Agency: Public Utilities Commission 900

In accordance with 67-3502 Idaho Code, I certify the included budget properly states the receipts and expenditures of the departments (agency, office, or institution) for the fiscal years indicated.

Signature of Department Director:

Taylor Thomas

Date: 08/28/2025

				FY 2025 Total Appropriation	FY 2025 Total Expenditures	FY 2026 Original Appropriation	FY 2026 Estimated Expenditures	FY 2027 Total Request
Appr	opriation Uni	it						
Utili	ties Regulatio	n		7,493,400	6,308,400	7,771,400	7,674,100	7,889,700
			Total	7,493,400	6,308,400	7,771,400	7,674,100	7,889,700
By F	und Source							
D	12500	Dedicated		219,300	6,000	219,300	219,300	219,300
D	22920	Dedicated		6,899,000	5,981,700	7,169,900	7,072,600	7,280,000
F	34800	Federal		375,100	320,700	382,200	382,200	390,400
			Total	7,493,400	6,308,400	7,771,400	7,674,100	7,889,700
Ву А	ccount Categ	jory						
Per	sonnel Cost			5,251,100	4,666,400	5,687,800	5,590,500	5,857,200
Оре	erating Expens	se		2,181,500	1,615,900	1,970,800	1,970,800	1,989,900
Cap	oital Outlay			60,800	26,100	112,800	112,800	42,600
			Total	7,493,400	6,308,400	7,771,400	7,674,100	7,889,700
FTF	Positions			48	48	50	49	49
			Total	48	48	50	49	49

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Division Description Request for Fiscal Year: 2027

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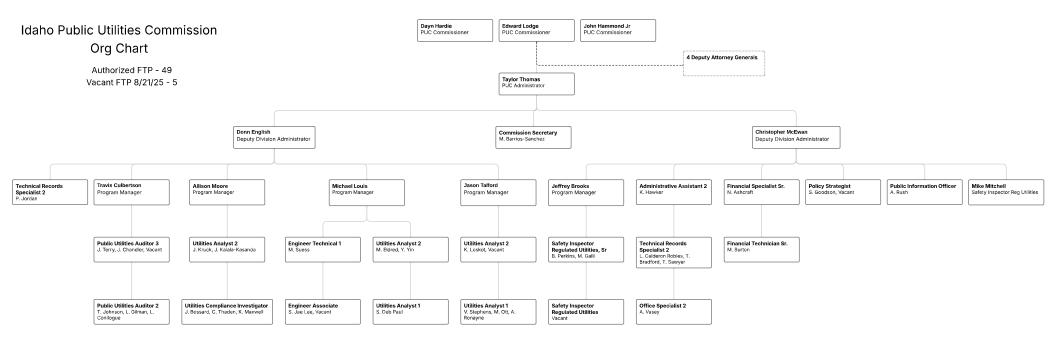
Division: Public Utilities Commission

Statutory Authority: Idaho Code Title 61 & 62

The Public Utilities Commission advocates actions and policies to ensure that citizens of Idaho have access to high-quality telecommunications, electric, gas, and water utility services at reasonable rates.

It's activities include monitoring legislatively mandated communication programs, providing technical advice to the Commission members, monitoring utility earnings and operations, and investigating proposed rate changes and consumer complaints. The Commission is also responsible for administering a Pipeline Safety Program, as well as a Rail Safety Program for Hazardous Materials.

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			FY 23 Actuals	FY 24 Actuals	FY 25 Actuals	FY 26 Estimated Revenue	FY 27 Estimated Revenue	Significant Assumptions
Fund	12500 Indire	ect Cost Recovery-SWCAP						
	450	Fed Grants & Contributions	39,468	35,556	54,600	57,000	60,000	
	470	Other Revenue	0	1	0	0	0	
	Indi	rect Cost Recovery-SWCAP Total	39,468	35,557	54,600	57,000	60,000	
Fund 22920 State Regulatory Funds: Public Utilities C			ommission					
	410	License, Permits & Fees	5,220,858	6,347,538	6,412,800	6,142,300	7,280,000	
	433	Fines, Forfeit & Escheats	0	7,929	0	0	0	
	445	Sale of Land, Buildings & Equipment	14,000	0	0	0	0	
	470	Other Revenue	3,308	7,861	10,200	7,000	7,000	
	State I	Regulatory Funds: Public Utilities Commission Fund Total	5,238,166	6,363,328	6,423,000	6,149,300	7,287,000	
Fund	34800 Fede	ral (Grant)						
	450	Fed Grants & Contributions	241,722	145,862	273,100	280,000	290,000	
	470	Other Revenue	0	224	300	0	0	
		Federal (Grant) Total	241,722	146,086	273,400	280,000	290,000	
		Agency Name Total	5,519,356	6,544,971	6,751,000	6,486,300	7,637,000	

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FORM B12: ANALYSIS O	F FUND BALANCES	Request for Fiscal Year :	2027
Agency/Department:	Idaho Public Utilities Commission	Agency Number:	900
Original Request Date:			
Sources and Uses:			

	FUND NAME: Indirect	FUND CODE:	12500	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Actual	FY 2026 Estimate	FY 2027 Estimate	
01.	Beginning Unobligated Cash Balance			(1,300)	(35,500)	13,100	(149,200)	
02.	Prior Year Executive Carry Forward [DU 1.13 Executive Branch Authorized Carry O	ver]			0	0	0	
03.	Prior Year Reappropriation [DU 0.41 Legislature Authorized Carry Over]				0	0	0	
04.	Subtotal Beginning Cash Balance			(1,300)	(35,500)	13,100	(149,200	
05.	Revenues [from Form B-11]			35,600	54,600	57,000	60,000	
06.	Non-Revenue Receipts and Other Adjustments							
07.	Statutory Transfers In							
08.	Operating Transfers In	Operating Transfers In						
09.	Subtotal Cash Available for the Year			34,300	19,100	70,100	(89,200	
10.	Statutory Transfers Out							
11.	Operating Transfers Out							
12.	Non-Expenditure Distributions and Other Adjustments							
13.	Total Cash Available for Year [=Row 9 - (Rows 10→12)]			34,300	19,100	70,100	(89,200	
14.	Borrowing Limit			40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	
15.	Total Available Funds for the Year			74,300	59,100	110,100	(49,200	
16.	Original Appropriation			219,300	219,300	219,300	219,300	
17.	Prior Year Reappropriation [same as Row 03]			0	0	0	0	
18.	Legislative Supplementals and (Rescissions)							
19.	Subtotal Legislative Authorizations			219,300	219,300	219,300	219,300	
20.	Prior Year Executive Carry Forward [DU 1.13, same as Row 02]			0	0	0	C	
21.	Non-cogs and Receipts to Appropriations [DU 1.12 & DU 1.4x]							
22.	Total Spending Authorizations			219,300	219,300	219,300	219,300	
23.	Executive Carry Forward Reversions/Cancelations (DU 1.81)							
24.	Final Year End Reversions (DU 1.61)			149,500	213,300			
25.	Subtotal Reversions & Cancelations			149,500	213,300	0	0	
26.	Current Year Executive Carry Forward To Next Year [DU 1.81]							
27.	Current Year Reappropriation To Next Year [DU 1.7x]							
28.	Total Unused Spending Authorizations			149,500	213,300	0	0	
29.	Authorized Total Cash Expenditures [= Row 22 - Row 29]			69,800	6,000	219,300	219,300	
30.	Continuously Appropriated Expenditures							
31.	Ending Available Operating Funds Balance [= Row 15 - Row 29 - Row 30]			4,500	53,100	(109,200)	(268,500	
32.	Current Year Executive Carry Forward To Next Year [DU 1.81]			0	0	0	0	
33.	Current Year Reappropriation To Next Year [DU 1.7x]			0	0	0	0	
34.	Borrowing Limit			40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	
35.	Ending Unobligated Cash Balance [= Row 31 - (Rows 32→ 34)]			(35,500)	13,100	(149,200)	(308,500	
36.	Investments Direct by Agency							
37.	Ending Unobligated Cash Balance Plus Direct Investments			(35,500)	13,100	(149,200)	(308,500	
38.	Outstanding Loans [if this fund is part of a loan program]			0	0	0	0	

FORM B12: ANALYSIS OF FUND BALANCES

Agency/Department: Idaho Public Utilities Commission

Original Request Date:

Sources and Uses:

