Leasing Program, the Fewest Lease Sales in US History**

**5. State Power Bills of Interest**

- **HB2002 – “Transmission Line Definition” (Griffin) Passed 41-17-1**
- **HB2003 – Exemption from New CECs for Existing Lines (Griffin) Passed 43-15-1**
- **HB2646 – ACC/Plant Closures (Bliss) Passed 31-28**
- **SB1301 – Electromagnetic Pulse Safeguards (Farnsworth) Passed 29-0**
- **SB1345 – APA Extension (Kerr) Passed 24-5-1**

**6. Next Meeting – April 8<sup>th</sup>, 10 AM**