

Power Generation, Transmission, and Distribution
Stakeholders Meeting Minutes
Sept. 17, 2014
8 a.m. - noon

Attendees:

Peggy Munsell – Oregon OSHA
Mike Kiessling – NW Line JATC
Marilyn Schuster – Oregon OSHA
Tony Toneray – Lane Electric Co-op
Bill Haskins – PGE
Mark Maguire – EWEB
Steven Harkin – Pacific Power
Ward Andrews – Wilson Construction
Robert Clarkson – IBEW 125
Mike Scarminach – IBEW 659
Banjo Reed – IBEW 659
Jeff Wilson – Oregon OSHA

Billy Terry – CPI
Greg Pierce – CPI
Todd Sherwood – Douglas Electric Co-op
Stuart Sloan – Consumers Power
Steve Gehley – Salem Electric
Zach Dillingham – Salem Electric
Larry Michaels – Salem Electric
Brian Aicher – Salem Electric
Tony Schacher – Salem Electric
John Ganer – DEC
Sue Joye – Oregon OSHA
Stephanie Ficek – Oregon OSHA

The group approved the minutes from the Aug. 20, 2014 meeting.

Merged 3V

We discussed the safety watcher rules – specifically, the exceptions in *437-003-0165*. We will rework those rules so that “b) Warning signs or danger flags must be attached to each tower leg that can be climbed at a location consistent with the above” and “c) Painters must be clearly instructed to remain below these signs or workers.” are not listed as exceptions. We will also be combining all safety watcher rules into one rule. There are a few other rules like this that we will be condensing.

We reviewed all of 3V and made changes to reflect decisions that we made at prior meetings. We also fine-tuned the language on some rules.

Two-Worker Rules

We discussed the Two-Worker rules ([437-003-0115](#) and [437-003-0120](#)) and the issue of moving elbows on a pad mount transformer to be exempt from the two worker rule.

Division 2R

We decided to put all the rules that we have just put into 3V into 2R.

Fiscal Impact

Jeff asked for people to email him their fiscal impact statements as they have them.

Meeting Adjourned: 11:10 a.m.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, Sept. 30, 2014, 8 a.m. – noon.