	FUND NAME:	Dedicated	FUND CODE:	22920	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Actual	FY 2026 Estimate	FY 2027 Estimate
01.	Beginning Unobligated	Cash Balance			4,168,400	4,504,100	4,948,900	4,018,600
02.	Prior Year Executive Care	ry Forward [DU 1.13 Executive B	ranch Authorized Carry Over]		9,900	13,000	0	0
03.	Prior Year Reappropriation	on [DU 0.41 Legislature Authorize	d Carry Over]			0	0	0
04.	Subtotal Beginning Cas	sh Balance	-		4,178,300	4,517,100	4,948,900	4,018,600
05.	Revenues [from Form B-	11]			6,355,400	6,412,800	6,142,300	7,280,000
06.	Non-Revenue Receipts a	Non-Revenue Receipts and Other Adjustments						
07.	Statutory Transfers In							
08.	Operating Transfers In							
09.	Subtotal Cash Available	e for the Year			10,533,500	10,929,900	11,091,200	11,298,600
10.	Statutory Transfers Out							
11.	Operating Transfers Out							
12.	Non-Expenditure Distribut	tions and Other Adjustments			29,600	(700)		
13.	Total Cash Available for	r Year [=Row 9 - (Rows 10→12)]		10,503,900	10,930,600	11,091,200	11,298,600
14.	Borrowing Limit							
15.	Total Available Funds for	or the Year			10,503,900	10,930,600	11,091,200	11,298,600
16.	Original Appropriation				6,593,600	6,899,000	7,169,900	7,280,000
17.	Prior Year Reappropriation	Prior Year Reappropriation [same as Row 03]				0	0	0
18.	Legislative Supplementals	s and (Rescissions)				(97,300)		
19.	Subtotal Legislative Au	thorizations		6,593,600	6,899,000	7,072,600	7,280,000	
20.	Prior Year Executive Care	ry Forward [DU 1.13, same as Ro	ow 02]		9,900	13,000	0	0
21.	Non-cogs and Receipts to	o Appropriations [DU 1.12 & DU	1.4x]					
22.	Total Spending Authori	zations			6,603,500	6,912,000	7,072,600	7,280,000
23.	Executive Carry Forward	Reversions/Cancelations (DU 1	81)					
24.	Final Year End Reversion	ns (DU 1.61)			603,300	(930,300)	0	0
25.	Subtotal Reversions &	Cancelations			603,300	(930,300)	0	0
26.	Current Year Executive C	Carry Forward To Next Year [DU	1.81]		13,000			
27.	Current Year Reappropria	ation To Next Year [DU 1.7x]						
28.	Total Unused Spending	Authorizations			616,300	930,300	0	0
29.	Authorized Total Cash I	Expenditures [= Row 22 - Row	29]		5,987,200	5,981,700	7,072,600	7,280,000
30.	Continuously Appropriate	d Expenditures						
31.	Ending Available Opera	ating Funds Balance [= Row 15	- Row 29 - Row 30]		4,516,700	4,948,900	4,018,600	4,018,600
32.	Current Year Executive C	Carry Forward To Next Year [DU	1.81]		13,000	0	0	0
33.	Current Year Reappropria	ation To Next Year [DU 1.7x]	-		0	0	0	0
34.	Borrowing Limit					0	0	0
35.		sh Balance [= Row 31 - (Rows	32→ 34)]		4,503,700	4,948,900	4,018,600	4,018,600
36.	Investments Direct by Ag		/-			, , , , ,		
37.		sh Balance Plus Direct Investn	nents		4,503,700	4,948,900	4,018,600	4,018,600
38.		fund is part of a loan program]			0	0	0	0

Request for Fiscal Year :

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OF FUND BALANCES	Request for Fiscal Year :	2027
Idaho Public Utilities Commission	Agency Number:	900
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FUND NAME:	Federal	FUND CODE:	34800	FY 2024 Actual	FY 2025 Actual	FY 2026 Estimate	FY 2027 Estimate
01. Beginning Unobligated Cash B	alance			(91,500)	(66,600)	(114,000)	(216,200)
02. Prior Year Executive Carry Forwa	ard [DU 1.13 Executive Branch	Authorized Carry Over]			0	0	0
03. Prior Year Reappropriation [DU 0	.41 Legislature Authorized Ca	rry Over]			0	0	0
04. Subtotal Beginning Cash Balar	nce			(91,500)	(66,600)	(114,000)	(216,200)
05. Revenues [from Form B-11]				146,100	273,300	280,000	290,000
06. Non-Revenue Receipts and Othe	r Adjustments						
O7. Statutory Transfers In							
08. Operating Transfers In							
09. Subtotal Cash Available for the	Year			54,600	206,700	166,000	73,800
10. Statutory Transfers Out							
11. Operating Transfers Out							
12. Non-Expenditure Distributions ar				100			
13. Total Cash Available for Year [=Row 9 - (Rows 10→12)]			54,500	206,700	166,000	73,800
14. Borrowing Limit				200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000
15. Total Available Funds for the Y	ear			254,500	406,700	366,000	273,800
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16. Original Appropriation	D 001			370,700	375,100	382,200	390,400
	Prior Year Reappropriation [same as Row 03]				0	0	0
 Legislative Supplementals and (F Subtotal Legislative Authorization 				979 799	075 400	202.000	200 400
Subtotal Legislative Authorizations Prior Year Executive Carry Forward [DU 1.13, same as Row 02]				370,700	375,100	382,200	390,400
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Non-cogs and Receipts to ApproTotal Spending Authorizations				370,700	375,100	382,200	390,400
23. Executive Carry Forward Revers				370,700	373,100	362,200	350,400
24. Final Year End Reversions (DU	,			249,600	54,400	0	
25. Subtotal Reversions & Cancela				249,700	54,400	0	0
26. Current Year Executive Carry Fo				243,700	54,400	•	•
27. Current Year Reappropriation To							
28. Total Unused Spending Author				249,600	54,400	0	0
29. Authorized Total Cash Expend				121,100	320,700	382,200	390,400
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30. Continuously Appropriated Exper	nditures						
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31. Ending Available Operating Fu	nds Balance [= Row 15 - Ro	w 29 - Row 30]		133,400	86,000	(16,200)	(116,600)
32. Current Year Executive Carry Fo				0	0	0	0
33. Current Year Reappropriation To				0	0	0	0
34. Borrowing Limit				200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000
35. Ending Unobligated Cash Bala	nce [= Row 31 - (Rows 32→	34)]		(66,600)	(114,000)	(216,200)	(316,600)
36. Investments Direct by Agency	•				, ,	ì	, , ,
37. Ending Unobligated Cash Bala	nce Plus Direct Investments			(66,600)	(114,000)	(216,200)	(316,600)
38. Outstanding Loans [if this fund is	nart of a loan program!			0	0	0	0

