

BEFORE THE
ENERGY FACILITY SITING COUNCIL
OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Fees for Submitting)	
Requests for Exemption, Requests for)	Order Adopting
Expedited Review, Notices of Intent and)	A Schedule of Fees
Site Certificate Applications)	

1 Under ORS 469.441, the Energy Facility Siting Council (Council) must establish a
2 schedule of fees to be paid at the time an applicant submits a notice of intent, a request for an
3 exemption, a request for a pipeline described in ORS 469.405(3) or a request for an expedited
4 review. Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) 469.421 requires any person submitting the following
5 documents to pay all expenses incurred by the Council, the Oregon Department of Energy
6 (ODOE) and the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) related to the review and
7 decision of the Council:

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- 9 Notice of Intent
- 10 Request for Exemption
- 11 Request for Expedited Review
- 12 Request for the Council to Approve a Pipeline under ORS 469.405(3)
- 13 Application for a Site Certificate
- 14 Request to Amend a Site Certificate
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16 In the case of an Application for a Site Certificate, ORS 469.421(3) requires the ODOE to
17 estimate the costs expected to be incurred in processing the application. The applicant will make
18 periodic payments, starting with 25 percent of the total estimated fee, which is due at the time the
19 applicant submits the application. If total costs exceed the estimate, the applicant shall pay any
20 excess costs itemized in a statement prepared by Council staff. If costs are less than the fee paid,
21 Council staff shall refund the excess to the applicant.

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23 In the case of a Request to Amend a Site Certificate, Council staff periodically bills the
24 applicant for actual costs incurred. The applicant shall pay the amount due upon receipt of each
25 billing statement.

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27 In the case of a Notice of Intent, a Request for Exemption, a Request for a Pipeline under
28 ORS 469.405(3) or a Request for Expedited Review, the applicant shall pay the amount shown
29 on the following fee schedule at the time that the applicant submits the notice or request. The fee
30 schedule is established to recover all expenses incurred by the Council, the ODOE and DAS
31 related to the review and decision of the Council. If actual costs exceed the fee, the applicant

1 must pay any excess costs itemized in a statement prepared by Council staff. If costs are less
2 than the fee paid, Council staff shall refund the excess to the applicant.

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4 The Council finds that this matter is a substantial and immediate concern and that the
5 Council should not defer action until the next regular Council meeting.

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7 With this order, the Council sets the following general fees. All fees noted below are due
8 at the time that the applicant submits the notice or request. However, applicants are responsible
9 for all costs incurred by the Council, the ODOE or DAS and may be subject to further payments.

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11	Notice of Intent.....	\$ 25,000
12	Request for High Efficiency Cogeneration Exemption.....	\$ 2,500
13	Request for Temporary Power Plant Exemption.....	\$ 1,000
14	All other requests for exemption.....	\$ 1,000
15	Request for Expedited Review.....	\$ 5,000
16	Request for a Pipeline under ORS 469.405(3).....	\$ 2,500

State of Oregon
Energy Facility Siting Council

By: W. Bryan Wolfe
W. Bryan Wolfe, Chair

Dated: December 17, 2010