

Before the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
State of South Dakota

In the Matter of the Application of  
NorthWestern Corporation d/b/a NorthWestern Energy  
For Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Utility Service in  
South Dakota

Docket No. EL23-\_\_\_\_\_

Exhibit \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS COST OF SERVICE  
RATE DESIGN

Prefiled Direct Testimony and Schedules of

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1 **I. INTRODUCTION AND QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE**

2 **Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, POSITION AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.**

3 **A.** My name is Paul M. Normand. I am a Principal with the firm of Management Applications  
4 Consulting, Inc. (“MAC”), 1103 Rocky Drive, Suite 201, Reading, PA 19609.

5 **Q. ON WHOSE BEHALF ARE YOU APPEARING IN THIS PROCEEDING?**

6 **A.** I am appearing and providing testimony on behalf of NorthWestern Corporation d/b/a  
7 NorthWestern Energy (“NorthWestern” or “Company”). NorthWestern provides  
8 electricity and natural gas service to consumers in the northwestern United States and  
9 serves approximately 753,600 electric and natural gas customers in South Dakota, Montana  
10 and Nebraska. As of December 31, 2022, NorthWestern served 64,678 electric distribution  
11 customers in South Dakota.

12 **Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY TESTIFIED BEFORE THE SOUTH DAKOTA**  
13 **PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION (“COMMISSION”)?**

14 **A.** No, this is my first appearance before the Commission.

15 **Q. Please describe MAC.**

16 **A.** MAC is a management consulting firm that provides rate and regulatory assistance  
17 including lead lag studies, allocated cost of service studies, and depreciation services for  
18 electric, gas and water utilities.

19 **Q. Please summarize your education and business experience.**

20 **A.** This information is contained in Exhibit PMN-1.

21 **Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?**

1 A. My Direct Testimony primarily addresses NorthWestern’s class cost of service study  
2 (“CCOS”)Lighting service costs, and a Standby service rate. In addition, I provide  
3 supporting information for the rate design proposals sponsored by Company witness Mr.  
4 Jeffrey Decker.

5 **Q. WHAT STATEMENTS AND SCHEDULES IN NORTHWESTERN’S RATE**  
6 **FILING DO YOU SPONSOR?**

7 A. I sponsor Statements N and O. Statement N, pages 1 through 36 shows the test year cost  
8 of service allocated to the customer classes for which the increased rates are proposed.  
9 Statement N provides both a study per books class cost of service study and a class cost of  
10 service study adjusted using the Company’s claimed revenue requirement in this docket.  
11 Statement O, pages 1 through 9 compares the results of the allocated cost of service study  
12 by rate class with the revenues under the Company’s claimed rate of return and revenues  
13 under proposed rates. I also sponsor Schedules N-1 through N-9 which shows the cost of  
14 service functionalization, classification, and allocation details.

15 **Q. WHAT EXHIBITS DO YOU SPONSOR?**

16 A. I sponsor Exhibits\_\_(PMN-1) through (PMN-5) as set forth in the table of contents above  
17 and attached to this testimony.

18 **Q. WERE THE STATEMENTS, SCHEDULES, AND EXHIBITS YOU ARE**  
19 **SPONSORING PREPARED BY YOU OR UNDER YOUR DIRECT**  
20 **SUPERVISION?**

21 A. Yes, they were.

1 **Q. ARE THE TESTIMONY AND THE CONTENTS OF THE STATEMENTS,**  
2 **SCHEDULES, AND EXHIBITS YOU SPONSOR TRUE AND ACCURATE TO**  
3 **THE BEST OF YOUR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF?**

4 **A.** Yes, they are.

5 **Q. HOW IS YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY ORGANIZED?**

6 **A.** My Direct Testimony consists of five sections. Section I provides my qualifications and  
7 experience and describes the purpose and organization of my Direct Testimony. Section  
8 II describes and supports the CCOS I have conducted on behalf of the Company and which  
9 is provided and summarized in Statements N and O of the rate filing. Section III of my  
10 Direct Testimony describes the Lighting Service Study that MAC has prepared to assist  
11 NorthWestern in its design of Lighting service rates. The Lighting Service Study calculates  
12 the relative costs of each type of lighting service offered by NorthWestern. Section IV of  
13 my Direct Testimony discusses the design of a new Rate 34 Standby Rate for the Large  
14 Commercial & Industrial rate class. Finally, Section V summarizes my testimony and  
15 recommendations.

16 **II. CLASS COST OF SERVICE STUDY**

17 **Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF A CCOS?**

18 **A.** The purpose of a CCOS is to calculate the revenue requirement for each class of customers  
19 based on the costs the utility has incurred to serve the class. Once identified, these class  
20 revenue requirements provide useful guidelines for rate design. Class revenue  
21 requirements are calculated by allocating the detailed components of a utility's revenue  
22 requirement to individual classes using allocation factors and direct assignments that

1 represent the cost drivers of the costs being allocated. In a CCOS, the total retail cost of  
2 service is prorated among customer classes so that the sum of the class revenue  
3 requirements equals the total revenue requirement at issue. Although there is often  
4 disagreement among parties regarding cost allocation measurement and attribution, the use  
5 of CCOSs as a guide to rate design is a longstanding practice utilized by this Commission  
6 and by numerous other state regulatory agencies.

7 **Q. HAVE YOU PREPARED A CCOS ON BEHALF OF NORTHWESTERN?**

8 **A.** Yes, I have. The per book CCOS and the adjusted, or pro forma, CCOS are presented as  
9 Statement N of NorthWestern's rate filing. Statement N includes the details of the  
10 allocated cost of service study by rate class per books and per the claimed revenue  
11 requirements. This statement shows the following for each of the studies:

- 12 1. Detail of the functional cost of service study allocating costs to the 16 cost  
13 functions.
- 14 2. Detail of the 16 functional costs for the labor allocator.
- 15 3. Listing of the functional allocators.
- 16 4. Detail of the allocation of the functionalized costs to the customer classes.
- 17 5. Listing of the class allocators used to allocate the functionalized costs to rate  
18 classes.
- 19 6. Detail of the calculation of income taxes at present revenues by customer class.
- 20 7. Detail of the calculation of income taxes at the claimed rate of return by customer  
21 class.

1 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE LAYOUT AND OPERATION OF THE CLASS COST**  
2 **OF SERVICE MODEL YOU ARE SPONSORING ON BEHALF OF**  
3 **NORTHWESTERN IN THIS FILING.**

4 **A.** The CCOS results are presented in Statements N and O of the Rate Filing Package.  
5 Statement N consists of a cover page providing the Section N filing requirements and 36  
6 pages of allocated cost of service information. Statement O presents revenues, returns,  
7 income taxes, and allocated costs by rate class at present rate revenue levels, at equalized  
8 claimed rate of returns, and at the Company’s proposed rates. Statement O consists of  
9 summaries of the detailed CCOS results from Statement N. Statement O is comprised of  
10 sets of three pages with the first page of each set providing the summary cost information  
11 for the major customer groupings (i.e., Total Residential, Total Irrigation, Total  
12 Commercial, Total Commercial & Industrial, Total Lighting, and Controlled Off-Peak  
13 service) and the next two pages including more detailed breakdowns of costs among the  
14 individual rate classes.

15 Statement N provides the detailed functionalization and allocation information that  
16 is summarized in Statement O. Pages 1-3 of Statement N present cost of service  
17 information for each customer class at present rates, at the Company’s claimed rate of  
18 return, and at the proposed rates. Pages 4-15 of Statement N detail the allocation of rate  
19 base to customer classes. Pages 16-18 provide the allocation of revenue by customer class.  
20 Pages 19-24 detail the allocation to classes of operation and maintenance (“O&M”)  
21 expenses, depreciation expense, regulatory credits and taxes other than income taxes.  
22 Pages 25-30 of Statement N provide of income taxes and operating income by customer  
23 class. Pages 31-33 set forth each functionalized cost component of base rate revenues at

1 the claimed rate of return and each functionalized cost component of base rate revenues at  
2 the present rate of return. Pages 34-36 set forth the functionalized gross receipts tax  
3 increase by class and by function for the claimed rate of return.

