

RESOLUTION

5/16/84

NO. 290

RESOLUTION re ASC/BPA

WHEREAS, hundreds of thousands of Oregonians have and should continue to benefit from the power exchange provisions of the Northwest Electric Power Planning and Conservation Act of 1980;

WHEREAS, the extent of these benefits for residential and rural customers has been determined by a methodology developed by the utility regulatory commissions of the four Northwest states and approved by the Bonneville Power Administration on August 26, 1981;

WHEREAS, the Bonneville Power Administrator is now unilaterally proposing a complete revision of that methodology which would substantially increase residential and rural electric customers up to as much as 38 percent and deny these ratepayers the full benefits of the power exchange provisions promised under the Act;

WHEREAS, the Bonneville Power Administrator has not provided sound justification for proposing changes in the current power exchange methodology, nor has he accepted reasonable requests for impartial hearings on this BPA directed revision;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

The City of Sherwood is opposed to the arbitrary and biased revision to the current residential and rural power exchange methodology proposed by the administrator, and we call upon the administrator to either withdraw this unfair proposal, or at least permit adequate time and circumstances for full and independent public hearings on this change before he allows this intolerable, discriminatory provision to occur this July.

Adopted this 17th day of May, 1984.

By Mary L. Toppin
Mayor

Attest:

Polly Blankenbaker
Recorder