	FTP	Personnel Costs	Operating Expense	Capital Outlay	Trustee Benefit	Total
Agency Public Utilities Commission						900
Division Public Utilities Commission						PU1
Appropriation Unit Utilities Regulation						PCAB
FY 2025 Total Appropriation						
1,00 FY 2025 Total Appropriation						PCAB
S1270, S1384, HB 725						
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	219,300	0	0	219,300
22920 Dedicated	46.20	4,945,200	1,893,000	60,800	0	6,899,000
34800 Federal	1_80	305,900	69,200	0	0	375,100
	48.00	5,251,100	2,181.500	60,800	0	7,493,400
1.13 PY Executive Carry Forward						PCAB
Prior Year ECF						
22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	0	13,000	0	13,000
	0.00	0	0	13,000	0	13,000
1.61 Reverted Appropriation Balances						PCAB
FY2025 Appropriation Reversions						
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	(213,300)	0	0	(213,300)
22920 Dedicated	0.00	(557,400)	(325,200)	(47,700)	0	(930,300)
34800 Federal	0.00	(27,300)	(27,100)	0	0	(54,400)
	0.00	(584,700)	(565,600)	(47,700)	0	(1,198,000)
FY 2025 Actual Expenditures						
2.00 FY 2025 Actual Expenditures						PCAB
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	6,000	0	0	0.000
22920 Dedicated	46.20	4,387,800	1,567,800	25.100	0	6,000 5,981,700
34800 Federal	1.80	278,600	42.100	25,100	0	320,700
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FY 2026 Original Appropriation	48.00	4.666,400	1,615,900	26 100	0	6.308.400
3.00 FY 2026 Original Appropriation						PCAB
S1109, S1190, H0391, S1148, S1214						PCAB
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	219,300	0	0	219,300
22920 Dedicated	48.20	5,374,800	1,676,400	0	0	7,051,200
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	5,900	112,800	0	118,700
34800 Federal	1.80	313.000	69,200	0	0	382,200
	50.00	5,687,800	1,970,800	112,800	0	7.771,400
FY 2026Total Appropriation		0,007,000	710701000	112,550		7,711,400
5.00 FY 2026 Total Appropriation						PCAB
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	219;300	0	0	219,300
22920 Dedicated	48.20	5,374,800	1,676,400	0	0	7,051,200
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	5,900	112,800	0	118,700
34800 Federal	1.80	313,000	69,200	0	0	382,200
	50.00	5,687,800	1,970,800	112.800	0	7,771,400
Appropriation Adjustments						
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	FTP	Personnel Costs	Operating Expense	Capital Outlay	Trustee Benefit	Total
6.71 Early Reversions						PCAB
Governor Holdback CEC Reversion \$41,800 FTP Reversion \$55,508						
OT 22920 Dedicated	(1.00)	(97,300)	0	0	0	(97,300)
	(1.00)	(97,300)	0	0	0	(97,300)
FY 2026 Estimated Expenditures						
7.00 FY 2026 Estimated Expenditure	res					PCAB
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	219,300	0	0	219,300
22920 Dedicated	48.20	5,374,800	1,676,400	0	0	7.051,200
OT 22920 Dedicated	(1.00)	(97,300)	5,900	112,800	0	21,400
34800 Federal	1,80	313,000	69,200	0	0	382,200
	49.00	5.590.500	1,970,800	112,800	0	7,674,100
Base Adjustments						
8.41 Removal of One-Time Expend	itures					PCAB
This decision unit removes one-time	appropriation fo	r FY 2027				
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	(5,900)	(112,800)	0	(118,700)
	0.00	0	(5,900)	(112,800)	0	(118,700)
8.51 Base Reductions						PCAB
Executive Order 2025-05 Reversion	of vacant position	n _{rc}				
22920 Dedicated	(1.00)	(55,500)	0	0	0	(55,500)
	(1,00)	(55,500)	0	0	0	(55,500)
FY 2027 Base						
9,00 FY 2027 Base						PCAB
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	219,300	0	0	219,300
22920 Dedicated	47.20	5,319,300	1,676,400	0	0	6,995,700
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	0	0	0	0
34800 Federal	1.80	313,000	69,200	0	0	382,200
	49.00	5.632,300	1,964,900	0	0	7,597,200
Program Maintenance						
10.11 Change in Health Benefit Cos	ts					PCAB
This decision unit reflects a change i	n the employer	health benefit cost	is.			
22920 Dedicated	0.00	171,100	0	0	0	171,100
34800 Federal	0.00	6,600	0	0	0	6,600
	0.00	177,700	0	0	0	177,700
10,12 Change in Variable Benefit Co	osts					PCAB
This decision unit reflects a change i	n variable bene	fits.				
22920 Dedicated	0.00	(2,900)	0	0	0	(2,900)
34800 Federal	0.00	(100)	0	0	0	(100)
	0.00	(3,000)	0	0	0	(3,000)
10.61 Salary Multiplier - Regular Em						PCAB
This decision unit reflects a 1% salar						
22920 Dedicated	0.00	44,600	0	0	0	44,600
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	FTP	Personnel Costs	Operating Expense	Capital Outlay	Trustee Benefit	Total			
34800 Federal	0,00	1,700	0	0	0	1,700			
	0.00	46,300	0	0	0	46,300			
FY 2027 Total Maintenance									
11 00 FY 2027 Total Maintenance						PCAB			
12500 Dedicated	0.00	0	219,300	0	0	219,300			
22920 Dedicated	47.20	5,532,100	1,676,400	0	0	7.208,500			
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	0	0	0	0			
34800 Federal	1.80	321,200	69,200	0	0	390,400			
	49.00	5,853,300	1,964,900	0	0	7,818.200			
Line Items									
12.01 Commissioner Change in Con	•					PCAB			
FY 2027 Commissioner Change in (2.000	0	0	2	2.000			
22920 Dedicated	0.00	3,900	0	0	0	3,900			
	0.00	3,900	0	0	0	3,900			
12.55 Repair, Replacement, or Alteration Costs PCAB Yearly support of the Juniper (\$1200) and Cisco Hardware (\$5200), Yearly Renewal of the ESRI ArcGIS (\$1000) and Laserfiche (\$4000) Licenses, and Network/Telecom (\$13600) services									
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	25 000	0	0	25.000			
	0.00	Ö	25,000	0	0	25,000			
12,57 Repair, Replacement, or Alter	ration Costs					PCAB			
Office Furniture Replacement - repla	ace 9 office chair	s as needed							
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	0	7,200	0	7,200			
	0.00	0	0	7,200	0	7.200			
12,79 ITS Recommended Replacer	nent Items Only					PCAB			
Recommended replacement of 19 la	aptops								
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	0	35,400	0	35,400			
	0.00	0	0	35,400	0	35.400			
FY 2027 Total									
13,00 FY 2027 Total						PCAB			
12500 Dedicated	0,00	0	219,300	0	0	219,300			
22920 Dedicated	47.20	5.536,000	1.676,400	0	0	7.212.400			
OT 22920 Dedicated	0.00	0	25,000	42,600	0	67,600			
34800 Federal	1.80	321,200	69,200	0	0	390,400			
	49.00	5.857,200	1,989,900	42,600	0	7,889,700			

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Office of Information Technology Services

Technology Purchase and Use Attestation Letter

Date: 8/18/2025

To: Public Utilities Commission - 90000

Subject: Technology Purchase and Use Approval

The Office of Information Technology Services (ITS) attests that the technology identified in the Public Utilities Commission IT Budget Packet has been reviewed and determined to meet statewide technology policies and standards for potential purchase and use by Public Utilities Commission. This attestation is intended to provide documentation for the Division of Financial Management (DFM), the Division of Purchasing (DOP), or other oversight bodies that require confirmation of ITS review as part of budgeting, procurement, or technology decision-making processes. Data exports or downloads from the IT Budget Packet may be attached to this attestation letter when it is shared with DFM, DOP, or other oversight bodies as supporting documentation.

This attestation does not constitute a commitment by ITS to deploy, implement, or provide ongoing support for any technology included in the IT Budget Packet. It is not an endorsement of business need, nor does it imply that ITS recommends or requires any agency to adopt the solutions listed. The attestation solely reflects that the technologies identified are permissible for agency acquisition within the parameters of state IT policy and security standards.

This approval is contingent on adherence to the Office of ITS guidelines for operation, maintenance, and data security, as outlined in the applicable policy documents.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact our office.

AGENCY: Public Utilities Commission

Approp Unit:

PCAB

Decision Unit No: 12.79

Title: Laptop Replacement

General	Dedicated	Federal	Other	Total
	4			
	35300			
	35300			
	General	35300	35300	35300

Explain the request and provide justification for the need.

3-year cycle replacement of 19 laptops

If a supplemental, what emergency is being addressed?

N/A

Specify the authority in statute or rule that supports this request.

N/A

Please identify the performance measure, goal, or priority this request is intended to improve in the strategic plan or performance measurement report.

N/A

What is the anticipated measured outcome if this request is funded?

Indicate existing base of PC, OE, and/or CO by source for this request.

CO

What resources are necessary to implement this request? Appropriation of the CO for the purchase

List positions, pay grades, full/part-time status, benefits, terms of service.

N/A

Will staff be re-directed? If so, describe impact and show changes on org chart.

N/A

Detail any current one-time or ongoing OE or CO and any other future costs.

N/A

Describe method of calculation (RFI, market cost, etc.) and contingencies.

Market Cost

Provide detail about the revenue assumptions supporting this request.

N/A

Who is being served by this request and what is the impact if not funded?

Employees with older laptops will receive a new laptop. If not funded, the potential cost of repairs to the old laptops would be incurred.

