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August 9, 2019

Ms. Michelle Bertolino Electric Utility Director Roseville Electric Utility 2090 Hilltop Circle Roseville, California 95747-9704

Dear Ms. Bertolino:

As required by Senate Bill 350 (de León, Chapter 547, Statutes of 2015 (SB 350) in the Public Utilities Code (PUC) Section 9622) the California Energy Commission has reviewed Roseville Electric Utility's 2018 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) filing, which was received on April 11, 2019. The Energy Commission informed Roseville Electric Utility on May 13, 2019, that the IRP filing was complete, as requested by Chapter 3, Section B.1 of the *Publicly Owned Utilities' Integrated Resource Plan Guidelines*.<sup>1</sup>

Based on a detailed review and analysis of Roseville Electric Utility's IRP, the standardized tables, and other supporting information, I have determined that the Roseville Electric Utility IRP is consistent with PUC Section 9621 requirements, and meets California's energy, climate, and other policy goals, including:

- Achieving greenhouse gas emission reduction targets commensurate with the electricity sector's percentage of economy wide reductions of 40 percent from 1990 levels by 2030.
- Meeting the renewables portfolio standard of 50 percent by 2030, based on SB 350.<sup>2</sup>
- Ensuring planning goals related to retail rates, reliability, transmission and distribution systems, localized air pollution, and disadvantaged communities.
- Considering the role of renewable resources, grid efficiencies, energy storage, and distributed resources in meeting peak demand.
- Addressing procurement of energy efficiency and demand response, energy storage, transportation electrification, and portfolio diversification.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/IRPs/index.html.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The POU governing boards adopted their IRP's on or before January 1, 2019, before SB 100 became effective. For the 2018 IRP the POU's are bound under SB 350.

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The docketed staff paper, Review of Roseville Electric Utility's 2018 Integrated Resource Plan, provides the details of the Energy Commission's review and findings regarding the consistency of the Roseville Electric Utility IRP with PUC Section 9621. The Energy Commission anticipates considering adoption of this determination at an Energy Commission business meeting in November of 2019.

If you have any questions regarding this determination, please contact Robert Kennedy at <u>Robert.kennedy@energy.ca.gov</u> or (916) 654-5180.

Sincerely,

Drew Bohan Executive Director

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