4 Schedule N-1 consists of 24 pages and provides the detail of the calculation of  
5 income taxes at present rates by functionalized cost component. Pages 1-6 show the  
6 functionalization of revenue by type to classes. Pages 7-9 provide the allocation of  
7 functionalized O&M and depreciation expenses by class of service. Pages 10-18 set forth  
8 the detailed allocations of functionalized tax components to customer classes. Pages 19-  
9 24 of Schedule N-1 provide the calculation of operating income, rate base, and rate of  
10 return by class at present rate levels. Schedule N-2 provides similar information and is laid  
11 out in the same manner as Schedule N-1, but employs revenues and revenue requirements  
12 at the Company's claimed rate of return in the calculation of income taxes by customer  
13 class.

14 Schedule N-3 consists of 14 pages and provides the functionalization of NWE's  
15 revenue requirement components. Pages 1-4 of Schedule N-3 provide the functionalization  
16 of rate base. Pages 5-6 provide the functionalization of revenue. Pages 7-10 provide the  
17 functionalization of O&M expenses. Pages 11-14 provide the detailed functionalization of  
18 depreciation expense, other taxes, and income taxes.

19 Schedule N-4 consists of two pages and provides the functionalization of the labor  
20 costs within the O&M expense accounts. Schedule N-5 consists of nine pages and provides  
21 the detailed allocation factors by function employed in the allocation of functionalized  
22 costs to customer classes. Schedule N-6 consists of six pages that provide the detailed  
23 functionalization factors employed in the allocation of total Company costs to functions.



1 Schedule N-7 is comprised of eight pages which provide functionalized base rate revenues  
2 by class of service at the Company's present rate of return and claimed rate of return.  
3 Schedule N-8 consists of three pages that provide the summary of the customer component  
4 costs of each class's revenue requirement.

5 **Q. WHAT ARE THE STEPS INVOLVED IN CONDUCTING A CCOS?**

6 **A.** There are three steps involved in conducting a CCOS - functionalization, classification,  
7 and allocation. Functionalization identifies the operational source where the costs are  
8 incurred, either directly or indirectly, with respect to the physical process of providing  
9 service. For example, the costs of generating units and purchased power (production  
10 function) are identified separately from costs associated with transmission lines  
11 (transmission function) which are, in turn, segregated from the costs of the distribution  
12 system (distribution function). Each function (production, transmission, and distribution)  
13 may be further separated into sub-functions. For example, distribution costs may, as in this  
14 case, be further separated into ten separate functions to allow a more accurate cost  
15 allocation and to provide information that may be useful in designing cost-based rates for  
16 customers receiving service from NorthWestern's distribution system.

17 Classification is the next step in conducting a cost of service study. Classification  
18 refers to the separation of functionalized costs according to a measurable usage  
19 characteristic that drives the cost. Classification further breaks down functionalized costs  
20 into demand, energy, and customer-related costs. Demand costs are costs that result from  
21 the rate of power consumption over a relatively short period of time (usually 15 minutes to  
22 an hour). Demand costs frequently reflect the costs of equipment that must be sized to  
23 meet a rated maximum load requirement placed on that equipment. Energy costs are those

1 costs that result from the volume of energy supplied over time. Fuel expense is generally  
2 the largest type of energy cost incurred by an electric utility. Customer costs are costs that  
3 vary as a function of the number of customers. Meters are an example of customer-related  
4 costs, although the cost analysis should account for the fact that meters serving large loads  
5 are more expensive than meters serving smaller customer loads.

6 The final step in conducting a cost of service study is the allocation of  
7 functionalized and classified costs to individual customer classes. The allocation step uses  
8 customer class metrics, along with direct assignments, where applicable, to allocate the  
9 specific cost components that have been functionalized and classified to individual  
10 customer classes. Customer class information such as non-coincident peak demands,  
11 coincident peak demands, annual energy use, and customer counts are employed to  
12 calculate class allocation factors.

13 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE PROCESS OF COST FUNCTIONALIZATION YOU**  
14 **HAVE EMPLOYED IN THE CCOS YOU SPONSOR.**

15 **A.** The individual details of costs comprising the total revenue requirement are separated  
16 according to the function or physical service they provide. The major functions employed  
17 in NorthWestern's CCOS are:

- 18 • Production – costs associated with power generation and purchased capacity.  
19 Production costs are the costs associated with securing power supply resources  
20 sufficient to meet maximum load requirements of the system;
- 21 • Transmission – Transmission costs are costs that are associated with the high voltage  
22 system that transports power and energy to load centers. Transmission facilities include  
23 transmission lines, substations, and associated equipment. External transmission costs

1 included in FERC account 565 are not included in base rates, but are recovered through  
2 NorthWestern's separate external transmission cost tracker which includes offsetting  
3 revenues;

4 • Distribution – costs associated with distributing and measuring the power and energy  
5 from the transmission system to end users. Distribution facilities include distribution  
6 substations, primary and secondary conductors and devices, transformers, voltage  
7 regulators, and other equipment necessary to transport power from the high voltage  
8 side of the distribution substation to the point of delivery of the power and energy.  
9 NorthWestern's CCOS identifies the costs associated with four demand-related  
10 distribution functions and two customer-related distribution functions;

11 • Customer – expenses that tend to be correlated to the number of customers – *i.e.*, meter  
12 reading, billing, customer accounting, customer care and service, and other similar  
13 costs. NorthWestern's CCOS employs two customer-related distribution functions as  
14 well as three customer-related functions of meter reading, customer records, and other  
15 customer-related costs;

16 • Lighting – costs that are directly associated with street and area lighting;

17 • Other Energy – energy-related costs that are not recovered in the fuel clause, but which  
18 are recovered in base rates. These costs are mainly fuel stock, non-recoverable fuel  
19 costs, fuel balancing costs, and coal taxes;

20 • Fuel – fuel and the energy portion of purchased power costs and offsetting revenues  
21 rrecovered through a tracker; and

22 • Ad Valorem – property taxes recovered in the Ad Valorem recovery clause.

23 Exhibit\_\_(PMN-2) provides a more detailed description of the functions employed

1 in NorthWestern's retail CCOS as well as detailed descriptions for the cost classifications  
2 and allocation factors employed in Statements N and O.

3 A detailed Functional Labor Expense allocator accurately functionalizes labor-  
4 related costs. This allocator was developed by functionalizing all labor-related Operation  
5 and Maintenance expense by each account and capital labor and summing these allocated  
6 labor-related amounts to create the labor expense functional allocation factor.

7 **Q. HOW DID YOU CLASSIFY PRODUCTION COSTS?**

8 **A.** As stated above, all production-related costs other than fuel expense were classified as  
9 being demand-related.

10 **Q. HOW DID YOU CLASSIFY TRANSMISSION COSTS?**

11 **A.** All transmission costs are classified as demand-related costs. NWE's transmission system  
12 must be capable of serving the maximum demands placed upon it, regardless of when those  
13 maximum demands occur.

14 **Q. HOW HAVE DISTRIBUTION COSTS BEEN CLASSIFIED?**

15 **A.** Structures, station equipment, poles and towers, conductors and conduit, and transformers  
16 have been classified as demand-related costs. Services, meters, and certain other  
17 distribution expenses, such as customer service and information expenses, have been  
18 classified as customer-related costs. Distribution costs also include the costs of providing  
19 lighting services. Much of the cost of providing lighting services are unique to that service  
20 and are readily identifiable using standard accounting and property records. Thus, lighting  
21 service is largely directly assigned its distribution costs. Exhibit \_\_ (PMN-2) provides more  
22 detailed information regarding how each cost of service component was classified in  
23 Statements N and O.

1 **Q. ONCE NORTHWESTERN'S COSTS OF SERVICE ARE FUNCTIONALIZED**  
2 **AND CLASSIFIED, WHAT IS THE NEXT STEP IN THE PROCESS OF**  
3 **CALCULATING CLASS COSTS OF SERVICE?**

4 **A.** Once costs are functionalized and classified, I allocate costs to rate classes. Sixteen  
5 allocators were used to allocate the classified functional costs. These allocators are  
6 developed externally and are derived from (a) demands imposed by the class (using either  
7 monthly coincident peak ("CP") demands or annual non-coincident peak ("NCP")  
8 demands); (b) energy use by class at the generation source (*i.e.*, after accounting for line  
9 and transformation losses); or (c) number of customers served and meters (weighted by the  
10 appropriate weighting factor to recognize differences in types of customers and their  
11 impacts upon the system). These allocations are then summarized within the cost of service  
12 model to derive costs of service for each customer class. The allocation process also  
13 includes the detailed calculation of income taxes at present revenues and at equalized  
14 claimed rates of return. These income tax calculations were performed in order to properly  
15 functionalize and allocate income taxes to the customer classes.