Agency	Service	Count	BeforeInflTotal	FY	Percinfl	Total	Current_Serial	Current_Model
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	4LTHKN3	XPS 15 9520
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	5K8GKN3	XPS 15 9520
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	7SCGKN3	XPS 15 9520
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	BKYHKN3	XPS 15 9520
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	CWWHKN3	XPS 15 9520
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	GG1FKN3	XPS 15 9520
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	4BMXZD3	XPS 15 9500
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	6L8GYD3	XPS 15 9500
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	8BTGYD3	XPS 15 9500
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	DYWFYD3	XPS 15 9500
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	FHRHYD3	XPS 15 9500
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	12JZ353	XPS 15 7590
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	1T90453	XPS 15 7590
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	2KWZ353	XPS 15 7590
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	9JWZ353	XPS 15 7590
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	CT90453	XPS 15 7590
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	G8VY373	XPS 15 7590
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	5FJ9PW2	Latitude 3500
PUC	PUC LAPTOP		1,550	FY 2027	20	1,860	HH99PW2	Latitude 3500

Approp

AGENCY: Public Utilities Commission

Unit: PCAB

Decision Unit No: 12.55

Title:

	General	Dedicated	Federal	Other	Total
FULL-TIME POSITIONS (FTP)					
PERSONNEL COSTS					
1. Salaries					
2. Benefits					
3. Group Position Funding					
TOTAL PERSONNEL COSTS					
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Yearly Maintenance and service of IT hardware and software licenses		25000			
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES					
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES					
CAPITAL OUTLAY					
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY					
T/B PAYMENTS					
GRAND TOTAL		25000			

Explain the request and provide justification for the need.

Yearly Maintenance of the hardware and software licenses

If a supplemental, what emergency is being addressed? N/A

Specify the authority in statute or rule that supports this request.

N/A

Please identify the performance measure, goal, or priority this request is intended to improve in the strategic plan or performance measurement report.

N/A

What is the anticipated measured outcome if this request is funded?

Indicate existing base of PC, OE, and/or CO by source for this request. OE

What resources are necessary to implement this request? N/A

List positions, pay grades, full/part-time status, benefits, terms of service. N/A

Will staff be re-directed? If so, describe impact and show changes on org chart. N/A

Detail any current one-time or ongoing OE or CO and any other future costs. N/A

Describe method of calculation (RFI, market cost, etc.) and contingencies. Market Cost

Provide detail about the revenue assumptions supporting this request. N/A

Who is being served by this request and what is the impact if not funded? N/A

AGENCY: Public Utilities Commission

Approp Unit:

PCAB

Title: Office Furniture

Decision Unit No: 12.57

Replacement

	General	Dedicated	Federal	Other	Total
FULL-TIME POSITIONS (FTP)					
PERSONNEL COSTS					
1. Salaries					
2. Benefits					
3. Group Position Funding					
TOTAL PERSONNEL COSTS					
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Replacement of 9 office chairs as needed		7200			
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES		7200			
CAPITAL OUTLAY					
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY					
T/B PAYMENTS					
GRAND TOTAL		7200			

Explain the request and provide justification for the need.

Many of the employee chairs are 10+ years old. This is for as needed replacement of any chairs that might need to be replaced during the fiscal year.

If a supplemental, what emergency is being addressed? N/A

Specify the authority in statute or rule that supports this request.

N/A

Please identify the performance measure, goal, or priority this request is intended to improve in the strategic plan or performance measurement report.

N/A

What is the anticipated measured outcome if this request is funded? N/A

Indicate existing base of PC, OE, and/or CO by source for this request. OE

What resources are necessary to implement this request? N/A

List positions, pay grades, full/part-time status, benefits, terms of service. N/A

Will staff be re-directed? If so, describe impact and show changes on org chart. N/A

Detail any current one-time or ongoing OE or CO and any other future costs. N/A

Describe method of calculation (RFI, market cost, etc.) and contingencies. N/A

Provide detail about the revenue assumptions supporting this request.

N/A

Who is being served by this request and what is the impact if not funded? N/A

										Updates - Updates are reflected in the Org Chart with the Budget
Position #	Class Code	Employee Name	Annual Salary	Salary % (75 = 75%)	FTP % (50 = 50%)	Class Name	Home Approp	Employee Code	Last Filled	Submission
9000019269	1567C	VACANT	95000	100.000000	100.000000	Program Manager 8742	PCAB	Z90019269	7/7/2029	This position has been backfilled by an internal candidate. As a result, a vacancy for an Auditor 3 has been created and is currently posted in Luma 5 as of August 25.
9000019303	2890N	VACANT	90000	100.000000	100.000000	Policy Strategist	PCAB	Z90019303	4/28/2029	The Commission intends to post this position soon. In the interim, a temporary employee has been hired to fulfill the responsibilities 5 associated with the role.
9000019305	243C	VACANT	32600	100.000000	100.000000	Office Specialist 2 8810	PCAB	Z90019305	6/23/2025	This position has been filled, and the selected candidate is scheduled to 5 begin on September 2, 2025.
9000019310	756C	VACANT	82500	100.000000	100.000000	Program Manager Technical Analysis 8742	PCAB	Z90019310	6/23/2025	This position has been backfilled by an internal candidate. As a result, a vacancy for a Utility Analyst 2 has been created and is currently posted in 5 Luma as of August 25.
9000020551	2890N	VACANT	83300	100.000000	100.000000	Policy Strategist	PCAB	Z90020551	6/11/2023	The position has been vacant for over six months, and in accordance with 8 Executive Order 2025-05, the associated funding has been reverted.
9000020552	750C	VACANT	70000	100.000000	100.000000	Safety Inspector Regulated Utilities	PCAB	Z90020552	6/11/2023	This position is currently an active job posting in Luma and has progressed to the second round of interviews. Job offers are anticipated to be settended during the last week of August.
9000021712	758C	VACANT	66000	100.000000	100.000000	Utilities Analyst 2	PCAB	Z90021712	6/8/2025	This position has been filled, and the selected candidate is scheduled to 5 begin on September 2, 2025.

FY2027 Budget Submission: Vacant FTP Questionnaire

Description	Position	Job	Classified	Pay	Estimated Vacate
	Code	Code	or Non-Classified	Rate	Date
PIPELINE SAFETY	<u>Z90020552</u>	750C	Classified	<u>\$70,000</u>	6/11/2023
INSPECTOR					

What is the specific title and primary responsibilities of the vacant position?

Pipeline Safety Inspector; Investigation/Inspection:

- Under jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission, enforce state and federal laws/rules and conduct investigations and inspections including audit natural gas operator's safety records and operation
- Perform pipeline safety field inspections
- Conduct pipeline construction and design reviews
- Perform pipeline personnel training and qualification inspections
- Apply Enforcement Actions under Federal and State Laws/Rules
- Interpret state and federal laws/rules and regulations
- Develop supportive evidence to sustain criminal or civil forfeiture actions, cease and desist orders, or similar proceedings
- Document frequency and nature of violations and circumstances that prove willful violations
- Organize evidence into detailed written reports on violations and recommend corrective action be taken
- Prepare reports and recommendations regarding safety and compliance with rules and regulations
- Prepare data, exhibits and testimony for hearings
- Present testimony
- Submit to cross-examination
- Provide technical assistance and information on safety and related topics
- Act as a liaison for public relations issues with officials and employees, legal staff, county and state officials and federal
 employees
- Create and provide safety presentations to stakeholders

Why has the position remained vacant for more than six months?

Under Previous Idaho Public Utilities Commission leadership, and on the recommendation of the previous Executive Director, this position was not filled for unknown reasons. The Executive Director at that time is no longer employed with the Commission to determine justification.

With the recent reorganization of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission, we have done an assessment of all positions and vacant positions and identified the need for this vacant position.

In the last 5 years, Idaho has seen tremendous gas demand growth. There have been over 58,000 new gas service lines put in since 2020. In the same timeframe there have been over 900 miles of additional distribution pipelines installed. There are multiple new Renewable Natural Gas ("RNG") facilities increasing gathering, transmission, and distribution systems. There are more gas operators and RNG facilities anticipated. As an example, the Hinshaw transmission line going

from Southeast Idaho into Wyoming will add multiple propane operators soon. Additionally, there have been new requirements implemented into the pipeline safety regulations from the federal U.S. Department of Transportation's Pipeline and Hazardous Material Safety Administration ("PHMSA"). Some examples include:

- New and additional inspection / audit types per PHMSA implementation
- Section 114 Inspections (new scope)
- Integrity Management Implementation inspections (new scope)
- Records audits for each system type (new scope)
- Special emphasis requested by PHMSA on Damage Prevention (new scope)
- NTSB recommendations and PHMSA initiatives (new scope)

We have additionally begun inspection activities at a satellite LNG facility, and at new compressor stations. The above-mentioned inspections were not previously performed. There has also simultaneously been enormous growth within our existing inspection activities as shown below in the following examples:

- One TIMP (Transmission Integrity Management Plan) audit in the year 2020 had 73 questions whereas today, the same audit has 187 questions per protocol. This scope growth has crept into virtually all pipeline safety inspection types.
- Our overall throughput of compliance violation letters has additionally increased from 7 NOPV's ("Notice of Possible Violations") in 2020 to 17 NOPV's in 2024.

