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Dear Margie,

Thank you for the opportunity to again give feedback on the Energy Trust's draft Strategic Plan. This letter underscores the thoughts I shared at the Utility Roundtable.

PGE greatly values the work the Energy Trust performs in consistently meeting or exceeding its energy savings goals. As you know, energy efficiency is PGE's preferred low-cost resource.

Overall, PGE is supportive of the draft 2015-2019 plan. We are especially appreciative of the focus on addressing hard-to-reach markets and operational efficiencies.

At the same time, PGE wants to be sure that two areas of the plan receive more attention.

- Efficiency Goals: The Energy Trust has asked if PGE finds the 2015-2019 beyond base case savings goal and approach reasonable. PGE supports the concept of the "push goals" if achieved cost-effectively and without price impact to our customers. We understand that the Strategic Plan assumes a solution to the large customer funding cap restriction, and share your hope that a solution is found. We anticipate further discussion of appropriate goals as developments on the cap unfold and new technologies become market-ready.

- Coordination with NEEA: Energy Trust's Plan calls for additional focus on new technologies, historically an area led successfully by NEEA. We are interested in learning more about how Energy Trust and NEEA will work together to ensure customer dollars are spent efficiently, and how PGE can engage in the discussion as well.

The use of the Utility Roundtable to gain feedback on the 5-year plan was very effective. We appreciate the opportunity to interact with the other utilities and the Energy Trust Board periodically. A suggestion was made at the Roundtable that utilities present an overview of the issues they are each facing to the Energy Trust Board annually. We endorse this suggestion. In addition, it may make sense to share the presentations Energy Trust, PGE and Pacific Power now make to the Oregon Public Utility Commission on SB838 funding each May.

PGE stands ready to help Energy Trust meet the ambitious goals set out in this draft plan. In particular we believe we can provide connections and referrals as Energy Trust seeks to engage our customers. Our partnership with Energy Trust has served our customers well, and we look forward to deepening and broadening it in the years ahead.

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