16 **Q. YOU PREVIOUSLY EXPLAINED THAT PRODUCTION PLANT WAS**  
17 **CLASSIFIED AS DEMAND-RELATED. HOW WAS GENERATION PLANT**  
18 **ALLOCATED?**

19 **A.** Production costs were allocated on the basis of class contributions to the 12 monthly system  
20 peak demands during the test year, an allocation approach referred to as the Twelve  
21 Coincident Peak ("12CP") demand allocation method.

1 **Q. HOW DID YOU ALLOCATE THE FUEL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE**  
2 **PRODUCTION PLANT, THE EXTERNAL TRANSMISSION COSTS, AND AD**  
3 **VALOREM COSTS?**

4 **A.** Most fuel costs are not recovered in base rates. The fuel clause revenues were determined  
5 for the test period by customer class. The offsetting costs, which equaled the fuel revenues,  
6 were then allocated on the basis of the fuel revenues by rate class. The result is that fuel  
7 revenues equaled allocated fuel costs by rate class and, therefore, have no effect on base  
8 rates. This same approach was used for the External Transmission functional costs and the  
9 Ad Valorem functional costs both of which are recovered through rate mechanisms other  
10 than base rates. The small percentage of fuel-related costs that are recovered in base rates  
11 were allocated to rate classes on the basis of energy use adjusted to losses at input.

12 **Q. PURCHASED POWER IS BOOKED BY ELECTRIC UTILITIES IN FERC**  
13 **ACCOUNT 555. HOW DID YOU ALLOCATE THE DEMAND PORTION OF**  
14 **PURCHASED POWER COSTS TO CLASSES?**

15 **A.** NorthWestern's firm power supply contracts have demand charges that are not recoverable  
16 in its Fuel Clause. These purchased power demand costs were allocated on the basis of  
17 12CP demands consistent with all other generating resources in the study..

18 **Q. HOW DID YOU ALLOCATE TRANSMISSION-RELATED COSTS?**

19 **A.** I used the 12CP method to allocate transmission function plant and expenses.

20 **Q. WHY DID YOU EMPLOY CLASS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE TWELVE**  
21 **MONTHLY COINCIDENT PEAK DEMANDS IN THE TEST YEAR TO**  
22 **ALLOCATE THE DEMAND-RELATED COSTS OF GENERATION AND**  
23 **TRANSMISSION PLANT?**

1 A. NWE must build or otherwise secure sufficient power supply resources to meet its peak  
2 demands regardless of the times at which those system peak demands occur. Based upon  
3 my analyses, I believe that most months of the year should be considered peak months for  
4 cost allocation purposes.

5 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE ANALYSES YOU HAVE CONDUCTED THAT**  
6 **SUPPORT THE USE OF BOTH WINTER AND SUMMER MONTHS IN THE**  
7 **ALLOCATION OF SYSTEM PEAK-RELATED PRODUCTION DEMAND**  
8 **COSTS.**

9 A. Please refer to Exhibit \_\_\_ (PMN-3), page 1 which sets forth monthly peak demands for  
10 the 12 months ended December 31, 2022. Note that the system peak demand occurred in  
11 the month of July. However, during the test year the demands were also high for the winter  
12 months of January, February, March and December. Monthly historical demands reveals  
13 that the magnitudes of winter monthly demands relative to summer peak demands have  
14 historically been fairly close. The sum of the peak demands for the test year months of  
15 January, February, March and December are 94 percent of the sum of the peak demand for  
16 the months of June, July, August and September. The demands of the four summer months  
17 of June through September are not significantly different from the peak demands during  
18 the winter months December through March. The remaining months provide reduced  
19 demand levels that provide for the orderly scheduling of maintenance for the Company's  
20 other facilities. For this reason, I recommend that customer contributions to monthly  
21 system peak demands in all 12 months of the test period be employed to allocate production  
22 and transmission related demand costs.

23

1 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW YOU ALLOCATED DISTRIBUTION-RELATED**  
2 **FUNCTIONAL COSTS TO CUSTOMER CLASSES IN YOUR COST OF SERVICE**  
3 **STUDY.**

4 **A.** Distribution rate base and expense accounts were allocated on the basis of customer class  
5 non-coincident peak (“NCP”) demands. NCP demands are the maximum demands of the  
6 customer class and represent the undiversified loads placed upon system equipment at or  
7 near the customer’s point of service. Distribution substations, primary service, and  
8 transformer costs were allocated based upon the NCP demands of customers taking service  
9 at either primary or secondary voltages. Secondary distribution plant was allocated in a  
10 consistent manner, using the NCP demands of customers taking service at secondary  
11 voltages.

12 **Q. HOW WERE THE REMAINING DISTRIBUTION-RELATED FUNCTIONAL**  
13 **COSTS ALLOCATED?**

14 **A.** Service laterals connect the secondary transformer to the customer premises. Services costs  
15 include customer-related costs that are allocated to classes on the basis of the customers’  
16 individual maximum demands. Meters costs are allocated to classes on the basis of the  
17 number of customers weighted by the relative cost of a meter for that class. The remaining  
18 plant accounts and related costs, installations on customer premises, and street lighting and  
19 signal systems are exclusively used for lighting services of NorthWestern. Therefore, these  
20 plant costs are directly assigned to the lighting class as a whole.

21 **Q. HOW WERE THE REMAINING FUNCTIONAL COSTS ALLOCATED TO RATE**  
22 **CLASSES?**



1 A. The meter reading functional costs were allocated to rate classes based on a weighted  
2 number of meter allocators. The customer records-related functional costs were  
3 allocated to rate classes based on a weighted number of customer allocators. The customer  
4 other functional costs relate mostly to customer service and information expense. The  
5 allocator used is based on a 50% weighting of the number of customers and a 50%  
6 weighting of the kWh sales at the generation level.

7 **Q. HOW WAS GENERAL PLANT ALLOCATED?**

8 A. General plant consists of plant and equipment necessary to support personnel involved in  
9 the overall operation of the system. General plant is a cost that is common to all functions  
10 and cost classifications. As a common cost, General plant does not readily fall into a  
11 demand, energy, or customer classification. However, plant costs and Operation and  
12 Maintenance ("O&M") expenses for production, transmission, distribution, customer  
13 accounting, and customer information have already been functionalized, classified, and  
14 allocated to classes. As a result, the level of wages and salaries recorded within the O&M  
15 expense and capital accounts is known, and allocation factors have been developed using  
16 this information. General plant is functionalized and allocated on the basis of the prior  
17 assignment of distribution wages and salaries by O&M expense and capital labor.

18 **Q. HOW ARE THE REMAINING RATE BASE ITEMS ALLOCATED TO CLASSES?**

19 A. Depreciation reserves are functionalized and allocated to classes based upon the prior  
20 allocation of related plant accounts. Additions and deductions from rate base are allocated  
21 using the most appropriate allocation factors for the items being assigned. For example,  
22 cash working capital is broken into three components --

- 1           1.       Materials & Supplies, which is functionalized and allocated on the basis of previously  
2                       allocated production, transmission, and distribution plant,
- 3           2.       Cash Working Capital, which is functionalized and allocated on the basis of the  
4                       sum of O&M expense, taxes other than income, income taxes, and interest expense,  
5                       and
- 6           3.       Fuel Stock, which is functionalized as energy-related and allocated on the basis of  
7                       loss-adjusted energy sales.   Deferred income taxes were functionalized and  
8                       allocated on the basis of total plant.

