

Public notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the Wyoming Administrative Procedure Act and the Wyoming Public Service Commission's (Commission) Rules and Regulations, notice is hereby given of the Application of Rocky Mountain Power (RMP or the Company) requesting authority to decrease rates, recover deferred Net Power Costs (NPC) under Tariff Schedule 95; and to increase rates under Tariff Schedule 93, Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) and Sulfur Dioxide (SO2) emission allowances, as more fully described below:

1. RMP is a division of PacifiCorp, an Oregon corporation, engaged in the business of supplying electric utility service to customers throughout its six-state service territory, including Wyoming under certificates of public convenience and necessity issued by the Commission. RMP is a public utility subject to the Commission's jurisdiction. Wyo. Stat. §§ 37-1-101(a)(vi)(C) and 37-2-112.

2. On April 15, 2026, RMP filed an Application requesting authority to revise rates pursuant to two different rate schedules. The Company proposes to recover approximately \$25.8 million of deferred NPC and under Tariff Schedule 95, its Energy Cost Adjustment Mechanism (ECAM), over a 12 month period. The Company also proposes to recover approximately \$0.15 million from customers to reflect the Revenue Adjustment Mechanism (RRA) forecast and true-up of REC and SO2 revenues under its Tariff Schedule 93. The Company requests interim approval of the proposed rates effective for usage on and after July 1, 2026, subject to further review.

3. RMP states the Schedule 95 deferred NPC is the result of: increased coal, wheeling, and other expenses; decreased wholesale sales revenues; and reduced purchase power and natural gas expenses. The following table summarizes the proposed price changes by tariff rate schedule. Within each rate schedule, the percentage change to individual customers may be higher or lower than the average due to rate design, customer load factors, and usage characteristics. The combined effect of the 2026 RRA and ECAM in this Application represents an overall proposed rate decrease of approximately \$51.1 million or 6.1 percent.

Residential	Combined Proposed Percentage Change (%)
Schedules 2, 19	(4.3)%
General Service	
Schedule 25	(4.6)%
Scheduled 28, 29	(5.5)%
Large General Service	
Schedule 33	(5.9)%
Schedule 46	(6.9)%
Schedule 48T	(7.5)%
Irrigation	
Schedule 40	(6.3)%
Lighting Schedules	
Schedule 15	(4.0)%
Schedule 51	(2.5)%
Schedule 54	(8.6)%
Schedule 58	(8.9)%
Overall	(6.0)%

4. This is not a complete description of the Application. You may review the Application at RMP's Wyoming offices

and at the Commission's offices in Cheyenne, Wyoming, during regular business hours or online at <https://dms.wyo.gov/external/publicusers.aspx> (Enter Record No. 18114) or RMP's website at www.pacificorp.com.

5. Anyone desiring to file a public comment, statement, protest, intervention petition, or request for a public hearing in this matter must file with the Commission in writing on or before May 20, 2026. Petitions shall set forth the grounds of the proposed intervention or request for hearing as well as the position and the interest of the petitioner in this proceeding.

6. If you wish to intervene in this matter and you require reasonable accommodation for a disability, please contact the Commission at (307) 777-7427, or write to the Commission at 2515 Warren Avenue, Suite 300, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82002, to make arrangements. Communications impaired persons may also contact the Commission by accessing Wyoming Relay at 711. Please mention Docket No. 20000-707-EM-26 in your communications.

Dated: April 22, 2026

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Notice of Application: Bar and Grill
Liquor License

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of April 2026, Big Springs Spa, DBA Safari Club filed an application for a bar and grill liquor license in the office of the Clerk of the Town of Thermopolis for the following building 115 E. Park Street and protests, if there be any, against the application of such license will be heard at the hour of 7:00pm on the 19th day of May 2026, in the Town Hall Council Chambers located at 420 Broadway, Thermopolis, WY.

Connie Guntly,
Deputy Clerk/Treasurer

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The Thermopolis Town Council met in regular session on April 21, 2026, at 7 pm at Town Hall. Present were Mayor Adam Estenson, Council members Tony Larson, John Dorman Sr., Rachel Hughes, and Dusty Lewis. Also, present were Mayor/Codes Administrative Assistant Jim Jeunehomme, Clerk/Treasurer Tracey Van Heule, Town Attorney Marshall Keller, Deputy Clerk/Treasurer Connie Guntly, Public Works Director Basil Sorensen, Police Chief Pat Cornwell, and Town Engineer Anthony Barnett.

AGENDA: Following the pledge of allegiance, Dorman made a motion, seconded by Larson and carried to approve the agenda.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT: Dorman made a motion, seconded by Lewis and carried to approve the financial statement for March 2026.

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION: MALT BEVERAGE PERMIT: Central Bank and Trust, requested permit for the May

14, Beer and Brats event at the State Park. Larson made a motion, seconded by Hughes and carried to approve the 24hr Malt Beverage Permit. State Park permission was received.

