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RE: STATEMENT OF INTEREST FOR RIF WESTERN EIM ENTITIES LIAISON POSITION

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to express my interest in serving as one of the Western EIM Entities Regional Issues Forum (RIF) liaisons.

As a market participant in the Western EIM and a regional energy policy practitioner, I have grown to appreciate the critical importance of the RIF's role in helping educate and foster strong dialog and relationships in terms of market operations, policies, and growth. I have over 12 years of experience working at City Light; starting in our legal department then moving on to our Power Supply group and our Regional Affairs team. I currently lead our Wholesale Contracts group and our Regional Affairs & Energy Markets team. My energy industry experience and dedication to regional and national energy issues has provided me with comprehensive knowledge in support of City Light's longstanding commitment to our customers to provide safe, reliable, and affordable service. I'd like to bring this experience and continued commitment to collaboration and open-mindedness to the RIF.

I appreciate your consideration as a RIF liaison and believe my experience and desire to lean and lead within the regional energy market space will allow me to be a helpful contributor to the RIF and to the operation of the Western Energy Imbalance Market. Thank you for your consideration.

Best Regards,

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