9   **Q.   HOW DID YOU DETERMINE EACH CUSTOMER CLASS'S REVENUES FOR**  
10 **PURPOSES OF THE CCOS?**

11 **A.**   Revenues from Sales of Electricity by class are recorded in NorthWestern's books and are  
12 directly assigned to the class producing the revenue.  Fuel revenue, external transmission  
13 revenue, and ad valorem revenue are directly assigned to the class producing the revenues.  
14 Non-fuel-related wholesale revenues are assigned on the basis of loss-adjusted energy and  
15 fuel-related wholesale revenues are allocated based upon the allocation of fuel expense.  
16 Other revenues are comprised of late payment charges, which are allocated on the basis of  
17 late payment history by class, and miscellaneous service charges, rents and other electric  
18 revenues, which are allocated on the basis of previously allocated total plant by class.  Pole  
19 rental revenues were allocated and functionalized on the previously functionalized  
20 distribution overhead lines plant.  Revenue from steam sales was directly assigned and  
21 allocated on the same basis as production plant.

1 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE ALLOCATION OF O&M EXPENSES,**  
2 **DEPRECIATION EXPENSE, REGULATORY CREDITS, AND TAXES OTHER**  
3 **THAN INCOME TAXES.**

4 **A.** Generation costs and non-recoverable purchased power demand charges are functionalized  
5 as production-related and allocated on the basis of the 12CP demand allocation factor. Fuel  
6 expense and wholesale fuel expense are functionalized to the fuel function and allocated  
7 as previously described. Non-recoverable fuel costs and the costs of fuel balancing are  
8 energy-related and allocated on the basis of loss adjusted energy sales. Transmission  
9 expenses are allocated on the basis of previously allocated transmission plant. Distribution  
10 expenses are functionalized to the associated plant and then allocated on the basis of the  
11 previously allocated distribution plant components. Similarly, customer-related expenses  
12 are functionalized and then allocated using weighted number of meters, weighted number  
13 of customers, and weighted sales allocators. Depreciation expense is functionalized based  
14 upon the associated plant values and then allocated on the basis of the previously allocated  
15 plant in service. Taxes other than income taxes are identified by type and allocated  
16 accordingly. For example, Delaware franchise taxes and South Dakota gross receipts taxes  
17 are functionalized and allocated based upon the revenue requirement at the Company's  
18 claimed rate of return; ad valorem taxes are assigned to the ad valorem function and then  
19 allocated on the basis of ad valorem revenues billed by customer class, and coal taxes are  
20 allocated as energy-related costs. Payroll taxes were functionalized and allocated on the  
21 basis of the functionalized labor expense.

22 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE ALLOCATION OF FEDERAL INCOME TAX.**

1 A. As previously stated, federal income tax is not directly allocated to customer classes.  
 2 Instead, the revenue and cost components used to calculate NWE’s South Dakota retail  
 3 federal income tax are functionalized and allocated to classes. These allocated income tax  
 4 components are then used to calculate the income tax liability for each class. The detailed  
 5 computation of federal income taxes is provided in Schedule N-2 for income taxes at  
 6 present rates and Schedule N-3 for income taxes at the claimed rate of return.

7 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE RESULTS OF THE CCOS AND COMPARE THESE**  
 8 **RESULTS WITH THE CLASS REVENUES PRODUCED BY**  
 9 **NORTHWESTERN’S PRESENT RATES.**

10 A. Pages 1 through 3 of Statement N provide the revenues, costs, and returns by customer  
 11 class under present, claimed and proposed rates. This cost information is summarized in  
 12 Table 1 below.

13 **Table 1**

	Present Revenues	Present Rate of Return	Claimed Revenues	Percent Increase	Proposed Rates	Proposed Increase (\$)	Proposed Increase (%)	Prop. ROR
Residential	\$47,207,213	3.07%	\$66,421,260	40.70%	\$59,087,261	11,880,049	25.17%	5.81%
Irrigation	204,088	0.24%	362,325	77.53%	257,783	53,696	26.31%	2.69%
Commercial	12,767,249	4.85%	15,572,285	21.97%	15,972,116	3,204,867	25.10%	7.93%
Comm. & Ind	56,655,630	5.88%	64,458,613	13.77%	71,791,769	15,136,139	26.72%	9.16%
Municipal	628,710	12.391%	469,502	-25.32%	778,962	150,252	23.90%	16.89%
Lighting	1,972,030	-1.80%	2,999,337	52.09%	2,401,950	429,920	21.80%	2.10%
Controlled Off-Peak	79,701	4.17%	104,949	31.68%	98,454	18,752	23.53%	6.67%
Total Retail	\$119,514,621	4.51%	\$150,388,271	25.83%	\$150,388,296	\$30,873,674	25.83%	7.54%

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 15 As indicated on Table 1 above, the differences between present revenues and allocated  
 16 costs vary significantly by class of service. Mr. Jeffrey Decker’s Direct Testimony

1 supports NorthWestern’s proposed revenue distribution, including the Company’s  
2 proposed rate mitigation concerns. Mr. Decker also developed support of the Company’s  
3 rate design.

4 **III. ANALYSIS OF LIGHTING SERVICES COSTS**

5 **Q. WHAT IS AN ANALYSIS OF LIGHTING SERVICE COSTS AND HOW IS SUCH**  
6 **AN ANALYSIS USED?**

7 **A.** A separate analysis of lighting service costs was performed to derive reasonable current  
8 cost estimates for each of the installed fixtures, brackets, and poles contained within the  
9 Company’s lighting rate schedules. The cost differentials between the lights resulting from  
10 this analysis were adjusted to match the target revenue established in NorthWestern’s class  
11 proposed revenues.

12 **Q. WHAT APPROACH WAS SELECTED TO PERFORM THE LIGHTING**  
13 **ANALYSIS?**

14 **A.** The analysis of lighting was based on an accounting class cost of service approach using  
15 the most currently available data for 2022. The analysis consisted of using the CCOS  
16 functional results, as provided by Statement N, for gross plant, depreciation, net plant,  
17 O&M expenses, and existing revenue levels to calculate a unit charge for each functional  
18 cost area. These calculated costs include the functional costs for Production (excluding  
19 fuel), Transmission, Distribution, and Lighting related plant and O&M expense, as shown  
20 in Table 8 of Exhibit\_\_(PMN-4).

1 **Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE LIGHTING SERVICE RATES INCLUDED IN**  
2 **NORTHWESTERN'S LIGHTING COST ANALYSIS AND DESCRIBE THE**  
3 **LEVEL OF DETAIL INCLUDED WITHIN EACH OF THESE RATES.**

4 **A.** NorthWestern's lighting analysis included two lighting service rate schedules, Rate  
5 Schedule 19 and Rate Schedule 56. Rate Schedule 19, referred to as the Reddy-Guard class  
6 of service, includes residential, commercial, industrial, farm and rural area, outdoor area,  
7 and street lighting. Rate Schedule 56's class of service is Company or customer owned  
8 highway, and street and area lighting systems. Rate Schedule 56 is available for lighting  
9 systems owned by NorthWestern or political sub-divisions.

10 For each of these lighting rate schedules, a detailed analysis was performed at the  
11 revenue code level which identified the fixture by type of lamp (i.e., High Pressure Sodium,  
12 Mercury Vapor, and Metal Halide) and wattage (100, 250, and 1000). The revenue codes  
13 were then grouped and analyzed by rate code.

14 Rate Schedule 19 includes six rate code groups:

- 15 1. Rate Code U10 – Reddy-Guard Residential Unmetered
- 16 2. Rate Code U10 – Reddy-Guard Residential Metered
- 17 3. Rate Code U20 – Reddy-Guard Commercial Unmetered
- 18 4. Rate Code U20 - Reddy-Guard Commercial Metered
- 19 5. Rate Code U30 – Public Lighting Unmetered
- 20 6. Rate Code U30 – Public Lighting Metered

21 Rate Schedule 56 includes six rate code groups:

- 22 1. Rate Code U30 - Distribution Pole Mounting - Company Owned
- 23 2. Rate Code U30 - Distribution Pole Mounting - Customer Owned

- 1                   3. Rate Code U30 - Metal Pole Mounting - Company Owned
- 2                   4. Rate Code U30 - Metal Pole Mounting - Customer Owned
- 3                   5. Rate Code U30 - Wood Pole Mounting - Company Owned
- 4                   6. Rate Code U30 - Wood Pole Mounting - Customer Owned

5   **Q.   PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW THE LIGHTING ANALYSIS WAS PERFORMED.**

6   **A.**   The first step of the analysis was to isolate current costs by major functions and review the  
7   costs to ensure that only those relevant portions of costs be considered and included. In  
8   order to facilitate the cost calculations and allocations, costs were allocated and developed  
9   on dollars per kilowatt-hour (“\$/kWh”) by function. This \$/kWh by function approach was  
10  employed to incorporate the underlying assumption that lighting is an off-peak load and,  
11  therefore, is not a cost driver for the Company’s distribution cost investments. The  
12  assumption is based on a review of the load data which indicates the lighting class was  
13  coincident with the monthly system only in November and December and partially  
14  coincident with the monthly peak in the months of January and October. Furthermore,  
15  historical peaks have occurred during summer daylight hours when lighting services are  
16  not used. For this reason, the use of these investments for approximately 4,043 (off-peak)  
17  hours per year indicates that kWh usage is a reasonable basis upon which to assign costs.