Has this vacancy impacted your agency? If so, how?

Yes, this vacancy has greatly impacted our agency. Our Pipeline Safety Inspectors are compromising their work-life balance to keep up with state and federal requirements. They are often traveling to numerous areas across the state to perform these inspections. Our Pipeline Safety Manager must also inspect to keep up with the growing requirements. The fulfillment of this position would allow for better coverage of existing job scope, less burden for existing staff, and improve pipeline safety overall for Idaho. It is anticipated that a new pipeline safety inspector will take approximately 3.5 years to become fully qualified when consideration is made for all of the training and qualifications required from PHMSA (to qualify and perform all the inspection types we perform).

What is your agency's plan for this vacant position moving forward?

We identified the critical need for the position to be filled and have posted and have accepted applications for it. We are currently in the final interview process for the finalists with an expectation of an offer by the end of August.

How has your agency managed the appropriation related to this position during the period it has been vacant?

The appropriation was treated as cost savings and reverted back.

FY2027 Budget Submission: Vacant FTP Questionnaire

Description	Position	Job	Classified	Pay Rate	Estimated Vacate
	Code	Code	or Non-Classified		Date
Policy Strategist	9000020551	83300	Non-Classified	\$83,300	6/11/2023
				or	
				\$40.05	

What is the specific title and primary responsibilities of the vacant position?

Policy Strategist – the Policy Strategist reports directly to the Commissioners with policy and technical consultation and research support regarding major regulatory issues in the areas of electricity, telecommunications, water and natural gas. Strategists are also charged with developing comprehensive policy strategy, providing assistance and advice on major litigation before the commission and acting as liaison between the Commission and its staff, utility representatives, public officials and public agencies and organizations.

Why has the position remained vacant for more than six months?

The position has remained vacant for over six months due to a combination of strategic and budgetary decisions. The funding associated with this position has equated to salary savings every year since vacancy, contributing to overall budget efficiency. During this time, the agency has implemented operational adjustments and adopted internal efficiencies that have allowed it to continue functioning effectively with two policy strategists.

Has this vacancy impacted your agency? If so, how?

Yes, the vacancy has had an impact, though the agency has taken deliberate steps to manage it effectively. With the position unfilled for over six months, we've experienced a reduction in internal capacity, particularly in areas requiring specialized policy analysis and strategic coordination. However, by reallocating responsibilities and streamlining workflows, we've been able to maintain progress on key initiatives with two policy strategists.

What is your agency's plan for this vacant position moving forward?

The position has been vacant for over six months. In accordance with Executive Order 2025-05, the associated funding has been reverted. This action aligns with the agency's broader effort to streamline operations and improve efficiency.

How has your agency managed the appropriation related to this position during the period it has been vacant?

The appropriation was treated as cost savings and reverted back.

PCF Detail Report

Request for Fiscal Year: $\frac{202}{7}$

Agency: Public Utilities Commission

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Appropriation Unit: Utilities Regulation

PCAB 22920

Fund: State Regulatory Funds: Public Utilities Commission Fund

PCN	Class	Description	FTP	Salary	Health	Variable Benefits	Total
Totals	from Perso	nnel Cost Forecast (PCF)					
		Permanent Positions	40.20	3,126,073	565,200	703,771	4,395,044
		Total from PCF	40.20	3,126,073	565,200	703,771	4,395,044
		FY 2026 ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION	48.20	3,837,227	681,066	856,507	5,374,800
		Unadjusted Over or (Under) Funded:	8.00	711,154	115,866	152,736	979,756
Adjust	ments to W	age and Salary					
21754	6260 R90	Engineer Associate 8742	1.00	83,000	14,130	18,941	116.071
900001 9269	1567C R90	Program Manager 8742	1.00	95,000	14,130	21,680	130,810
90000 t 9303	2890N R90	Policy Strategist	1;00	83,300	14,130	18,177	115,607
900001 9305	243C R90	Office Specialist 2 8810	1,00	32,600	14,130	7,440	54,170
900001 9310		C Program Manager Technical Analysis 0 8742	1.00	82,500	14,130	18,827	115,457
900002 0552	? 750C R90	Safety Inspector Regulated Utilities	1.00	70,000	14,130	15,975	100,105
900002 1712	? 7580 R90	Utilities Analyst 2	1.00	66,000	14.130	15,062	95,192
NEWP- 356967		GROUP POSITION , Std Benefits/No Ret/No Health	_00	69,160	0	6.356	75,516
Estima	ted Salary	Needs					
		Board, Group, & Missing Positions	1.00	152,160	14,130	25,297	191,587
		Permanent Positions	46.20	3,555,473	649,980	800,932	5,006,385
		Estimated Salary and Benefits	47.20	3,707,633	664,110	826,229	5,197,972
Adjust	ed Over or	(Under) Funding					
		Original Appropriation	1.00	129,594	16,956	30,278	176,828
		Estimated Expenditures	.00	32,294	16,956	30,278	79,528
		Base	.00	74,094	16,956	30,278	121,328

Request for Fiscal Year: $\frac{202}{7}$ **PCF Summary Report**

Agency: Public Utilities Commission Appropriation Unit: Utilities Regulation

PCAB Fund: State Regulatory Funds: Public Utilities Commission Fund 22920

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DU		FTP	Salary	Health	Variable Benefits	Total
3.00	FY 2026 ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION	48.20	3,837,227	681,066	856,507	5,374,800
5.00	FY 2026 TOTAL APPROPRIATION	48.20	3,837,227	681,066	856,507	5,374,800
6,71	Early Reversions	(1.00)	(97,300)	0	0	(97,300)
7.00	FY 2026 ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	47.20	3,739,927	681,066	856,507	5,277,500
8.51	Base Reductions	(1.00)	(55,500)	0	0	(55,500)
9.00	FY 2027 BASE	47.20	3,781,727	681,066	856,507	5,319,300
10,11	Change in Health Benefit Costs	0,00	0	171,100	0	171,100
10.12	Change in Variable Benefit Costs	0.00	0	0	(2,900)	(2,900)
10.61	Salary Multiplier - Regular Employees	0.00	36,400	0	8,200	44,600
11.00	FY 2027 PROGRAM MAINTENANCE	47.20	3,818,127	852,166	861,807	5,532,100
12.01	Commissioner Change in Compensation	0,00	3,900	0	0	3,900
13,00	FY 2027 TOTAL REQUEST	47.20	3,822,027	852,166	861,807	5,536,000

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Fund: Federal (Grant)

Request for Fiscal Year: $\frac{202}{7}$

Agency: Public Utilities Commission

PCAB

Appropriation Unit: Utilities Regulation

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Variable PCN Class Description FTP Salary Health Total **Benefits** Totals from Personnel Cost Forecast (PCF) 25,434 31,933 197,292 Permanent Positions 1.80 139,925 Total from PCF 1.80 139,925 25,434 31,933 197,292 FY 2026 ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION 1.80 52,475 313,000 235,091 25,434 Unadjusted Over or (Under) Funded: 20,542 115,708 .00 95,166 0 **Estimated Salary Needs** Permanent Positions 1.80 139,925 25,434 31,933 197,292 **Estimated Salary and Benefits** 31,933 197,292 1.80 139,925 25,434 Adjusted Over or (Under) Funding 20,542 115,708 Original Appropriation .00 95,166 0 **Estimated Expenditures** 95,166 20,542 115,708 .00 0 Base .00 95,166 0 20,542 115,708

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PCF Summary Report

Request for Fiscal Year: $\frac{202}{7}$

Agency: Public Utilities Commission Appropriation Unit: Utilities Regulation

Fund: Federal (Grant)

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DU		FTP	Salary	Health	Variable Benefits	Total
3.00	FY 2026 ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION	1.80	235,091	25,434	52,475	313,000
5.00	FY 2026 TOTAL APPROPRIATION	1.80	235,091	25,434	52,475	313,000
7.00	FY 2026 ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	1.80	235,091	25,434	52,475	313,000
9.00	FY 2027 BASE	1.80	235,091	25,434	52,475	313,000
10,11	Change in Health Benefit Costs	0.00	0	6,600	0	6,600
10.12	Change in Variable Benefit Costs	0.00	0	0	(100)	(100)
10.61	Salary Multiplier - Regular Employees	0.00	1,400	0	300	1,700
11.00	FY 2027 PROGRAM MAINTENANCE	1.80	236,491	32,034	52,675	321,200
13.00	FY 2027 TOTAL REQUEST	1.80	236,491	32,034	52,675	321,200

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Employee Travel Questionnaire-B4 – Idaho Public Utilities Commission

A. In-State Travel

1. What are the primary reasons for the program's in-state travel?

The Commission is based in Boise, Idaho, but the service territory for the investor-owned utilities spans across the state. For example, many of the small water systems are headquartered in Northern and Eastern Idaho. Commission employees often conduct onsite visits to audit financial records and inspect physical infrastructure which is based in the service territory of the utility throughout Idaho requiring in-state travel throughout Idaho.

