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Nancy Baker to Join Public Power Council Staff

PORTLAND, OR – May 24, 2007 – The Public Power Council is pleased to announce that Nancy Baker will be joining the staff as Senior Policy Analyst. She will begin her new role on August 1.

Baker, an expert in utility rates and contracts, has over seventeen years of experience covering a broad range of wholesale power and transmission matters in the Northwest. Currently, she is a consultant providing services on contract to the Bonneville Power Administration. Prior to that, she served for five years as a transmission and regulatory policy specialist for the Public Power Council (PPC).

“We are extremely excited to have Nancy joining the staff here,” said Scott Corwin, Executive Director at PPC. “She has extraordinary skills and a proven ability to work with the complex, technical issues that impact the policies and objectives of consumer-owned utilities.”

An attorney and a graduate of the University of Illinois College of Law and Colby College, Baker worked in the past as an attorney-advisor for BPA, and for law firms in Portland, Oregon.

“This is a critical time with respect to defining the future of transmission and power supply arrangements for our region,” Baker said. “I look forward to rejoining the team at PPC to work on these important issues for consumer-owned utilities.”

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About the Public Power Council

The Public Power Council, established in 1966, is an association that represents 114 consumer-owned electric utilities in the Pacific Northwest. PPC’s objective is to preserve and protect the benefits of the Federal Columbia River Power System for consumer-owned utilities. PPC acts as a forum to identify, discuss and build consensus about energy and utility issues. For more information, please visit us on the web, at www.ppcpdx.org.