
Intermountain Gas Company

Capacity Enhancement Alternatives NPV by AOI

2025 – 2030



Intermountain Gas Company
 Ada County AOI
 Net Present Value

Alternative #	Alternative Description	Details	O&M Cost Used for NPV	Net Present Value	Year 0	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7
N/A	New Plymouth Gate Upgrade	Facility	N/A	(\$3,477,264)	\$ (3,640,000)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	Year 15	Year 16	Year 17	Year 18	Year 19	Year 20
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N/A	State Penn Gate Upgrade	Facility	N/A	(\$2,846,771)	\$ (2,980,000)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	Year 15	Year 16	Year 17	Year 18	Year 19	Year 20
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N/A	Caldwell Reinforcement	5.06 miles - 6 inch DP	Distribution O&M per mile of pipe added	(\$3,572,906)	\$ (3,650,000)	\$ (14,547)	\$ (14,838)	\$ (15,135)	\$ (15,438)	\$ (15,746)	\$ (16,061)	\$ (16,383)
Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	Year 15	Year 16	Year 17	Year 18	Year 19	Year 20
\$ (16,710)	\$ (17,044)	\$ (17,385)	\$ (17,733)	\$ (18,088)	\$ (18,449)	\$ (18,818)	\$ (19,195)	\$ (19,579)	\$ (19,970)	\$ (20,370)	\$ (20,777)	\$ (21,193)

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 State Street AOI
 Net Present Value

Alternative #	Alternative Description	Details	O&M Cost Used for NPV	Net Present Value	Year 0	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7
N/A	State Street Phase II Uprate	Uprate existing 2.2 miles - 12 inch HP (12 inch becomes transmission) and 2 miles of 4 inch HP	Transmission O&M per mile minus Distribution O&M per mile for pipe that would go to transmission main	(\$1,085,641)	\$ (1,200,000)	\$ 4,208	\$ 4,293	\$ 4,378	\$ 4,466	\$ 4,555	\$ 4,646	\$ 4,739
Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	Year 15	Year 16	Year 17	Year 18	Year 19	Year 20
\$ 4,834	\$ 4,931	\$ 5,029	\$ 5,130	\$ 5,233	\$ 5,337	\$ 5,444	\$ 5,553	\$ 5,664	\$ 5,777	\$ 5,893	\$ 6,011	\$ 6,131

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 Idaho Falls Lateral AOI
 Net Present Value

2026 Deficit

Alternative #	Alternative Description	Details	O&M Cost Used for NPV	Net Present Value	Year 0	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7
N/A	Wapello Compressor Station	Compressor	Compressor O&M cost per year	(\$34,783,485)	\$ (32,520,992)	\$ (257,621)	\$ (262,774)	\$ (268,029)	\$ (273,390)	\$ (278,857)	\$ (284,435)	\$ (290,123)
Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	Year 15	Year 16	Year 17	Year 18	Year 19	Year 20
\$ (295,926)	\$ (301,844)	\$ (307,881)	\$ (314,039)	\$ (320,320)	\$ (326,726)	\$ (333,260)	\$ (339,926)	\$ (346,724)	\$ (353,659)	\$ (360,732)	\$ (367,946)	\$ (375,305)

2030 Deficit

Alternative #	Alternative Description	Details	O&M Cost Used for NPV	Net Present Value	Year 0	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7
1	Fort Hall Compressor Station	Compressor	Compressor O&M cost per year	(\$48,359,768)	\$ (46,732,645)	\$ (257,621)	\$ (262,774)	\$ (268,029)	\$ (273,390)	\$ (278,857)	\$ (284,435)	\$ (290,123)
Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	Year 15	Year 16	Year 17	Year 18	Year 19	Year 20
\$ (295,926)	\$ (301,844)	\$ (307,881)	\$ (314,039)	\$ (320,320)	\$ (326,726)	\$ (333,260)	\$ (339,926)	\$ (346,724)	\$ (353,659)	\$ (360,732)	\$ (367,946)	\$ (375,305)