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19           The second step of the analysis was to establish a common table of current installed  
20  costs applicable to all rate schedules that would capture the existing gross plant booked in  
21  each account. These installed costs were then used to calculate the current costs for each  
22  existing revenue code (fixture type and wattage) category included within each lighting  
23  rate schedule. These calculated costs were scaled to the installed gross plant costs for each

1 lighting rate class's revenue code in order to match the level of existing booked gross plant  
2 account costs. Net plant was allocated to the revenue code items based on existing booked  
3 gross plant costs within each rate code group, as shown in Table 7 of the Lighting Study.  
4 Due to limited historical plant data, the same average vintage was assumed for all units in  
5 the lighting analysis.

6 The third step was to calculate functional \$/kWh for net plant by rate class using  
7 the Company's class cost of service study's plant accounting data for Rate Class 19 and  
8 Rate Class 56, as shown in Table 9 of the lighting study. The functional \$/kWh for net  
9 operating expenses (NOE) were calculated using the functional operating expense, other  
10 operating revenue, and wholesale revenue from the Company's class cost of service study,  
11 as shown in Tables 11A and 11B of the lighting study. The functional lighting plant \$/kWh  
12 costs were adjusted to the class target revenue level by subtracting the NOE from the target  
13 revenues and dividing them by the kWh for each class. These calculated costs per kWh  
14 for each of the rate class's rate codes are summarized on Table 8, provided in  
15 Exhibit\_\_(PMN-4).

16 The fourth step in the lighting analysis was to calculate the monthly charge for each  
17 revenue code within each rate class's rate code. This was accomplished by taking each  
18 functional cost per kWh (production, transmission, distribution, lighting NOE, and lighting  
19 plant) and multiplying these costs by the annual kWh, dividing these costs by the number  
20 of units, and then adding the functional costs together to determine a monthly charge for  
21 each revenue code. The monthly charges for each revenue code were multiplied by the  
22 number of units within each revenue code to get the annual target revenues for each revenue



1 code. The revenue code revenues within Rate Class were added together to compute the  
2 total rate class target revenues.

3 The final step in the lighting analysis was to compare the current monthly charges  
4 to the cost based calculated monthly charges for each rate code within each rate class. The  
5 cost based monthly revenue code charges were then adjusted to incorporate an increase of  
6 22% for Total Lighting to achieve the required revenue increases found in Mr. Jeffrey  
7 Decker's Rate Moderation file.

8 **Q. BRIEFLY SUMMARIZE THE RESULTS OF NORTHWESTERN'S LIGHTING**  
9 **COST ANALYSIS.**

10 **A.** The lighting cost analysis indicates the following:

<u>Lighting Schedule</u>	<u>Change to Recover Costs of Service</u>
Rate 19 (U10) Reddy Guard Residential Metered	Increase.
Rate 19 (U10) Reddy Guard Residential Unmetered	Increase.
Rate 19 (U20) Reddy Guard Commercial Metered	Increase.
Rate 19 (U20) Reddy Guard Commercial Unmetered	Increase.
Rate 19 (U30) Public Lighting (PL) Unmetered	Increase.
Rate 19 (U30) Public Lighting (PL) Metered	Increase.
Rate 56 (U30) PL w/Distribution Pole Mounting-Co Owned	Increase.
Rate 56 (U30) PL w/Distribution Pole Mounting- Cust Own	Increase.
Rate 56 (U30) PL w/Metal Pole Mounting- Company Owned	Increase.
Rate 56 (U30) PL w/Metal Pole Mounting -Customer Owned	Increase.
Rate 56 (U30) PL w/Wood Pole Mounting-Company Owned	Increase.
Rate 56 (U30) PL w/Wood Pole Mounting-Customer Owned	Increase.

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12 **Q. HOW WERE THESE COSTS BY LIGHTING SERVICE TYPE (REVENUE CODE**  
13 **LEVEL) USED TO DETERMINE THE COSTS OF THE VARIOUS LIGHTING**  
14 **SERVICES OFFERED BY THE COMPANY?**

1 A. After the costs by lighting service type were calculated, the differentials between the  
2 revenue codes within each rate code group of each lighting service rate schedule were  
3 adjusted to match the target revenue established in the Company's class proposed revenues.

4 **Q. DO THE LIGHTING COSTS BY SERVICE TYPE THAT RESULT FROM THE**  
5 **LIGHTING ANALYSIS YOU SPONSOR REASONABLY AND ACCURATELY**  
6 **REFLECT NORTHWESTERN'S COSTS OF PROVIDING THESE TYPES OF**  
7 **LIGHTING SERVICES?**

8 A. Yes, they do.

9 **IV. RATE 34 LARGE COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRIAL STANDBY RATE**

10 **Q. PLEASE PROVIDE A BRIEF DISCUSSION OF A UTILITY'S STANDBY**  
11 **SERVICE.**

12 A. The use of customer's onsite generation requires that some level of pricing needs to be  
13 developed by the Company to provide the necessary backup facilities in the event that a  
14 customer's generating facilities become inoperable. The complexities of this pricing  
15 approach require considerations for the following support:

16 Contract Demand – Customer maximum demand which will establish level of applicable  
17 Standby charge that customer is responsible to pay each month.

18 Backup Service – provide equivalent capacity in the event of inoperable customer facilities  
19 to generate power. These outage events are unscheduled and can occur on any hour or day  
20 of the year.

21 Maintenance Service – a customer's need to perform routine and periodic maintenance on  
22 its facilities on a schedule service with the utility. This approach ensures a best practice  
23 for both utility and customer operation.

1           While there are many scenarios that can exist that add many layers of complexity,  
2           the pricing goal of the standby rate is to provide backup supply and distribution  
3           infrastructure support for a customer's return to service even on a very limited basis.

4   **Q.   HOW WOULD YOU DEVELOP THE COST ASSIGNMENT AND RATE**  
5   **PRICING LEVELS TO ENSURE A FAIR REFLECTION OF COSTS**  
6   **RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL EXISTING AND NEW STANDBY CUSTOMERS**  
7   **WHO REQUIRE INTERMITTENT AND LIMITED USE OF A UTILITY'S**  
8   **GENERATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES?**

9   **A.**   The utility company must invest in both generating and transmission facilities to provide  
10   safe and reliable power for all hours of the year. This infrastructure requires a considerable  
11   amount of investment that must be made to accomplish this for all levels of service.

12   Supply

13           One of the major considerations is to recognize that customers with onsite  
14   generation facilities provide the customer with virtually all its power requirements. Each  
15   onsite generation will experience various periods of unavailability due to both unforeseen  
16   equipment problems/malfunctions to periodic maintenance that is known and coordinated  
17   with the utility to minimize any potential delivery problems.

18           In order to recognize the infrequent operating factors of customer facilities, one  
19   should consider incorporating a well-known statistic in utility generation operation called  
20   a forced outage rate.

21           This statistic reflects the generation and interconnection which will be inoperable  
22   for some limited period of time over a calendar year. For our purposes in this Standby rate  
23   derivation, we have assumed a Forced Outage Rate of 10% which can be thought of as an

1 industrywide factor for all types of customer-owned facilities. Initial immature (new)  
2 facilities may easily exceed this level, but over time, good engineering and coordination  
3 will from time to time be even consistently lower than 10%. This forced outage value  
4 would be periodically reviewed and updated to reflect a customer installation and  
5 maintenance upkeep over time. We have also assumed that each customer is an  
6 independent event whereby failure or multiple facilities at the same time would be a very  
7 small probability of occurrence and over time and not considered in my analysis. An  
8 alternative approach is to limit the total amount of customer generation (e.g. 10% of system  
9 peak, substation and feeder limitations, etc.).

