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Steven J. Wright
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Dear Mr. Wright:

JUDIE HAMMERSTAD,
MAYOR

I am the mayor of a city with more than 36,000 residents, all of which are served by Portland General Electric. As a result of the 9th Circuit Court decision in May, all of these residents have experienced a substantial increase in their electric costs. Since 75% of the people of Oregon are served by a private utility, it concerns me that most of the households of our state are suffering from the loss of this credit.

ROGER HENNAGIN,
COUNCILOR

KRISTIN JOHNSON,
COUNCILOR

The NW Regional Power Act is still in place and was intended to assure that all NW residents share in the benefits of the federal Columbia River power system. We expect this principle to be upheld and that the residents of Lake Oswego, as citizens of the northwest and utility customers, will continue to receive the benefits they are entitled to under the Act.

ELLIE McPEAK,
COUNCILOR

FRANK GROZNIK,
COUNCILOR

I urge you to find a way to restore this credit as soon as possible. It is in the best interest of the region for all parties to come to a solution in the northwest that is fair, that restores the full benefit, and that is settled sooner rather than later.

DONNA JORDAN,
COUNCILOR

JOHN TURCHI,
COUNCILOR

Respectfully,

The Honorable Judie Hammerstad
Mayor, City of Lake Oswego

