

McMinnville Water and Light (MW&L) offers the following comments related to the Post-2028 Provider of Choice process, specifically the CHWM calculation as discussed in BPA's March 9th workshop.

1. **Economic Adjustment** – MW&L is in support of BPA including a load-specific economic adjustment to CHWM. MW&L has a large industrial customer that is vulnerable to a variety of economic drivers that contribute to depressed loads. MW&L looks forward to further definition of the parameters needed to account for this adjustment. This customer also has 19.06 aMW of CF/CT load that MW&L would like to ensure is carried forward in a post-2028 contract.
2. **New Specified Resources** – MW&L invested in the development of a non-federal resource under Regional Dialogue, which is currently dedicated to load in our Exhibit A. The PPA for this resource is due to expire in 2030, just two years into a potential Provider of Choice contract. MW&L urges BPA to develop policy flexibility that allows for an adjustment to the CHWM calculation to reflect the loss of that resource.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

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