2030 Deficit

Alternative #	Alternative Description	Details	O&M Cost Used for NPV	Net Present Value	Year 0	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7
2	Compressor Suction Pipeline Reinforcement	8.5 miles of 16-inch Transmission	Transmission O&M cost per year	(\$40,240,247)	\$ (42,000,000)	\$ (8,178)	\$ (8,341)	\$ (8,508)	\$ (8,678)	\$ (8,852)	\$ (9,029)	\$ (9,209)
Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Year 14	Year 15	Year 16	Year 17	Year 18	Year 19	Year 20
\$ (9,394)	\$ (9,581)	\$ (9,773)	\$ (9,968)	\$ (10,168)	\$ (10,371)	\$ (10,579)	\$ (10,790)	\$ (11,006)	\$ (11,226)	\$ (11,451)	\$ (11,680)	\$ (11,913)

Intermountain Gas Company
Transmission O&M Cost per Mile per Year

Sub Account	Description	From Accounting Records	From FERC Form 2	From FERC Form 2	3-Year Average
		2022	2021	2020	
	Operation Expense:				
28520	Communication System Expenses	24,308.33	\$ 30,703.63	33,366.62	
28560	Mains Expenses	1,793.54	1,805.21	2,088.74	
	Maintenance Expense:				
28630	Maintenance of Mains	125,200.04	26,172.53	12,617.11	
28631	Maintenance of Mains			142,328.11	
28660	Maintenance of Communication Equip	139,601.91	131,969.39	139,345.50	
	Total	\$ 290,903.82	\$ 190,650.76	\$ 329,746.08	
	Total Miles of Transmission Line		284	279.49	279.5
	O&M Cost per Mile	\$ 1,024.31	\$ 682.14	\$ 1,179.77	\$ 962.07

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Distribution Main O&M Cost per Mile per Year

Sub Account	Description	From FERC Form 2 2022	From FERC Form 2 2021	From FERC Form 2 2020	3-Year Average
	Distribution O&M Expenses	\$ 25,445,520	\$ 24,742,508	\$ 21,886,836	
28920	Less: Maintenance of Services	\$ (3,084,202)	\$ (3,604,219)	\$ (2,669,868)	
28930	Less: Maintenance of Meters and Hardware	\$ (1,350,994)	\$ (988,180)	\$ (864,005)	
	Total Distribution O&M Expenses	\$ 21,010,324	\$ 20,150,109	\$ 18,352,963	
	 Total Miles of Distribution Line	 7,155.00	 6,970.00	 6,560.63	
	 O&M Cost per Mile	 \$ 2,936.45	 \$ 2,890.98	 \$ 2,797.44	 \$ 2,874.96

**Intermountain Gas Company
Compressor Station Operations and Maintenance Estimate**

Jerome

Description	Frequency (Yrs)	Unit Price	Annualized Cost	Notes
Annual Service Overhaul	1	\$15,000	\$15,000	materials, labor and travel 15K Jerome 25K Shoshone
Misc Repair	2	\$2,500	\$1,250	example: Bettis actuator failure in 2016/2017, starting system repair 2020,
Every 8000 hr Maintenance	10	\$60,000	\$6,000	est cost and frequency
Oil Change	2	\$1,200	\$600	est cost and frequency
Emissions Test	3	\$6,000	\$2,000	3 year requirement
Misc Maintenance	1	\$5,000	\$5,000	land, fence, paint, electricity *added 2900 budgeted amount electricity*
Weekly Check (winter)	1	\$8,960	\$8,960	1 Operators for 4 hrs a week for 4 months
Monthly Startup (Fall, winter, Spring)	1	\$20,160	\$20,160	2 Operators for 8 hrs a month for 9 months
Monthly Check (non-winter)	1	\$3,360	\$3,360	1 Operator for 8 hrs a month for 3 months
Peak Shaving Operators	1	\$11,200	\$11,200	2 Operators for 8 hrs a day for 5 days a year...
Peak Shaving Operators STBY	1	\$20,520	\$20,520	1 Operators for 18 hours per week per CWE (2022-23 was 76 days) 50/50 Jerome and SS
Test Run - NG Fuel	1	\$822	\$822	6 hr/month for 9 months at 50 th/hr and \$0.50/th (WACOG cost of gas 2023) *updated with budgeted amounts fy'21*
Peak Shaving - NG Fuel	1	\$1,827	\$1,827	5 days at 24 hrs/day and 50 th/hr at \$0.50/th (WACOG cost of gas 2023)
Estimated Total Annual Costs:			\$96,700	