For our Pipeline division auditing all Intrastate Gas Operators includes Program, Field Equipment, Integrity Digs, Damage Prevention, Compliance Follow Up, and Construction audits. This involves every gas district every year, compressors, regulated RNG facility related piping, and LNG facilities. There are also incident investigations, training opportunities and fireside meetings with industry and gas operators throughout Idaho.

The Commissions Railroad Safety Inspector has significant portion of hazardous materials transported by rail passes through Northern and Eastern Idaho, making these regions critical to the inspection program. Regular in-state travel is essential to effectively monitor and ensure compliance across the rail network.

2. How does in-state travel support the program's mission, strategic goals, or statutory requirements

The Commission is required to hold formal hearings and customer workshops on utility and railroad issues that are held on a case-by-case basis, often in the service area of the utility under consideration to allow maximum public participation. These hearings resemble judicial proceedings and are transcribed by a court reporter. Additionally, the Commission has strategic goals for comprehensive audits for utilities, and pipeline and rail inspections which require onsite visits throughout Idaho.

For the Pipeline section, as per our PHMSA 60105 agreement, the Idaho Public Utilities Laws, and for Public Safety, the program must travel to meet the program goals, program evaluation requirements, and hit grant targets. There are gas pipeline facilities across Idaho. For the Rail section, it is essential to travel across the state to identify and monitor safety hazards, ensure compliance with federal safety standards and prevent accidents, and ensuring critical transit corridors are inspected thoroughly and consistently.

3. Are there changes to the program's anticipated in-state travel budget for fiscal year 2027? If so, please explain.

Yes, there is a difference from year to year based on the required inspection intervals for program audits, required number of construction inspections, and field equipment scope and observations. For the pipeline, there is also a grant that supports the program from PHMSA that fluctuates from year to year and is based on program evaluation performance and staffing.

B. Out-of-State Travel

1. What are the primary reasons for the program's out-of-state travel?

For utilities, two of Idaho's electric investor-owned utilities are located in different states. PacifiCorp is headquartered in Portland, Oregon and Salt Lake City, Utah and operates in 6 states. Avista Utilities is headquartered in Spokane, Washington and operates in 3 states. These utilities alone require onsite visits for auditing of the Company's books and can require travel to other states for inspections of the Company's physical infrastructure. Additionally, there are instances of out-of-state travel for training, professional development, and specialized programs focused on the utility industry.

For pipeline section, required training and education purposes. Also, for grant required conference attendance. Some gas operators also have facilities like Control Rooms and Training facilities in neighboring states. There are also instances of out-of-state stays based on proximity to the audit scope and underground facilities in state.

For rail section, travel is required to attend training mandated by the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA), which is essential for inspectors to maintain their certification and stay compliant with federal standards. Additional out-of-state travel can occur for specialized educational programs and keeping current regulatory updates

How does out-of-state travel support the program's mission, strategic goals, or statutory requirements

For utilities, out-of-state travel is necessary to meet our strategic goals such as comprehensives audits and inspections of Company infrastructure. Additionally, to ensure adequate service and the establishment of just, reasonable, and sufficient rates, Commission employees are required to travel onsite to utility headquarters and infrastructure locations. These visits help verify that utilities are charging authorized rates and properly installing physical infrastructure.

For pipeline, as per our PHMSA 60105 agreement, the Idaho Public Utilities Laws, and for Public Safety, the program must travel to meet the program goals, program evaluation requirements, and hit grant targets. There are gas pipeline facilities related to Idaho that exist outside state lines. There are multiple out of state control rooms, training facilities and out of state Headquarters. For rail, out-of-state travel ensures the inspector receives the mandated training to maintain certification and stay

current with industry standards.

3. Are there changes to the program's anticipated out-of-state travel budget for fiscal year 2027? If so, please explain.

Yes, there is a difference from year to year based on the required inspection intervals for program audits, required number of construction inspections, and field equipment scope and observations. For the pipeline, there is also a grant that supports the program from PHMSA that fluctuates from year to year and is based on program evaluation performance and staffing.

One-Time Operating & One-Time Capital Outlay Summary

Agency: Public Utilities Commission

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Request for Fiscal Year: 2027

Priority	Appropriatio n Unit	DU	Fund	Summary Account	Item Description	Current Mileage	Date Acquired	Quantity in Stock	Request Quantity Desired	Request Unit Cost	Request Total Cost
Detail											
0	PCAB	12.55	22920	590	Maintenance of Hardware and Software Licenses	0		0.00	0.00	25,000.00	25,000
3	PCAB	12.57	22920	764	Replacement of 9 Office chairs as needed	0		0.00	9.00	800.00	7,200
							Subtotal				32,200
Grand Total	by Appropriation U	Jnjt									
	PCAB										32,200
							Subtotal				32,200
Grand Total I	by Decision Unit										
		12.55									25,000
		12.57									7,200
							Subtotal				32,200
Grand Total I	by Fund Source										
			22920								32,200
							Subtotal				32,200
Grand Total I	by Summary Acco	unt									
				590				0.00	0.00		25,000
				764				0.00	9.00		7,200
							Subtotal				32,200

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Office of Information Technology Services

Technology Purchase and Use Attestation Letter

Date: 8/18/2025

To: Public Utilities Commission - 90000

Subject: Technology Purchase and Use Approval

The Office of Information Technology Services (ITS) attests that the technology identified in the Public Utilities Commission IT Budget Packet has been reviewed and determined to meet statewide technology policies and standards for potential purchase and use by Public Utilities Commission. This attestation is intended to provide documentation for the Division of Financial Management (DFM), the Division of Purchasing (DOP), or other oversight bodies that require confirmation of ITS review as part of budgeting, procurement, or technology decision-making processes. Data exports or downloads from the IT Budget Packet may be attached to this attestation letter when it is shared with DFM, DOP, or other oversight bodies as supporting documentation.

This attestation does not constitute a commitment by ITS to deploy, implement, or provide ongoing support for any technology included in the IT Budget Packet. It is not an endorsement of business need, nor does it imply that ITS recommends or requires any agency to adopt the solutions listed. The attestation solely reflects that the technologies identified are permissible for agency acquisition within the parameters of state IT policy and security standards.

This approval is contingent on adherence to the Office of ITS guidelines for operation, maintenance, and data security, as outlined in the applicable policy documents.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact our office.



Public Utilities Commission

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This budget packet presented to ITS-supported agencies is designed to help customers understand their full IT spend for the upcoming fiscal year and budgeting process. With some exceptions noted on the final page (named "Potential IT expenses not included") customers should be able to track any bill received during the designated fiscal year back to an item on this budget packet.

Like any budget project, though, the figures included in this packet are best-effort projections. Actual expenses may vary from projections for dozens of reasons. But there should not be any expenses that are completely unexpected. This document should be considered a draft or working document until Aug. 29. If you need more firm numbers before that please contact your SDM.