10 For Transmission, I am also using the same approach by applying the Forced  
11 Outage Rate of 10% to also reflect the very limited unavailability of a customer's facilities.

#### 12 Standby Distribution (wires) Costs

13 The remaining distribution costs reflect a movement of costs towards more local  
14 facilities. The substations and primary feeder facilities provide electric service to many  
15 hundreds (thousands) of customers depending on their location on the Company's  
16 extensive delivery network.

17 An underlying consideration is the total contract capacity of these installed facilities  
18 versus the actual day-to-day maximum use of any one customer. In my analysis of  
19 distribution costs, I considered that the distribution capability will generally support a 25%  
20 reserve level while the substation and feeder investments may have additional capacity to  
21 accept/tolerate accidental or intermittent load. This application is a systemwide  
22 assumption where any one location would possibly exhibit a different reserve level.

23

1 **Q. COULD YOU PLEASE DISCUSS YOUR EXHIBIT PMN-5?**

2 **A.** Exhibit PMN-5 details the calculations and assumptions of deriving the Standby pricing  
3 based on my previous discussion of the considerations I integrated in the functional costs'  
4 calculation.

5 To begin with, all functional costs shown are based on the Company's filed costs  
6 of service results (Exhibit PMN-5, column (a)). Lines 41 and 42 reference the cost of  
7 service (Schedule N-2, page 3 of 24). Line 4 (PMN-5) shows the 10% Forced Outage rate  
8 utilized for Production and Transmission functional costs for the Standby rate. Applying  
9 row 2 percentages to each cost area results in a total costs identification to be used in the  
10 Standby calculation on line 20, columns (b) through (d). Lines 22 – 35 show the unit \$/kW  
11 charges that would result by using different units of customer demand (12 CP, NCP, billing  
12 demand). For purposes of this rate design, we chose the use of the Company's billing  
13 demands which are far greater as shown in rows 28 and 29. The resulting proposed pricing  
14 is detailed and summarized on lines 33 for Transmission of 2.12/kW and line 34 for  
15 Distribution of 2.44/kW. The infrequent customer access to the Company's supply  
16 infrastructure necessitates that Standby rates should reflect a demand pricing level in order  
17 to efficiently recover these costs on an equitable basis.

18 **V. SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS**

19 **Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY AND YOUR**  
20 **RECOMMENDATIONS IN THIS PROCEEDING.**

21 **A.** My testimony addresses three topics:

22 1) Class Cost of Service. I have prepared and submitted class cost of service studies  
23 using both pro-forma and booked revenue requirements. This cost of service study

1 employs well established allocation methods and practices and accurately reflects  
2 the costs of serving NorthWestern's customer classes. I recommend that the  
3 Commission approve the use of the 12CP allocation method for allocating  
4 production and transmission demand costs. I further recommend that the  
5 Commission approve the allocations of distribution and other costs as set forth in  
6 Schedule N;

7 2) Lighting Services. I have provided a study that calculates the Company's costs of  
8 serving the various types of Lighting services that it offers. The results of this study  
9 allow the Company to identify how to adjust the rates for these services to better  
10 reflect the relative costs of providing electric power and energy to Lighting  
11 customers. I recommend that the resulting Lighting rates proposed by NWE be  
12 approved by the Commission.

13 3) Rate 34 Standby Rate. I have provided detailed calculations supporting the method  
14 used to calculate proposed rates Rate 34 Standby Rate. These calculations provide  
15 underlying support for the proposed rates. I recommend that the Commission  
16 approve the use of the proposed Standby rate.

17 **Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?**

18 **A.** Yes, it does.

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Principal consultant providing consulting services to industry in planning, pricing, and regulation. Extensive experience in analyzing power systems for power loss studies and unbundling issues.
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Independent consultant providing services to the utility industry in cost analyses, rate design and expert testimony.
- 1976 - 1983 **GILBERT/COMMONWEALTH, Reading, Pa.**  
Director, Rate Regulatory Services - Administrative and fiscal responsibility for rate and regulatory services nationally for electric, gas, and water utilities. Additional responsibilities included all marketing, research and development efforts, and contract negotiations for all studies performed by the Regulatory Service Department. Provided consulting service to utilities in project management, personnel staffing, and future development efforts.
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- Senior Management Consultant - Responsibilities included project management of various electric and gas cost-of-service studies and the development of methodologies utilized in the analysis of time-differentiated average and marginal cost studies.

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## I. COST OF SERVICE METHODOLOGY

Through the application of a cost of service model developed specifically for NorthWestern Energy's South Dakota retail electric operations, it is possible to address the revenue requirement elements of rate base, revenue and operating expense and assign or allocate each element to customer classes. This cost of service process consists of the following three steps:

A. Functionalization – The assignment and allocation of costs into one of the following major functions:

- Production
- Transmission
- Distribution
- Customer
- Energy

Each of these major functions was also further assigned to sub-functions such as Distribution Primary within the Distribution function, Meter Reading within the Customer function, etc.

B. Classification – The classification of functional costs into demand, energy and customer components.

C. Allocation – The allocation of the functionalized and classified costs to customer classes using allocation factors developed for each functionalized cost category.

## II. FUNCTIONS

There are five major functions in the cost of service study. Descriptions of the functions, sub-functions and costs that are included in each are as follows:

A. Production – Costs that relate to the cost of generation and purchased power.

B. Transmission – Costs that relate to the Transmission lines, substations, and associated facilities that transport power from the Generation source to the Distribution substations.

C. Distribution – Includes the cost of facilities that transport power from the high voltage side of the Distribution substation to the Primary and Secondary Distribution systems. Distribution costs also include the costs of line transformers.

1. Distribution Substations – The costs of substation transformers and switchgear between the Transmission system and the Primary and Secondary conductor systems.
  2. Distribution Primary – The costs associated with Primary conductors and devices.
  3. Distribution Secondary – The costs associated with Secondary conductors and devices.
  4. Distribution Transformers – The costs associated with Distribution Line Transformers.
- D. Customer – Includes those costs that are directly related to the change in the number of customers.
1. Services – The costs associated with customer service drops.
  2. Meters – The costs associated with the fixed cost of metering.
  3. Meter Reading – The costs associated with meter reading.
  4. Customer Records – The costs associated with customer records, collections, customer service, and information.
  5. Customer Other – The costs associated with customer-related Other Operating revenues.
  6. Lighting – Costs directly associated with the Lighting customer class
- E. Energy – Includes those costs that are associated with generation fuel costs.

### III. COST CLASSIFICATION

All functional costs are further classified into the following three components:

1. Demand – Costs whose main driver is the customer’s demand or time of use (kW).
2. Energy – Costs whose main driver is the use of energy (kWh).
3. Customer – Costs whose main driver is the number of customers.

The classification of functional costs into the component costs is as follows:

- A. Demand
- Production
  - Transmission
  - Distribution Substations
  - Distribution Primary
  - Distribution Secondary
  - Distribution Transformers
- B. Energy – Generation Fuel Costs

C. Customer

- Services
- Meters
- Meter Reading
- Customer Records & Information
- Customer Other
- Lighting

IV. **FUNCTIONAL ALLOCATION FACTORS**

The first step in the cost of service allocation process is the functionalization of costs. All costs are assigned to the functions noted above either directly or by the use of internally developed functional cost allocation factors.

1. Direct Functional Cost Assignment – Certain costs relate solely to one function and can be directly assigned. The categories of costs that contain directly assignable costs are as follows:
  - Plant in Service
  - Accumulated Depreciation
  - Fuel Inventory
  - Fuel Charge Revenues and Costs
  - External Transmission Revenues and Costs
  - Ad Valorem Revenues and Costs
  - Wholesale Revenues and Costs
  - Steam Sales Revenues
  - Yankton Sioux Billing Credits
  - O&M Production Expenses
  - O&M Transmission Expenses
  - Meter Reading Expenses
  - Customer Records Expenses
  - Customer Service & Information Expenses
  - Sales Expenses
  - Depreciation Expense
  - Plant-Related Regulatory Credits
  - North Dakota Coal Tax
2. Internal Functional Allocation – For those costs that do not relate directly to one function, an internal functional allocation factor was developed to allocate the costs. The internal functional allocation factors are the sum of functional costs that have been directly assigned or allocated or both.

