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Re: Materials for next meeting--Part 2

Dear Committee Members,

This is the second "skinny" mailing that I mentioned to you in my last e-mail. You will find enclosed:

- A copy of the draft White Paper on *Distributed Energy Generation*. As I noted, it contains three parts. Part II is 13 pages in length and addresses the "distilled questions" that we agreed upon in February. This paper is identical to the one that I e-mailed to you except for some proofreading changes and the addition of the appendices.
- A recent PSC letter to Rick Hays of Qwest Communications.
- A brief update from Southern Montana Electric.

If you have any questions, please do give me a call.

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