TOWN ATTORNEY:

1. **Third Reading Amending Ordinance for Adoption of Codes:** Keller noted there are no changes. Larson made a motion, seconded by Dorman and carried to approve the third and final reading of the ordinance.

ORDINANCE NO. 884

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 857, SECTION 1, ADOPTED CODES, ADOPTING THE INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE, INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CODE, INTERNATIONAL EXISTING BUILDING CODE, INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE, INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MANAGEMENT CODE, INTERNATIONAL MECHANICAL CODE, INTERNATIONAL SWIMMING POOL AND SPA CODE, INTERNATIONAL PLUMBING CODE, INTERNATIONAL FUEL GAS CODE AND THE NFPA 58 NATIONAL FUEL GAS CODE AND THE NFPA 54 NATIONAL FUEL GAS CODE AND ESTABLISHING RELATED FEES.

Passed on the first reading March 17, 2026.

Passed on the second reading April 7, 2026.

Passed, approved and adopted on the third and final reading April 21, 2026.

2. **Third Reading Repealing and Re-enacting Fireworks Town Code:** Keller noted there are no changes. Lewis made a motion, seconded by Hughes and carried to approve the third and final reading of the ordinance.

ORDINANCE 885

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REENACTING TOWN CODE SECTION NO. 11-102 CONCERNING THE SALE, DISTRIBUTION AND DETONATION OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE TOWN LIMITS; PROVIDING AN EXCEPTION THEREFORE AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION.

Passed on first reading March 17, 2026.

Passed on second reading April 7, 2026.

Passed, approved and adopted on the third and final reading April 21, 2026.

3. **Third Reading Mayor and Council Pay Rate Scale Ordinance:** Keller noted there are no changes. After further discussion of the pay scale, Lewis made a motion, seconded by Larson for a vote to approve the ordinance. The motion failed with Lewis voting yes, and Larson, Dorman, Hughes and Estenson voting no.

CODES ADMINISTRATION – The Spring Cleanup days are set for May 11th – 15th with the free dump day on May 16, 2026.

ADMINISTRATION –

1. **Tandem Dump Truck Bid:** Five bids were publicly opened on April 14, 2026. Dorman made a motion, seconded by Larson and carried to accept the low bid of \$174,994.00 from Floyds Truck for the 2027 Freightliner truck.

2. **SUV Police Vehicle Bid:** No bids were received. The Police Department will request at least three quotes.

3. **Water Plant/Well Discussion:** Jeunehomme noted the Yankee Dome water well project is ineligible for fund-

ing due to lack of easements. Discussion ensued on timing with the filter to waste project at the water plant and potentially duplicating effort and spending funds twice if a new water plant is built. Jeunehomme noted the town needs to make a decision on whether to invest in a new water plant.

4. **Update on 117 Fremont St.:** Jeunehomme is seeking quotes for the demolition and cleanup of the property. The Town will cover the dump fees for the Contractor during clean up. The Council generally agreed Town Administration could move forward if the quotes were less than the state statute amount for bidding.

5. **Other:** Jeunehomme noted two lots on 7th Street are for sale, however per Town ordinance the lots cannot be built on because of easements and access issues, discussion ensued regarding allowing variances for the property.

MAYOR & COUNCIL: At 7:50 pm Lewis made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Hughes and carried. The next Council meeting is May 5, 2026, at 7pm.

ATTEST:

Connie Guntly
Deputy Clerk/
Treasurer

Adam R. Estenson,
Mayor

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Legal Notice

No. 2084

Sealed Bid Request

Hot Springs County School District No. 1 is seeking sealed bids for furnishing unleaded gasoline and dyed diesel fuels for the Joint Fuel Facility in Thermopolis per listed items and specifications. The specifications and other pertinent information may be obtained from the Business Office, 415 Springview, Thermopolis, Wyoming 82443, by contacting Levi Benboe, Transportation Director, 307-864-6600, or on the Business Office page of the district website: www.hotspings1.org

Please return one copy of the completed quote by 5:00 p.m., Friday, May 8, 2026, to:

Hot Springs County School District No. 1

Attn: Business Office
415 Springview
Thermopolis, WY 82443

Returned bids must be sealed and marked **"Fuel Bid"** on the outside of the envelope.

Hot Springs County School District No. 1 reserves the right to reject any or all bids and the right to waive any irregularities in the bids or bidding procedures. Awarding of the bid will take place at the regularly scheduled Board of Trustees meeting on May 21, 2026, at 6:30 pm in the Board Room, 415 Springview, Thermopolis, Wyoming 82443. A letter awarding the bid will be mailed to the successful bidder.

/s/ Jennifer Axtell
Chairman, Board of Trustees

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Our office will be closed Monday, May 25 for MEMORIAL DAY

Early Deadline for the May 28
edition will be Wednesday, May 20
at 5 p.m. for all display, classified
and legal advertising.



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