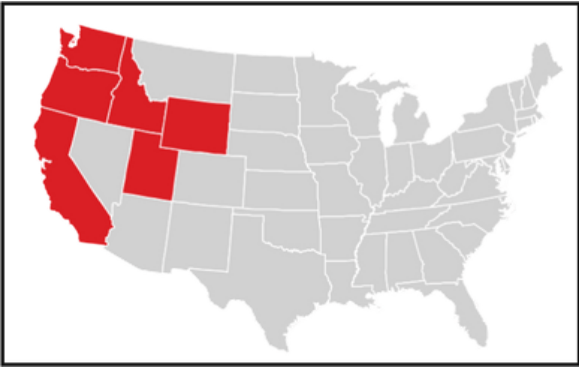


# Opportunity to Decarbonize

Oregon has committed to getting out of coal. This exciting step should reduce the amount of coal in our electricity system. However, PacifiCorp is trying to reallocate Oregon's coal to other states.  
**Utah Clean Energy has a better idea!**



## Coal-Based Energy Supply

PacifiCorp is a utility providing electricity to six states: Utah, Idaho, Wyoming, Washington, Oregon, and California. Over 61% of the electricity in their system is coal-fired.

## Utah's Current Coal Allocation

PacifiCorp utilizes 22 coal plants to meet customer demand. A percentage of these units is allocated to each of the six states in PacifiCorp's system.



## PacifiCorp's Plan: Keep Coal Plants Running as Long as Possible

PacifiCorp proposes reshuffling Oregon's coal allocation to Utah, Wyoming and Idaho rather than retiring more coal. Oregon would get out of coal, but there would be no net reduction in coal nor carbon emissions!

## Utah Could Be Saddled With More Coal

At a time when energy efficiency and renewable energy are the best bet, PacifiCorp's plan would increase Utah's allocation of coal-fired electricity along with the pollution, costs, and risks from these coal plants.



## Why Hold on to Old, Polluting Coal?

PacifiCorp is arguing that it cannot reduce Oregon's equivalent amount of coal by retiring more coal plants because it would be too expensive to retire them early.

## Retire Coal Early and Get Clean Energy

Renewables and efficiency are cheaper than ever. Utah Clean Energy is working on solutions that would retire coal plants earlier and create a cleaner less risky system.