The following is a list of the internal functional allocators and the costs they allocate to functions:

**FuncLabor** – Sum of Total Functionalized Labor Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- General Plant-Related Cost
- Common Plant-Related Cost
- O&M Administrative & General Labor-Related Expense
- Intangible Plant-Related Cost
- Prepaid Insurance
- Allowance for Injuries and Damages
- Regulatory Credits Pension Related
- SD Vehicle Tax
- Payroll Taxes

**MeterServices** – Sum of Meters & Service Plant Function

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Customer Installations Expense
- Customer Deposits

**ProdExpXFuel** – Sum of O&M Functional Production Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- Production Labor Expense

**TransmExp** – Sum of O&M Functional Transmission Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- Transmission Labor Expense

**DistOpLabXS** – Sum of Total Functionalized Distribution Operating Labor Excluding Supervision

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Supervision Labor

**DistOpSubs** – O&M Distribution Operating Substation Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Substation Labor

**DistOpOHLine** – O&M Distribution Overhead Lines Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Overhead Lines Labor

**DistOpUGLine** – O&M Distribution Underground Lines Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Underground Lines Labor

**DistOpLight** – O&M Distribution Operating Lighting Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Lighting Labor

**DistOpMeter** – O&M Distribution Operating Meter Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Meters Labor

**DistOpCustin** – O&M Distribution Operating Customer Installation Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Customer Installation Labor

**DistOpOth** – O&M Distribution Operating Other Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Other Labor

**DistMnLabXS** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Maintenance Labor Excluding Supervision

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Supervision Labor

**DistMnSubs** – O&M Distribution Maintenance Substation Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Substation Labor

**DistMnOHLine** – O&M Distribution Maintenance Overhead Lines Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Overhead Lines Labor

**DistMnUGLine** – O&M Distribution Maintenance Underground Lines Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Underground Lines Labor

**DistMnTrans** – O&M Distribution Maintenance Line Transformer Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Line Transformers Labor

**DistMnLight** – O&M Distribution Maintenance Lighting Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Lighting Labor

**DistMnMeter** – O&M Distribution Maintenance Meters Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Meters Labor

**DistMnOther** – O&M Distribution Maintenance Other Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Other Labor Expense

**CustMeterRdg** – O&M Customer Meter Reading Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Customer Meter Reading Labor

**CustRecExp** – O&M Customer Records Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Customer Records Labor Expense

**CustServInfo** – O&M Customer Service & Information Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Customer Service & Information Labor

**AGExpLabor** – O&M Administration & General Labor-Related Expenses

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Administration & General Labor Expense

**AGExpGeneral** – O&M Administrative & General Expense General Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Administrative & General Labor Expense General Plant

**ProdPlant** – Sum of Production Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- Production Construction Labor Expense

**TransPlant** – Total Transmission Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- Transmission Construction Labor Expense

**DistrPlant** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Plant Accounts

Costs Functionalized:

- Distribution Construction Labor Expense

**PTDCWIPLab** – Sum of Functionalized Production, Transmission and Distribution Construction Labor Expenses

Costs Functionalized:

- Contingency Construction Labor Expense

**GeneralPlt** – Functionalized General Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- Accumulated Depreciation Reserve General Plant
- O&M Administration & General Expenses – General Plant
- Depreciation Expense General Plant

**CommonPlt** – Functionalized General Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- Accumulated Depreciation Common Plant
- Depreciation Expense General Plant

**PTDPlt** – Sum of Functionalized Production, Transmission and Distribution Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- Working Capital Materials & Supplies

**TotalPlant** – Sum of Functionalized Production, Transmission, Distribution, General and Common Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- Other Prepaid Expenses
- Deferred Tax Reserves
- Miscellaneous Service Charges
- Rent Other
- Other Utility Revenues
- O&M Administrative & General Expenses – Plant Related
- Amortization Expense



**ClaimedRev**– Sum of Functionalized Revenue Requirement at the Equalized Claimed Rate of Return

Costs Functionalized:

- Rate Case Expenses
- Late Payment Charge Revenues Functionalized on Claimed Revenues
- Uncollectible Accounts Expense Functionalized on Claimed Revenues
- O&M Administrative and General Expense Revenue Related
- Taxes Other Than Income Taxes Delaware Franchise Taxes
- Taxes Other Than Income Taxes SD Gross Receipts Tax and Increase
- Tax Credits and Adjustments

**DistOpLab** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Operations Labor

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Supervision Expense

**DistSubs** – Functionalized Distribution Substation Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Substation Expense
- O&M Distribution Maintenance Substation Expense

**DistOHLLine** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Overhead Primary and Secondary Lines Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Overhead Lines Expense
- O&M Distribution Maintenance Overhead Lines Expense
- Rent from Poles and Contacts

**DistUGLine** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Underground Primary and Secondary Lines Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Underground Lines Expense
- O&M Distribution Maintenance Underground Lines Expense

**DistLight** – Sum of Functionalized Installations on Customer Premises and Street Lighting Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Lighting Expense
- O&M Distribution Maintenance Lighting Expense

**DistMeters** – Functionalized Meters Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Meters Expense
- O&M Distribution Maintenance Meters Expense

**DistOPEXPXS** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Operating Expense excluding Supervision and Other Expenses

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Operating Other Expense

**DistMnLab** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Maintenance Labor

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Supervision Expense

**DistTransf** – Functionalized Distribution Transformer Plant

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Transformer Expense

**DistMnExpXS** – Sum of Functionalized Distribution Maintenance Expense excluding Supervision and Other Expenses

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Distribution Maintenance Other Expense

**MetRdgRec** – Sum of Functionalized Customer Meter Reading Expense and Customer Records Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- O&M Customer Accounts Expense Miscellaneous Expenses

**LatePayment** – Direct assignment of Late Payment charges to the customer classes functionalized on Claimed Revenues

Costs Functionalized:

- Late Payment Charges

**Uncollectibles** – Direct assignment of Uncollectible Accounts expense to the customer classes functionalized on Claimed Revenues

Costs Functionalized:

- Uncollectible Accounts Expense

**CashWorkC** – Sum of functionalized expenses used in the calculation of cash working capital. Sum of O&M expense, Taxes Other Than Income, Federal Income Taxes, and Interest Expense

Costs Functionalized:

- Cash Working Capital

## V. CLASS ALLOCATORS

After all costs have been functionalized, they are then allocated to customer classes using class allocation factors. Below is a listing of the functions and the class allocation factor used for that function.

1. Production  
**12CPProd** – Average 12 Coincident Peaks  
– Used to allocate Production-Related Costs to the customer classes
2. Transmission  
**12CPTrans** – Average of Class 12 Coincident Peaks  
– Used to allocate Transmission Functional Costs to the customer classes
3. Distribution Substation  
**NonCP** – Non-Coincident Class Peaks  
– Used to allocate Distribution Substation Functional Costs to the customer classes
4. Distribution Primary  
**NonCPPrimary** – Non-Coincident Class Peaks  
– Used to allocate Distribution Primary Functional Costs to the customer classes served at Primary voltage level and below
5. Distribution Secondary  
**NonCPSecondary** – Average of Non-Coincident Class Peaks and Maximum Diversified Demands  
– Used to allocate Distribution Secondary Functional Costs to the customer classes served at Secondary voltage level
6. Distribution Transformers  
**DemTransf** – Average of Non-Coincident Class Peaks and Maximum Diversified Demands  
– Used to allocate Distribution Transformer Functional Costs to the customer classes

