December 12, 2024 Item 2 Velásquez Motion 1

MOTION SHEET

I move to add the following language to the Austin Energy Resource, Generation and Climate Protection Plan:

Greater investment in Community Solar and benefits for renters

• Add the following language on Page 55 and 56:

Solar Standard Offer

Solar Standard Offer is another flagship program demonstrating Austin Energy's culture of innovation. Targeting rooftops that otherwise might not be incentivized to host local solar, this program provides a new rate so it's easier for renewable developers to partner with commercial customers to lease their rooftop space and host solar for our Community Solar program. Austin Energy receives the power, and in exchange, developers receive compensation and share it with the commercial customers according to an agreement that works for both parties. Austin Energy is initiating this innovative program with commercial customers and plans to add residential offerings including options for renter participation by January 2026 once we have enough experience with the program.