

SUMMARY STATEMENT

Idaho Power Company v. Tidwell

Docket No. 45644

Kiki Leslie A. Tidwell appeals an order by the Idaho Public Utility Commission (the Commission) denying her request for intervenor funding. The underlying administrative proceeding involved an application by the Idaho Power Company (Idaho Power) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct a high-voltage electric transmission line in Blaine County. The Commission granted Tidwell's petition to intervene in December 2016. In September 2017, Tidwell submitted a request for intervenor funding, which the Commission denied as untimely. Tidwell filed a petition for reconsideration, which the Commission also denied. Tidwell timely appealed. The Court affirmed the Commission's decision to deny Tidwell's request for intervenor funding, denied Tidwell's request for attorney fees on appeal, and awarded costs on appeal to the Commission.