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Re: Western EIM Regional Issues Forum – Consumer-owned utilities located within an EIM Balancing Authority Area BAA sector liaison

Dear Ms. Crowley,

I am writing to express my interest in serving as a sector liaison for the Western EIM Regional Issues Forum on behalf of the Consumer-owned utilities located within an EIM Balancing Authority Area BAA sector.

I am President of Flynn Resource Consultants Inc., a small consulting firm that specializes in advising consumer-owned utilities on transmission expansion, resource procurement, legislative and regulatory issues, and California Independent System Operator (CAISO) market issues. Our clients include consumer-owned utilities within the CAISO Balancing Authority Area and the Balancing Authority of Northern California, such as Silicon Valley Power, City of Palo Alto Utilities, City and County of San Francisco, Alameda Municipal Power, Metropolitan Water District, City of Lodi, and Modesto Irrigation District.

As a consultant to, or employee of, consumer-owned utilities, I have participated in CAISO stakeholder processes since the formation of the CAISO. For two years, I was manager of supply resources for the City of Palo Alto Utilities, where I led a group of seven professionals responsible for electric, gas and water commodity price risk management, contract negotiation and administration, budgeting, billing analysis and payment, transmission and transportation planning, monitoring and intervention in legislative and regulatory proceedings, and interaction with outside agencies. I worked for over four years in the private sector for a power marketing company where I structured and executed transactions with energy producers, wholesalers and retailers in California and the Pacific Northwest to purchase and deliver physical and financial energy commodities and renewable resource products. I also served as CEO of Dynegy Italia Srl where I developed and implemented Dynegy's Italian energy market entry strategy, opened and maintained its main office in Milan and was responsible for incorporation of the company, hiring and training of staff, management of consultants and leadership and supervision of business activities. For over 25 years, I have provided analyses and advice to consumer-owned utility clients on generation and transmission expansion issues and on California ISO market design issues, including regional energy market issues, Energy Imbalance Market, Extended Day Ahead Market, Congestion Revenue Rights, Load Aggregation Point pricing, Integrated Balancing Authority Area (IBAA), and local and flexible capacity requirements. I have provided testimony on transmission and market

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issues in proceedings at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the California Public Utilities Commission.

In representing clients in stakeholder proceedings at the CAISO, I have appreciated the exchange of ideas, diverse perspectives and deep expertise of stakeholders from different sectors across the western region. My hope is that as a consumer-owned utility sector liaison, I could provide a meaningful contribution to the discussion of the complex issues that are facing the region and would endeavor to work with stakeholders to reach consensus on the issues.

Thank you for considering my interest in serving in this role.

Sincerely,



Doug Boccignone  
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Flynn Resource Consultants Inc.