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ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION  
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COMPANY: Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.

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OPEN MEETING DATE: August 17, 2009 AGENDA ITEM NO. U-1

Delete page 38 lines 23-25.

Delete page 39 lines 1-4.

Insert page 38 lines 23 the following paragraph:

However, we are concerned that once constructed, the project will permanently change the landscape for the impacted communities and the manner in which electric service is provided to the Cooperative's customers. We need to ensure that the goals of some in the local communities who want more investment in renewable generation to mitigate the need for the project have been fully considered by the Cooperative. We believe a feasibility study prepared on behalf of the Cooperative by an independent third party is necessary for further analysis and consideration of the issues presented, prior to proceeding with construction of the project. Therefore, we shall require the Cooperative to docket a feasibility study on the project and possible alternatives and hold public forums in the impacted communities. The public forums shall include an opportunity for community members' discussion on the feasibility study, including alternatives prior to construction of the project. At the conclusion of the public forums the Cooperative shall docket a report and minutes from the public forums.

Insert page 47, line 11, new ordering paragraph:

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, as a matter of compliance, shall docket by December 31, 2009, a feasibility study prepared by an independent third party that includes alternatives (including use of distributed renewable energy) that could mitigate the need for construction of the Cooperative's proposed 69kV project. The feasibility study shall be available for discussion in public forums conducted by the Cooperative in the impacted communities. A report and minutes from these public forums shall be docketed by Cooperative no later than July 30, 2010.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative shall not commence construction of the referenced 69kV line until the public has had an opportunity to review and comment on the report and until further order of the Commission.

Conforming changes.