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**PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. ONE
OF WAHAKIYAKUM COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

RESOLUTION NO. 1207

**A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE OPERATION OF COLUMBIA
GENERATING STATION, A CARBON-FREE SOURCE OF AFFORDABLE
ELECTRICITY**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT NO. ONE
OF WAHAKIYAKUM COUNTY, WASHINGTON, as follows:**

**WHEREAS, Public Utility District No. One of Wahkiakum County, Washington (“District”) is
a municipal corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the Constitution and the
laws of the State of Washington; and,**

**WHEREAS, 2,489 electric accounts in Wahkiakum County rely on Public Utility District No.
One of Wahkiakum County, Washington, for a reliable supply of electricity at affordable prices;
and,**

**WHEREAS, Public Utility District No. One of Wahkiakum County, Washington, is committed
to providing its customers with as much of their electricity as economically possible from
carbon-free generating resources; and,**

**WHEREAS, Public Utility District No. One of Wahkiakum County, Washington, is a member
of Energy Northwest, a Joint Operating Agency of the State of Washington, that is committed to
producing electricity from carbon-free generating resources; and,**

**WHEREAS, Energy Northwest operates the Columbia Generating Station, a nuclear power
plant that is the largest source of carbon-free electricity in the State of Washington after the
state’s indigenous supply of clean hydroelectric power; and,**

**WHEREAS, Columbia Generating Station has an exemplary record of safe and reliable
operation, producing enough low-cost, carbon-free electricity each year to supply the entire
County of Wahkiakum, along with a city the size of Seattle, Washington; and,**

**WHEREAS, the replacement of Columbia Generating Station by a similarly reliable source of
electricity would add at least 3,000,000 tons of carbon to the atmosphere each year, which
would adversely affect efforts to combat climate change; and,**

1 **WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners of Public Utility District No. One of Wahkiakum
2 County, Washington, has found that the operation of Columbia Generating Station is essential
3 to ensuring that its customers receive a continuing supply of affordable, carbon-free electricity.

4 **NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED:**

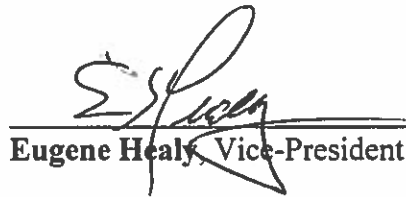
5 1. The Board of Commissioners of Public Utility District No. One of Wahkiakum County,
6 Washington, resolves that Energy Northwest should take all lawful possible steps to ensure the
7 continued safe and reliable contribution of Columbia Generating Station, through its lifecycle,
8 to the northwest clean energy mix, as approved by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

9 2. All previous resolutions heretofore adopted are hereby amended and modified in accord
10 with the foregoing definitions, provisions and schedules by this resolution. In the event of
11 conflict with any prior motion or resolution this resolution shall prevail.

12 **DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED** in regular session this 18th day of April, 2017.

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14 **Dennis Reid, President**

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16 **Eugene Healy, Vice-President**

17 **Attest:**

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19 **Robert Jungers, Secretary**

20 **Approved as to form:**

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22 **Timothy M. Hanigan,**
23 **Attorney for the District**

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25 **David Trambie,**
Manager of the District