## **OEIS Data Request 10.4**

## Regarding PacifiCorp's planned process for ranking and selecting mitigations:

- (a) Are the models and methodologies described in question "Q03" above used to calculate the risk impact of mitigations?
  - i. If yes, please describe PacifiCorp's risk impact calculations for mitigations (e.g., calculations following the steps listed on page 117 of PacifiCorp's WMP) and include a numerical example.
  - ii. If not, describe the quantitative and/or qualitative process used to calculate the risk impact of mitigations.
- (b) How is a post-mitigation risk score calculated?
- (c) Once the risk impact of mitigations are calculated, how are mitigations then prioritized and selected?

## **Response to OEIS Data Request 10.4**

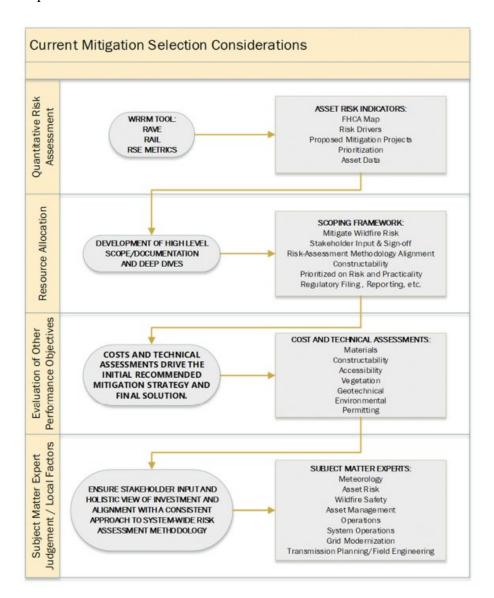
The Company assumes that the reference to "in question "Q03" above" is intended to be a reference to OEIS Data Request 10.3. Based on the foregoing assumption, the Company responds as follows:

(a) PacifiCorp is currently developing ignition risk mitigation effectiveness values for use in its risk-spend efficiency (RSE) calculations as shown in Figure 7-7 of its 2023 Wildfire Mitigation Plan (WMP), copied below for reference. These values will be applied to the risk models referenced in the Company's response to OEIS Data Request 10.3 to calculate estimated "before and after" risk scores accounting for the effectiveness of mitigations selected for a particular wildfire hardening project. PacifiCorp intends to provide ignition risk reduction in its Q4 2023 Quarterly Data Report (QDR) and to include additional detail on its ignition risk mitigation effectiveness calculations and values in its 2024 WMP including the risk impact calculations for mitigations with numerical examples.



Figure 7-7 Timeline for RSE Implementation

- (b) PacifiCorp is currently developing calculations for post-mitigation ignition risk scores. PacifiCorp intends to include additional detail on the calculation of post-mitigation risk scores in its Q4 2023 QDR and 2024 WMP, as discussed in the Company's response to subpart (a) above.
- (c) As shown in Figure 7-8 of the 2023 WMP, copied below for reference, the risk impact of mitigations (shown as "RSE metrics") is an input into the overall mitigation prioritization decision process, which includes cost and technical assessments and input from additional internal subject matter experts while factoring the timeline for other mitigation projects on the circuit.



**Figure 7-8 Current Mitigation Selection Considerations** 

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