

**WASHINGTON STATE
ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL**

RESOLUTION NO. 333

RECOGNITION OF ALBERT E. WRIGHT

WHEREAS, Al Wright was appointed the Manager of the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (Council) on March 15, 2010 based upon his knowledge and expertise in the energy facility and transmission services areas; and

WHEREAS, Al Wright accepted this position at a time of significant change for the Council as it moved from the Department of Commerce to the Utilities and Transportation Commission, and

WHEREAS, Al Wright was at this same time entrusted with the responsibility of managing the precedential setting "Expedited Processing" of the Site Certification Agreement Amendment, for Grays Harbor Energy, which resulted in a Council recommendation approved by Governor Gregoire;

WHEREAS, Al Wright concurrently coordinated and was responsible for all aspects of the processing of the Whistling Ridge Site Certification Application, resulting in a recommendation approved by Governor Gregoire and preparation of the administrative record for review by the Superior Court; and

WHEREAS, Al Wright served as a valuable resource in testimony before the Washington State Legislature and in policy discussions with Governor Gregoire's energy sub-cabinet and;

WHEREAS, Al Wright's patience, judgment, flexibility and experience have contributed greatly to the Council's collaborative decision-making process; and

WHEREAS, Al Wright has provided invaluable advice to the Council, the Department of Commerce, the Utilities and Transportation Commission and the Governor's Office;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council recognizes Al Wright's outstanding contributions to the Council's siting and regulatory activities and sincerely expresses its gratitude for the commitment, dedication and effort he exhibited over the past two and one half years and wishes him well in his new position as a policy advisor to the Utilities and Transportation Commission.

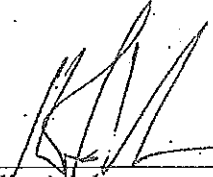
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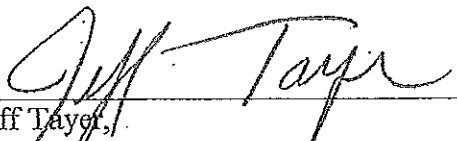
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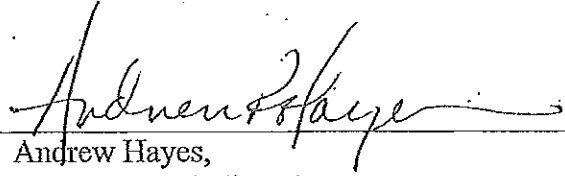
DATED and effective at Olympia, Washington, this 21ST day of, August 2012.



James O. Luce, Chair

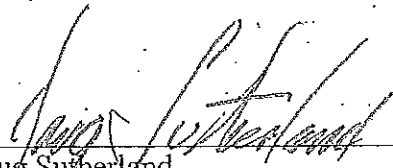

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