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Re: Invenergy Comments on BPA's Grid Access Transformation Future State Workshop on August 19, 2026

Invenergy appreciates the opportunity to provide brief comments on BPA's Grid Access Transformation Future State workshop held on August 19, 2026.

In particular, Invenergy applauds BPA's new Rapid Access Products and Interconnection Delivery (RAPID) initiative to meet the needs of increased demand in the Pacific Northwest. This addresses a key challenge of Speed to Power for Large Load requests.

Invenergy generally supports this initiative as it has the potential to reduce the wait times for generation and load trying to come online in the near future. For the near term, if the initial RAPID initiative focuses on co-location of generation+ load and any behind-the-meter (BTM) projects, it would help circumvent the FIRM transmission issue and dependencies on TC-27 reform while not compromising grid reliability.

These initial steps for RAPID, combined with the Transition and Proactive Planning processes, have the potential to give a much-needed leap for the delayed Interconnection and Transmission initiatives.

Invenergy would also like to see more details about this RAPID proposal, including a timeline for its development and how it might be implemented.

Invenergy looks forward to working with BPA as part of the stakeholder process.