Fiscal Year 2015 Business Development Fund Annual Budget



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<u>Summary</u>

The Business Development Fund (BDF) was created by Executive Board Resolution No. 1006 in April 1997 for the purpose of holding, administering, disbursing, and accounting for Energy Northwest costs and revenues generated from engaging in new energy-related business opportunities.

The BDF is managed as an enterprise fund. The budgets are divided by business sector: Business Services, Facilities, Generation, and Professional Services. Each sector may have one or more programs that are managed as a unique business activity. Revenues, expenses, and margins are reported for each program and sector.

Business Unit Support captures costs associated with developing programs. For Fiscal Year 2015, the revenue for the BDF equals \$7,666,000 and a total net margin of (\$111,000) (See Table 1). Total funding requirements are \$7,691,000 (See Table 5).

This document reflects budgets for programs associated with the Business Development Fund.

A comparison of the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget is made to the original budget issued for Fiscal Year 2014.

Key Assumptions/Qualifications

- Manage, operate, maintain, modify, and support facilities related to power generation.
- Assist members with generation resources, transmission integration, and power management issues.
- Offer cost competitive resource options that manage risk and promote environmental stewardship.
- The Business Development Fund will not require a general fund transfer from the Performance Fee Account.

Table 1Summary of Revenues and Expenses by Business Sector
(Dollars in Thousands)

		FY 2015	Original FY 2014	
Description		Budget	 Budget	 Variance
<u>Revenues</u>				
Business Services	\$	5,193	\$ 4,657	\$ 536
Facilities		553	510	43
Generation		1,221	838	383
Professional Services		699	 2,211	 (1,512)
Total Revenues	<u>\$</u>	7,666	\$ 8,216	\$ (550)
<u>Expenses (</u> 1)				
Business Services (2)	\$	4,957	\$ 4,382	\$ 575
Facilities		525	611	(86)
Generation		1,621	1,437	184
Professional Services (3)		674	2,210	(1,536)
Total Expenses	\$	7,777	\$ 8,640	\$ (863)
Net Margin	<u>\$</u>	(111)	\$ (424)	\$ 313

(1) Does not include capital expenses

(2) Includes \$74,000 in depreciation

(3) Includes \$12,000 in depreciation

Table 2

Detailed Financial Summary (Dollars in Thousands)

		FY 2015	FY 2015	FY 2015
Description		Revenue	Cost	Margin
Business Services				
Columbia Calibration Services	\$	2,239	\$ 2,239	\$ -
Commercial Calibration Services		925	722	203
Environmental Laboratory Services		275	257	18
Columbia Environmental Laboratory		1,713	1,713	-
Misc Other		41	 26	 15
Total Business Services (1)	\$	5,193	\$ 4,957	\$ 236
Facilities				
IDC Leases	\$	546	\$ 519	\$ 27
Misc Other	-	7	6	1
Total Facilities	\$	553	\$ 525	\$ 28
Generation				
Demand Response	\$	916	\$ 1,047	\$ (131)
Distributed Storage		166	166	-
Energy Storage			78	(78)
Power Management & Supply		-	98	(98)
Neoen Solar		84	84	-
Solar		-	50	(50)
Wind Development		-	43	(43)
Modular Nuclear		55	 55	 -
Total Generation	\$	1,221	\$ 1,621	\$ (400)
Professional Services				
Tieton	\$	464	\$ 428	\$ 36
Engineering Services		60	60	-
Technical Services		78	78	-
Roving Work Force		96	96	-
White Bluffs Solar (2)		1	 12	 (11)
Total Professional Services	\$	699	\$ 674	\$ 25
Total	\$	7,666	\$ 7,777	\$ (111)

Margin - () Unfavorable

(1) Includes depreciation of \$74,000

(2) Includes depreciation of \$12,000

Note: \$2,051,000 in BDF Business Support is allocated to Energy/Business Services programs.

Table 3Summary of Capital(Dollars in Thousands)

		Original	
	FY 2015	FY 2014	
Description	 Budget	 Budget	 Variance
Business Sector / Project			
Business Services			
Calibration Laboratory Services	\$ -	\$ 132	\$ (132)
Environmental Laboratory Services	 -	 79	 (79)
Total - Capital	\$ -	\$ 211	\$ (211)

Table 4Summary of Full Time Equivalent Positions *

		Original	
usiness Services Sector acilities / Leasing Sector eneration Sector direct Support rofessional Services Sector otal Positions ess: FTEs in Labs Supporting Columbia	FY 2015	FY 2014	
Description	Budget	Budget	Variance
Business Services Sector	25	26	(1)
Facilities / Leasing Sector	3	4	(1)
Generation Sector	3	2	1
Indirect Support	11	11	-
Professional Services Sector	1	3	(2)
Total Positions	43	46	(3)
Less: FTEs in Labs Supporting Columbia	20	20	
Total Positions	23	26	(3)

* Includes Allocations of Corporate Full Time Equivalent Positions

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Table 5 Statement of Funding Requirements (Dollars in Thousands)

		FY 2015		Original FY 2014		
Description		Budget		Budget		Variance
Funding Requirements						
Expense Requirements (1)	\$	7,691	\$	8,640	\$	(949)
Capital Requirements		-		211		(211)
Total Funding Requirements	<u>\$</u>	7,691	\$	8,851	\$	(1,160)
Funding Sources						
Revenues	<u>\$</u>	7,666	\$	8,216	\$	(550)
Total Funding Sources	<u>\$</u>	7,666	\$	8,216	\$	(550)
Change in Fund Balance	\$	(25)	<u>\$</u>	(635)	<u>\$</u>	610

(1) Expenses exclude \$86,000 of depreciation (non-cash item).

Table 6
Business Development Fund - Cash Flow
(Dollars in Thousands)

													F	Y 2015
Description	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun		Total
Beginning Balance	\$ 4,777	\$ 4,774	\$ 4,772	\$ 4,770	\$ 4,768	\$ 4,766	\$ 4,765	\$ 4,763	\$ 4,761	\$ 4,759	\$ 4,757	\$ 4,755	\$	4,777
Receipts														
Revenues	\$ 638	\$ 639	\$ 638	\$	7,666									
Total Receipts	\$ 638	\$ 639	\$ 638	\$	7,666									
Disbursements														
Expense Requirements	\$ 641	\$	7,691											
Capital Requirements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-
Total Disbursements	\$ 641	\$	7,691											
Ending Balance	\$ 4,774	\$ 4,772	\$ 4,770	\$ 4,768	\$ 4,766	\$ 4,765	\$ 4,763	\$ 4,761	\$ 4,759	\$ 4,757	\$ 4,755	\$ 4,752	\$	4,752

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