Shoshone

Description	Frequency (Yrs)	Unit Price	Annualized Cost	Notes
Annual Service Overhaul	1	\$25,000	\$25,000	materials, labor and travel
Misc Repair	2	\$10,000	\$5,000	example: Bettis actuator failure in 2016/2017, starting system repair 2020,
Every 8000 hr Maintenance	10	\$60,000	\$6,000	est cost and frequency
Oil Change	2	\$6,000	\$3,000	est cost and frequency
Emissions Test	3	\$6,000	\$2,000	3 year requirement
Misc Maintenance	1	\$5,000	\$5,000	land, fence, paint, electricity *added 3000 budgeted amount electricity*
Weekly Check (winter)	1	\$17,920	\$17,920	1 Operators for 8 hrs a week for 4 months
Monthly Startup (Fall, winter, Spring)	1	\$20,160	\$20,160	2 Operators for 8 hrs a month for 9 months
Monthly Check (non-winter)	1	\$3,360	\$3,360	1 Operator for 8 hrs a month for 3 months
Peak Shaving Operators	1	\$33,600	\$33,600	2 Operators for 8 hrs a day for 15 days a year...
Peak Shaving Operators STBY	1	\$20,520	\$20,520	1 Operators for 18 hours per week per CWE (2022-23 was 76 days) 50/50 Jerome and SS
Test Run - NG Fuel	1	\$2,960	\$2,960	6 hr/month for 9 months at 180 th/hr and \$0.50/th (WACOG cost of gas 2023) *updated with budgeted amounts fy'21*
Peak Shaving - NG Fuel	1	\$19,735	\$19,735	15 days at 24 hrs/day and 180 th/hr at \$0.50/th (WACOG cost of gas 2023)
Estimated Total Annual Costs:			\$164,255	

*Assumed Operator salary is \$140/hr loaded

Wapello Compressors (2 as of 2024)

Description	Frequency (Yrs)	Unit Price	Annualized Cost	Notes
Annual Service Overhaul	1	\$40,000	\$40,000	materials, labor and travel 20K each engine
Misc Repair	2	\$50,000	\$25,000	example: Valve repairs, or computer tuning, or safety device
Every 8000 hr Maintenance	10	\$60,000	\$6,000	est cost and frequency
Oil Change every 2,000 hours	5	\$6,000	\$1,200	est cost and frequency
Emissions Test	3	\$10,000	\$3,333	3 year requirement unless extension is granted
Misc Maintenance	1	\$8,000	\$8,000	land, fence, paint, electricity *added 3500 budgeted amount electricity*
Weekly Check (winter)	1	\$35,840	\$35,840	2 Operators for 8 hrs a week for 4 months
Monthly Startup (Fall, winter, Spring)	1	\$20,160	\$20,160	2 Operators for 8 hrs a month for 9 months
Monthly Check (non-winter)	1	\$3,360	\$3,360	1 Operator for 8 hrs a month for 3 months
Peak Shaving Operators	1	\$31,360	\$31,360	2 Operators for 8 hrs a day for 14 days a year...assuming the compressor will run every year
Peak Shaving Operators STBY	1	\$45,360	\$45,360	1 Operators for 18 hours per week per peak shaving times of Dec - Feb
Test Run - NG Fuel	1	\$17,542	\$17,542	6 hr/month for 9 months at 200 th/hr and \$0.50/th (WACOG cost of gas 2023)*updated with budgeted amounts fy'21*
Peak Shaving - NG Fuel	1	\$20,466	\$20,466	14 days at 24 hrs/day and 200 th/hr at \$0.50/th (WACOG cost of gas 2023)
Estimated Total Annual Costs:			\$257,621	

*Assumed Operator salary is \$140/hr loaded

Idaho Estimated Total Annual Costs for 4 Compressors \$518,576