Budget timeline

- March 15 Final deadline for agency and ITS to submit projects to be included in the FY 2027 budget package.
- May ITS provides FY 2027 budget package to agencies
- August 1 Agency deadline to submit IT approval requests to ITS.
- \bullet August 29 Budget submissions due to DFM/LSO by 5 p m MT (see BDM)
- Mid-October SWCAP released by DFM; distribution string updates within Sherpa
- Early January JFAC begins formal review of agency budgets
- Early December Final review of budget packet by ITS, agency and DFM
- \bullet Late \textbf{Spring}_{-} | Final agency budgets approved by Legislature and Governor
- July 1 | Fiscal year 2027 begins

Summary

SWCAP Allocation \$164,238

Operations (from FY 2026 Estimated Billing)

\$133,593

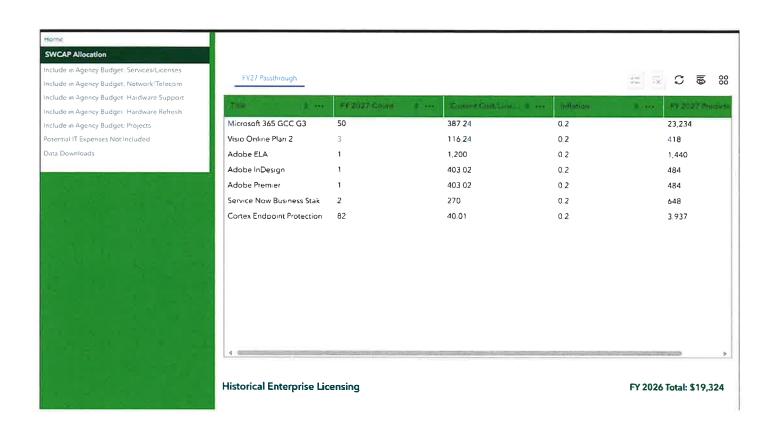


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FY 2027 Budget Planning Tool for IT Services

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tral IT Expenses Not included Downloads	Predictive Enterprise Licensing (estimate FY 2027)	\$30,645
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	Services/Licenses (estimate FY 2027)	\$5,010
156-1150	Network/Telecom (from FY 2024 total)	\$13,631
	Hardware Support (estimated FY 2027)	\$6,379
IT	S Recommended Equipment Refresh / Agency Requested Projects	\$35,340
	Hardware Refresh (estimate FY 2027)	\$35,340
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Historical Enterprise Licensing

FY 2026 Total: \$19,324

FY27 License Passthrough Historical

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PUC	NY3620250129	Juniper Maintenance	Juniper Care - Extended Service - 1 Year - Service - 12 x 5 x Next 345.71 Business Day - Service Depot - Exchange - Physical	2/1/2025	1/31/2026
PUC	NY3620250829	Juniper Maintenance	Juniper Care - Extended Service - 1 Year - Service - 12 x 5 x Next 345.71 Business Day - Service Depot - Exchange - Physical	2/1/2025	1/31/2026
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Federal Funds Inventory Form

As Required by Sections 67-1917 & 67-3502(e), Idaho Code

*** Report must be submitted to the Division of Financial Management and Legislative Services Office as part of yo

Reporting Agency/Department:	Idaho Public Utilities Commission
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Total FY 2025 All Funds Appropriation (DU 1.00)	\$7,284,400	
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2. Identify below for each grant any obligations, agreements, joint exercise of powers agreements, maintenance of efforts agreements, or memoranda of understanding that may be impacted by federal or state decisions regarding federal receipts, include any state matching requirements. §67-1917(1)(d), i.C.

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	FIVE-YEAR	FACILITY NEED	S PLAN, pursuant	t to IC 67-5708B					
			FORMATION						
AGENCY NAME:	Idaho Public Util	ities Commission	Division/Bureau:						
Prepared By:	Nancy A		E-mail Address:	nan	cy.ashcraft@puc.idaho.	gov			
Telephone Number:	208-33		Fax Number:						
DFM Analyst:	Amanda	Harper	LSO/BPA Analyst:		Noah Peterson				
Date Prepared:	8/8/2		Fiscal Year:		2027				
	FACILITY INFORM	MATION (please list e	ach facility separately b	y city and street addres	(s)				
Facility Name:	Chinden Campus			,,					
	Boise		County:	Ada					
- 51		vd., Ste 201A, Bldg 8	County		Zip Code:	83714			
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Part I - Agency Profile

Agency Overview

Under state law, the Idaho Public Utilities Commission ("IPUC") supervises and regulates Idaho's investor-owned utilities - electric, gas, telecommunications, and water - assuring adequate service and affixing just, reasonable and sufficient rates.

The commission does not regulate publicly owned, municipal, or cooperative utilities.

In setting rates, the commission must consider the needs of both the utility and its customers. Customers must be ensured of paying a reasonable rate and utilities must be allowed the opportunity to recover their legitimate costs of serving of their customers and earning a fair rate of return. IPUC decisions can be appealed to the Idaho Supreme Court.

The governor appoints the three commissioners with confirmation by the Idaho Senate. No more than two commissioners may be of the same political party. The commissioners serve staggered six-year terms. Currently serving are Edward Lodge, Dayn Hardie, and John Hammond. Vacancies that occur when the Idaho Senate is not in session are filled by gubernatorial appointment subject to confirmation by the Senate upon reconvening in regular session.

The governor may remove a commissioner before his/her term has expired for dereliction of duty, corruption or incompetence as defined in Idaho Code.

The three-member commission was established by the 12th Session of the Idaho Legislature and was organized May 8, 1913, as the Public Utilities Commission of the State of Idaho. In 1951 it was reorganized as the Idaho Public Utilities Commission. Statutory authorities for the commission are established in Idaho Code titles 61 and 62.

The IPUC has quasi-legislative and quasi-judicial duties as well as executive powers and duties. The Commission is authorized 49 FTE and has its office in Boise, Idaho.

In its quasi-legislative capacity, the commission sets rates and makes rules governing utility operations. In its quasi-judicial mode, the commission hears and decides complaints, issues written orders that are similar to court orders and may have its decisions appealed to the Idaho Supreme Court. In its executive capacity, the commission enforces state laws affecting regulated utilities and rail industries.

Fees assessed on the utilities and railroads it regulates fund commission operations. Annual assessments are set by the commission each year in April within limits set by law.

Currently, Edward Lodge is the Commission President. Commissioners meet on the first Tuesday in April in oddnumbered years to elect one of their own to a two-year term as president. The president signs contracts on the commission's behalf, is the final authority in personnel matters and handles other administrative tasks.

Chairmanship of individual cases is rotated among all three commissioners. The commission conducts its business in two types of meetings: hearings and decision meetings.

Formal hearings on utility and railroad issues are held on a case-by-case basis, often in the service area of the utility under consideration to allow maximum public participation. These hearings resemble judicial proceedings and are transcribed by a court reporter. Formal parties to the case under consideration present testimony and evidence subject to cross-examination by attorneys and staff from the other parties and the commissioners.

Members of the general public may testify before the commission at a hearing without prior notice or formal intervention. However, those seeking the full rights of parties - such as the right to cross-examine other witnesses, make objections, or to make and argue motions - must file a petition for "intervener" status. Partnerships, corporations, and other entities must be represented by a licensed attorney.

To provide for more public input in a less formal setting, commission staff members may travel to areas impacted by potential commission decisions to conduct workshops or hold virtual workshops online. Unlike a formal hearing where members of the public testify but cannot ask questions of commissioners, a workshop allows citizens to ask questions and offer suggestions to commission staff.

The commission also conducts regular decision meetings to consider issues on an agenda prepared by the commission secretary and posted in advance of the meeting. These meetings are usually held Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m., although by law the commission is required to meet only once a month. Members of the public are welcome to attend decision meetings.

Typically, decision meetings consist of the commission's review of decision memoranda prepared by commission staff. Minutes of the meetings are taken, and decisions reached at these meetings are preliminary, becoming final only when issued in a written order signed by a majority of the Commission.

Core Functions/Idaho Code

Statutory authorities for the commission are established in Idaho Code titles 61 and 62. To help ensure its decisions are fair and workable, the commission employs a staff of about 50 people - engineers, rate analysts, auditors, investigators, economists, administrative and other support personnel. The IPUC staff is organized in three divisions - Administration, Legal and Utilities.

The staff analyzes each petition, complaint, rate increase request or application for an operating certificate received by the commission. In formal proceedings before the commission, the staff acts as a separate party to the case, presenting its own testimony, evidence, and expert witnesses. The commission considers staff recommendations along with those of other participants in each case - including utilities, public, agricultural, industrial, business and consumer groups.

PUC Administrator

The Administrator of the IPUC provides strategic leadership and operational oversight for the agency's Administration Division, Utilities Division, and Commission Secretary. This role serves as a key partner to the Commission's Deputy Administrators and reports directly to the Commissioners, guiding legislative initiatives, managing public and stakeholder engagement, and directing internal policies and performance. The Administrator leads efforts in staffing, organizational development, compliance, and risk mitigation. Oversees agency financial functions including budgeting, performance tracking, and fiscal compliance. This position acts as one of the Commission's primary liaisons to the legislature, utilities, state agencies, and the public.

