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DATA REQUEST

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Response Due: Friday, January 17, 2025

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Data Request Number: OEIS-P-WMP_2024-PC-12

Subject(s):

- Q01. Regarding PacifiCorp's reasons for its changes in its wildfire mitigation maturity between 2023-2024
- Q02. Regarding expectations for responding "Yes" to Maturity Survey questions
- Q03. Regarding PacifiCorp's approach to answering the 2025 Maturity Survey
- Q04. Regarding PacifiCorp's Wildfire Governance Committee

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Provide all information in your possession, custody, or control, or the possession, custody, and/or control of your affiliates or agents, that is responsive to these data requests by the due date identified above.
2. Responses and documents may be produced and served electronically, but they must be fully machine-readable and searchable.
3. If you have any questions about the meaning or scope of the data requests herein, direct such questions to the Energy Safety staff identified as the “Originator” of this request at your earliest opportunity.
 - a. Lack of clarity on meaning or scope of requests without prior request for clarification from the “Originator” will not be a permissible reason for incomplete responses and will be regarded as non-compliance with the request.
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5. If you do not know the exact answer to any of the requests below, please so indicate and provide your best estimate.
6. Provide data in its original format (e.g., PDF, Excel, GIS shapefile, etc.), unless otherwise specified in the request.
7. Submit your response to the 2023-2025 WMP Data Requests docket (#2023-2025-WMP-DRs) by close of business on the response due date. Submit confidential information through the confidential e-filing process. Do not submit confidential responses through email.
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REQUEST

Q01. Regarding PacifiCorp’s reasons for its changes in wildfire mitigation maturity between 2023-2024:

Energy Safety issued data requests OEIS-P-WMP_2024-PC-07 and OEIS-P-WMP_2024-PC-09 to inquire about PacifiCorp’s changes in its 2024 Maturity Survey responses, which showed a decrease in projected maturity for 2025 and 2026. Energy Safety held a meeting with PacifiCorp on January 7, 2025, to clarify portions of its responses to OEIS-P-WMP_2024-PC-09.

During this meeting PacifiCorp repeatedly communicated to Energy Safety that PacifiCorp took a more conservative approach to responding to questions in 2024 compared to 2023. PacifiCorp stated that if it lacked a formal processes, governance, and/or documentation to support its answer, it changed its response from “Yes” in 2023 to “No” in 2024. The explanation provided during the January 7, 2025, meeting does not often align with PacifiCorp’s written responses to OEIS-P-WMP_2024-PC-07 and -09.

- a. PacifiCorp is asked to amend its responses to OEIS-P-WMP_2024-PC-07 and -09, as needed, to provide the context discussed during the January 7, 2025, meeting. Provide any amended responses in redline.
- b. In its amended responses, where applicable, PacifiCorp must separately indicate which Maturity Survey questions were impacted by an absence of formal processes, governance, and documentation prompting PacifiCorp to answer “No” in 2024.

Q02. Regarding expectations for responding “Yes” to Maturity Survey questions:

PacifiCorp must state when it expects to have sufficient formal processes, governance, and documentation to respond “Yes” to Maturity Survey questions for areas where it expects to mature.

Q03. Regarding PacifiCorp’s approach to answering the 2025 Maturity Survey:

For the 2025 Maturity Survey, describe the approach PacifiCorp expects to take in answering the survey questions (e.g., more conservative, similar to its approach in the 2024 survey; or less conservative, similar to its approach in 2023; other).

Q04. Regarding PacifiCorp’s Wildfire Governance Committee:

In the January 7, 2025, meeting with Energy Safety, PacifiCorp stated that it has a Wildfire Governance Committee that provides the formal processes, governance, and/or documentation that would have enabled it to respond “Yes” to Maturity Survey questions.

Explain the following about the Wildfire Governance Committee. Provide any relevant citations or links.

- a. What is PacifiCorp's Wildfire Governance Committee charter?
- b. Who are the members of the Committee?
- c. When did PacifiCorp establish the Committee?
- d. Why did PacifiCorp create the Committee?
- e. Does the Committee meet on a recurring or ad-hoc schedule?
 - i. If recurring, what is its meeting schedule?
- f. For every prior Committee meeting provide its meeting minutes and agenda.

END OF REQUEST