



Provider of Choice Workshop

January 21, 22, and 23, 2025

Updated to change start time for Jan. 22; updated agenda

PROVIDER OF CHOICE

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Notice of Ex Parte Communications

The Public Rate Design Methodology proceeding (PRDM-26) is occurring concurrent with this public meeting. The PRDM-26 proceeding is being conducted under section 7(i) of the Northwest Power Act and is subject to BPA's rules of procedure, including *ex parte*. The *ex parte* rule prohibits BPA from discussing matters within the scope of a section 7(i) proceeding, unless proper notice is given. For that reason, issues and arguments concerning the PRDM and tiered rates for the post-2028 period should not be made in this meeting. Please direct any such comments to PRDM-26, as described in the PRDM-26 Federal Register Notice.

Thank you.

Agenda: Tues. January 21, 12pm - 3pm

Tuesday, January 21, 2025

12pm - 3pm; no break for lunch; short afternoon break

Topic and Order for Discussion	Purpose	Materials	Est'd Minutes	Est'd Time of Day
Welcome and Agenda; Ex Parte Notice	Inform	Slides	5	Afternoon
Exhibit F Scheduling - Block, Slice/Block	New - Discussion	1/17 draft master template	30	Afternoon
Exhibit J Additional Resource and Energy Storage Device Requirements	New - Discussion	1/17 draft master template	30	Afternoon
Slice				
5 SLICE PRODUCT	New and follow up	Contract section	90	Afternoon
Exhibit L Provider of Choice Slice Application	Discussion	Contract section		Afternoon
Exhibit M Slice Operating Procedures (incl. RSO Test)	Discussion	Contract section		Afternoon
Other				
As time allows: Review redlines or other contract sections of interest	Discussion	1/17 draft master template	TBD	Afternoon
Wrap Up/Recap of Afternoon Caucus Topics	Discussion	N/A	5	End of day

Agenda: Wed, January 22, 9:30am - 2pm

Wednesday, January 22, 2025

9:30am - 2pm; Lunch break is 12pm-1pm; short morning break

Please note new start time is 9:30am.

Topic and Order for Discussion	Purpose	Materials	Est'd Minutes	Time of Day
Welcome and Agenda; Ex Parte Notice	Inform	Slides	5	Morning
Caucus report out/follow ups from Day 1 topics	Follow up	TBD	75	Morning
PLVS				
11 RIGHT TO CHANGE PURCHASE OBLIGATION (PLVS)	Discussion	Most current draft template	30	Morning
Exhibit C Purchase Obligations				
Resources				
10 TIER 2 REMARKETING AND RESOURCE REMOVAL	Discussion	Most current draft template	70	Morning
Exhibit A Net Requirements and Resources				
3 LOAD FOLLOWING POWER PURCHASE OBLIGATION				
3 BLOCK POWER PURCHASE OBLIGATION WITH SHAPING CAPACITY				
3 SLICE/BLOCK POWER PURCHASE OBLIGATION				
17 INFORMATION EXCHANGE AND CONFIDENTIALITY				
Environmental Attributes - Previously scheduled for Thursday's agenda				
Exhibit H Renewable Energy Certificates and Environmental Attributes	Discussion	Most current draft template and additional edits to be discussed	40	Afternoon
Exhibit D - Market Exchange				
WRAP and DAM				
22 WRAP	Discussion	Most current draft template	30	Afternoon
23 FUTURE AMENDMENT FOR DAY-AHEAD MARKET			10	
Other				
As time allows: Review redlines or other contract sections of interest	Discussion	Most current draft template	TBD	Afternoon
Wrap Up/Recap of Afternoon Caucus Topics	Discussion	N/A	5	End of day