Commission Secretary

The Commission Secretary, a post established by Idaho law, keeps a precise public record of all Commission proceedings. The Secretary issues notices, orders and other documents to the proper parties and is the official custodian of documents issued by and filed with the commission. Most of these documents are public records.

Administrative Division

The Administrative Division is responsible for coordinating overall IPUC activities and overseeing the Pipeline Safety program and a Rail Section. The Division includes a Deputy Administrator, Policy Strategist, Public Information Officer, a Pipeline Safety program team, Rail section, fiscal team, and administrative support personnel.

The *Policy Strategists* are executive level positions reporting directly to the Commissioners with policy and technical consultation and research support regarding major regulatory issues in the areas of electricity, telecommunications, water and natural gas. Strategists are also charged with developing comprehensive policy strategy, providing assistance and advice on major litigation before the commission and acting as liaison between the Commission and its staff, utility representatives, public officials and public agencies and organizations.

The *Public Information Officer* is responsible for informing the public and the media of commission decisions, meetings and activities; responding to requests for information; coordinating public hearings; preparing materials that allow for effective public participation in IPUC proceedings; and preparing the annual report. In addition this position is responsible for other special projects assigned by the commissioners.

Pipeline Safety Program

The pipeline safety section oversees the safe operation of the intrastate natural gas pipelines and facilities in Idaho.

The Commission Safety Inspectors verify compliance of state and federal regulations by on-site inspections of intrastate gas distribution systems operating in the state. Part of the inspection process includes a review of record-keeping practices and compliance with design, construction, operation, maintenance and drug/alcohol abuse regulations. All reportable accidents are investigated and appropriate reports filed with the U.S. Department of Transportation.

Rail Section

The rail safety inspection conducts inspections of rail cars carrying hazardous materials, as well as other safety components as identified in both the Federal Railroad Administration and State of Idaho safety regulations. In addition, they inspect railroads grade crossings when the Commission receives reports of maintenance deficiencies. The Rail Section is part of the multi-agency safety team that investigates all railroad-crossing accidents and makes recommendations for safety improvements to crossings.

As part of its regulatory authority, the Commission evaluates the discontinuance and abandonment of railroad service in Idaho by conducting an independent evaluation of each case to determine whether the abandonment of a particular railroad line would adversely affect Idaho shippers and whether the line has any profit potential. Should the Commission determine abandonment would be harmful to Idaho interests; it then represents the state before the federal Surface Transportation Board, which has authority to grant or deny line abandonment. The Commission also conducts hearings and issues orders concerning the elimination or alteration of grade crossings.

Utilities Division

The Utilities Division, responsible for technical analysis of utility matters before the Commission, is divided into four sections reporting to a Utilities Deputy Administrator.

The Audit Section audits utility books and records to verify reported revenue, expenses and compliance with commission orders. Staff auditors present the results of their findings in audit reports as well as in formal testimony and exhibits. When a utility requests a rate increase, cost-of-capital studies are performed to determine a recommended rate of return. Revenues, expenses, and investments are analyzed to determine the amount needed for the utility to earn the recommended return on its investment.

The Engineering Section reviews the physical operations of utilities. Staff engineers determine the cost of serving various types of customers, design utility rates and allocate costs between Idaho and the other states served by Idaho utilities. They determine the cost effectiveness of conservation and co-generation programs, evaluate the adequacy of utility services, and frequently help resolve customer complaints. The group develops computer models of utility operations and reviews utility forecasts of energy usage and the need for new facilities.

The Technical Analysis Section determines the cost effectiveness of all Demand Side Management (DSM) programs including energy efficiency and demand response. They identify potential for new DSM programs and track the impact on utility revenues. They review Wildfire Mitigation Plans for investor-owned utilities, municipalities and cooperative. They review utility forecasts of energy, water, and natural gas usage with focus on residential self-generation and rate design.

The Consumer Assistance Section investigate and work to resolve conflicts between utilities and their customers. Customers faced with service disconnections often seek help in negotiating payment arrangements. Consumer Assistance may mediate disputes over billing, deposits, line extensions and other service problems.

Consumer Assistance monitors Idaho utilities to verify they are complying with Commission orders and regulations. Investigators participate in general rate and policy cases when rate design and customer service issues are brought before the Commission.

Most consumers contact the Commission by telephone or by e-mail, via the Commission's Website. Staff members may negotiate payment arrangements with utilities on behalf of consumers and, when appropriate, refer clients to social service agencies, financial aid programs or budget counseling services.

As traditionally regulated services become deregulated, the Consumer Assistance Section's role of educating consumers and mitigating complaints with non-regulated utilities has increased. The increase in companies providing services equates to an increase in consumer inquiries and complaints. Also on the increase are disputes between companies providing services, especially among telecommunications providers.

The Consumer Assistance Section is also responsible for conducting quality of service and compliance investigations.

Legal Division

Four Deputy Attorneys General are assigned to the Commission from the Office of the Attorney General and have permanent offices at IPUC headquarters. The Attorneys General represent the staff in all matters before the Commission, working closely with staff auditors, engineers, investigators, and economists as they develop their recommendations for rate case and utility policy proceedings.

In the hearing room, the attorneys coordinate the presentation of the staff's case and cross-examine other parties who submit testimony. The attorneys also represent the Commission itself in state and federal courts and before other state or federal regulatory agencies.

Revenue and Expenditures

Revenue	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Public Utilities Comm.	\$4,751,100	\$5,242,900	\$6,356,000	\$6,400,000
Indirect Fund	\$38,700	\$39,500	\$35,600	\$55,000
Federal Grant	\$187,100	\$241,800	\$178,000	\$274,000
Total	\$4,976,900	\$5,524,200	\$6,569,600	\$6,729,000
Expenditures	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Personnel Costs	\$3,744,200	\$4,205,800	\$4,632,900	\$4,666,400
Operating Expenditures	\$1,428,800	\$1,502,200	\$1,464,100	\$161,6000
Capital Outlay	\$16,800	\$18,400	\$81,100	\$26,100
Trustee/Benefit Payments	<u>0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Total	\$5,189,600	\$5,726,400	\$6,178,100	\$6,308,500

Profile of Cases Managed and/or Key Services Provided

Cases Managed and/or Key Services Provided		FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
1.	Number of cases older than one year closed in this fiscal year.	10	23	5	14
2.	Number of comprehensive audits completed annually.	19	30	21	25
3.	Number of utility annual reports reviewed annually.	21	14	17	20
4.	Number of formal complaints received by the commission.	9	12	2	5
5.	Number of informal complaints received by the commission.	712	887	800	901
6.	Number of Inquiries received by the commission.	342	479	429	456

-	Cases Managed and/or Key Services Provided	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
7.	Average number of days needed to respond to inquiries and resolve complaints.	8	7	8	7
8.	Number inspection units audited per year (pipeline).	185	233	189	241
9.	Number of inspection days completed (pipeline).	260	337.5	306	325
10.	Number of rail hazardous material inspections.	261	261	103	102
11	. Number of rail abandonment investigations.	0	0	0	0

Part II - Performance Measures

	Performance Measure		FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
1.	Percent of all cases open for more than one year that were closed in this fiscal year.	actual	16	17	42	66
		target	20	20	20	20
2.	Number of comprehensive audits completed this fiscal year.	actual	19	21	21	25
		target	7	10	20	20
3.	Number of annual reports reviewed this fiscal year	actual	21	14	17	20
		target	20	15	20	20
4.	Average number of days needed to respond to inquiries and resolve informal complaints	actual	8	7	8	7
		target	5	10	7	7
5.	Number of inspection days this fiscal year (pipeline).	actual	260	337.5	306	325
		target	323	325	325	320
6.	HAZMAT inspections conducted this fiscal year	actual	261	261	103	102
		target	100	100	100	100
7.	Percent of proposed rail abandonments investigated	actual	100	100	100	100
		target	100	100	100	100

For More Information Contact

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Director Attestation for Performance Report

In accordance with Idaho Code 67-1904, I certify the data provided in the Performance Report has been internally assessed for accuracy, and, to the best of my knowledge, is deemed to be accurate.

Department: Administrator

8/26/2025 Date

Please return to:

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