Agenda: Thurs, January 23, 9am - 2pm

Thursday, January 23, 2025

9am - 2pm; Lunch break is 12pm-1pm; short morning break

Topic and Order for Discussion			Est'd Minutes	Est'd Time of Day
Welcome and Agenda; Ex Parte Notice	Inform	Slides	5	Morning
NR Block Policy	Inform	Slides	30	Morning
Caucus report out/follow ups from Day 2 topics	Follow up	TBD	60	Morning
Environmental Attributes - Moved to Wednesday's agenda				
NLSLs				
20 STATUTORY PROVISIONS (incl NLSLs)	Discussion	Most current draft template	40	Morning
Exhibit D - NLSLs and CF/CT loads				
Scheduling/Delivery				
14 DELIVERY	Discussion	Most current draft template	20	Afternoon
Exhibit G Terms Related to Transfer Service (Option 2: Include for customers served by Transfer Service)				
Contract High Water Marks				
7 CONTRACT HIGH WATER MARKS	Discussion	Most current draft template	15	Afternoon
Exhibit B Contract High Water Marks				
Administrative and Other				
20 STATUTORY PROVISIONS	Discussion	Most current draft template	10	Afternoon
Other				
As time allows: Review redlines or other contract sections of interest	Discussion	Most current draft template	TBD	Afternoon
Wrap Up/Recap of Afternoon Caucus Topics	Discussion		5	End of day

Workshop Norms & Expectations

- **Bonneville:** Provide open and inclusive opportunities for discussion and feedback.
- **Participants:** Provide feedback and share perspectives during workshops.
- **All:** Respect one another and assume good intentions. Bring a constructive mentality. Be solution-oriented. Identify “parking lot” items for distracting or off-topic issues.



Workshop Plan + Plan to Caucus

- As time allows, BPA will solicit feedback for additional topics to cover and/or will review contract redlines in the January 17, 2025 version that were made in response to stakeholder comments on previous draft master contract templates.
- Adjustments to caucus vs. workshop time will be discussed and made collaboratively.
- BPA staff will adjourn immediately after the day's meeting to caucus on logged topics for the remainder of the afternoon.
- Each day's workshop (Jan 21, 22, and 23) will result in a new version of the draft master contract template.
 - The updated template will be posted on the BPA website within an hour of that day's meeting end.
- Participants may provide feedback on each day's contract template, and email to post2028@bpa.gov for report out/follow up on Jan 22 and 23.
 - BPA prefers participants use the most current version of the contract template to provide feedback.
 - Do not submit feedback using 2024 draft templates.

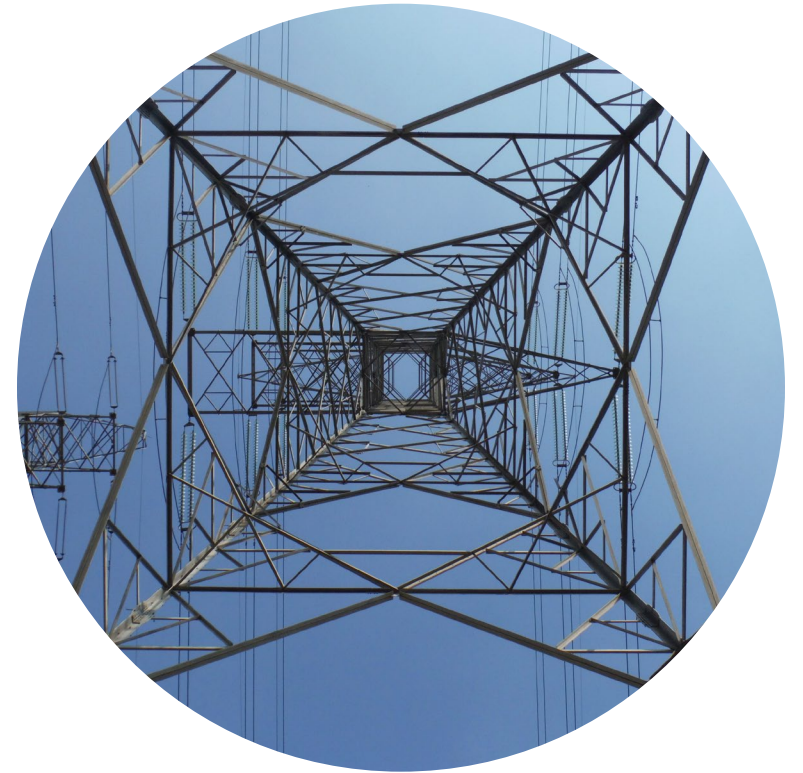
Next Steps

Next workshops:

- Tues. Feb 18, 12pm-3pm (hybrid)
- Wed. Feb 19, 9am-2pm (hybrid)
- Thurs. Feb 20, 9am-2pm (hybrid)

Following January intensive workshops, please send feedback by Jan. 31 to post2028@bpa.gov.

Formal public comment period est'd to start March 12.





Thank you.

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