7. Services
  - Services** – Maximum Diversified Class Demands
    - Used to allocate Distribution Services Functional Costs to the customer classes
8. Meters
  - MeterCost** – Direct assignment of Meter Costs to customer classes
    - Used to allocate Distribution Meter Costs to the customer classes
9. Customer Meter Reading
  - MeterRdg** – Direct assignment of Meter Reading Costs to customer classes
    - Used to allocate Meter Reading Functional Costs to the customer classes
10. Customer Records
  - CustRecords** – Direct assignment of Customer Records and Billing Costs to customer classes
    - Used to allocate Customer Records Functional Costs to the customer classes
11. Customer Other
  - Customer** – Allocator to customer classes based on the number of customers
    - Used to allocate Other Customer Functional Costs to the customer classes
12. Street Lighting
  - Lighting** – Direct assignment of Lighting Costs to customer classes
    - Used to assign Lighting Functional Costs to the Lighting classes
13. Energy Related
  - Energy** – kWh Sales Allocator
    - Used to allocate Energy Functional Costs to the customer classes
14. Fuel
  - Fuel** – Direct assignment of offsetting fuel clause costs and revenues to customer classes
    - Used to assign offsetting fuel costs and revenues to the customer classes

15. External Transmission

**ExtTransm** – Direct assignment of offsetting External Transmission clause costs and revenues to the customer classes

- Used to assign offsetting external transmission costs and revenues to the customer classes

16. Ad Valorem

**AdValorem** – Direct assignment of offsetting Ad Valorem clause costs and revenues to the customer classes

- Used to assign offsetting Ad Valorem costs and revenues to the customer classes

**VI. CUSTOMER CLASSES**

The individual customer classes with rates and grouping categories recognized in the cost of service study are as follows:

Total Residential

- Residential Basic 10
- Residential with Space Heating 11
- Residential Space Heating and Cooling 14
- Residential Dual-Fuel 15

Total Irrigation

- Irrigation Interruptible IRR 16 & 18
- Irrigation IRR 17

Total Commercial

- Commercial General Service 21
- Commercial Separate Metered Space Heating 23
- Commercial Space Heating & Cooling 24
- Commercial All-Inclusive 25

Total Commercial & Industrial

- Commercial & Industrial 33
- Large Commercial & Industrial 34

Total Municipal

- Municipal Pumping 41

Total Lighting

- Lighting Reddy-Guard 19
- Highway Street & Area Lighting 56

Controlled Off-Peak  
Controlled Off Peak 70

NorthWestern Corporation dba NorthWestern Energy  
 Monthly System Peaks  
 South Dakota Electric  
 Test Year Ended December 31, 2022

Line No.	Date	Hour	Day	Megawatts	
1	January	1/6/2022	800	Thursday	307.2
2	February	2/22/2022	1000	Tuesday	319.3
3	March	3/11/2022	900	Friday	281.3
4	April	4/14/2022	1000	Thursday	248.2
5	May	5/12/2022	1600	Thursday	253.9
6	June	6/20/2022	1600	Monday	322.8
7	July	7/18/2022	1600	Monday	337.9 System Peak
8	August	8/5/2022	1600	Friday	336.7
9	September	9/1/2022	1700	Thursday	303.0
10	October	10/18/2022	800	Tuesday	225.2
11	November	11/17/2022	1800	Thursday	264.7
12	December	12/22/2022	1800	Thursday	313.9
	Average Peak December to March				305.4
	Average Peak June to September				325.1
	Percent Winter of Summer				94%

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Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
1	<b>A BILLING STATISTICS</b>																		
2																			
3																			
4	<b>Rev Code</b>	<b>Watts</b>				<b>Lumens</b>	<b>KWH/MO</b>		<b>SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED</b>	<b>NET PLANT</b>	<b>ANNUAL KWH</b>	<b>ANNUAL UNITS</b>	<b>ANNUAL BASE REVENUES</b>	<b>CURRENT MONTHLY CHARGE (1)</b>					
5																			
6	<b>Unmetered</b>																		
7	RR001	HPS	35			4,095	14.07		\$0	\$0		0		\$4,00000					
8	RR002	HPS	50			5,850	19.77		\$102	\$76	554	27	\$113	\$4,15000					
9	RR003	HPS	100			11,700	49.58		\$161	\$7,856	104,185	2,063	\$15,293	\$7,43000					
10	RR004	HPS	150			17,550	69.68		\$179	\$23,580	411,324	5,796	\$44,812	\$7,75000					
11	RR005	HPS	250			29,250	107.87		\$280	\$4,614	66,751	605	\$6,716	\$10,96000					
12	RR006	HPS	400			46,800	166.16		\$286	\$1,608	32,164	188	\$2,437	\$12,94000					
13	RR007	HPS	1000			117,000	389.94		\$0	\$0		0		\$27,07000					
14																			
15	RR010	MV	175			8,750	72.36		\$234	\$56,328	800,865	10,865	\$53,170	\$4,92000					
16	RR011	MV	250			12,500	100.84		\$251	\$1,315	19,767	191	\$1,220	\$6,24000					
17	RR012	MV	400			20,000	158.79		\$0	\$0		0		\$9,26000					
18	RR013	MV	1000			50,000	380.23		\$0	\$0		0		\$17,56000					
19																			
20	RR014	MH	175			15,225	68.68		\$0	\$0		0		\$5,05000					
21	RR015	MH	250			21,750	97.15		\$365	\$546	5,313	48	\$306	\$6,43000					
22	RR016	MH	400			34,800	153.43		\$835	\$937	7,830	46	\$431	\$9,43000					
23																			
24	RR026	LED	60				20.10		\$224	\$57,637	29,897	1,201	\$7,488	\$8,88000					
25	RR030	LED	66				22.11		\$224	\$84	28	1	\$17	\$9,76800					
26	RR035	LED	73				24.46		\$224	\$504	1,158	46	\$455	\$9,34400					
27	RR060	LED	126				42.21		\$274	\$513	416	8	\$71	\$13,60800					
28	RR070	LED	189				63.32		\$352	\$527	330	4	\$35	\$20,41200					
29																			
30									TOTAL	\$156,126	1,480,583	21,089	\$132,563						
31									CHECK TOTAL	\$156,126	1,480,583	21,089	\$132,563						
32																			
33																			
34																			
35																			
36																			
37	<b>Rev Code</b>	<b>Watts</b>				<b>Lumens</b>	<b>KWH/MO</b>		<b>SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED</b>	<b>NET PLANT</b>	<b>ANNUAL KWH</b>	<b>ANNUAL UNITS</b>	<b>ANNUAL BASE REVENUES</b>	<b>MONTHLY CHARGE (1)</b>					
38																			
39	<b>Metered</b>																		
40	RR100	HPS	35			4,095	14.07		\$0	\$0		0		\$3.63					
41	RR101	HPS	50			5,850	19.77		\$102	\$191	1,186	60	\$219	\$3.63					
42	RR102	HPS	100			11,700	49.58		\$161	\$2,659	27,616	557	\$2,811	\$5.00					
43	RR103	HPS	150			17,550	69.68		\$179	\$17,618	225,275	3,233	\$19,203	\$5.88					
44	RR104	HPS	250			29,250	107.87		\$280	\$629	8,630	80	\$616	\$7.64					
45	RR105	HPS	400			46,800	166.16		\$286	\$1,179	21,933	132	\$1,072	\$8.05					
46	RR106	HPS	1000			117,000	389.94		\$0	\$0		0		\$14.92					
47																			
48	RR110	MV	175			8,750	72.36		\$234	\$48,782	494,002	6,827	\$15,933	\$2.31					
49	RR111	MV	250			12,500	100.84		\$251	\$282	3,630	36	\$105	\$2.88					
50	RR112	MV	400			20,000	158.79		\$0	\$0		0		\$3.63					
51	RR113	MV	1000			50,000	380.23		\$0	\$0		0		\$7.10					
52																			
53	RR114	MH	175			15,225	68.68		\$0	\$0		0		\$2.73					
54	RR115	MH	250			21,750	97.15		\$365	\$273	2,332	24	\$158	\$6.35					
55	RR116	MH	400			34,800	153.43		\$0	\$0		0		\$8.05					
56																			
57	RR125	LED	55				18.54		\$223	\$167	241	13	\$99	\$7.21					
58	RR126	LED	60				20.10		\$224	\$3,193	1,246	62	\$356	\$7.86					
59	RR160	LED	126				42.21		\$274	\$103	42	1	\$11	\$11.47					
60	RR170	LED	189				63.32		\$352	\$132	63	1	\$10	\$17.20					
61																			
62									TOTAL	\$75,208	786,196	11,026	\$40,593						
63									CHECK TOTAL	\$75,208	786,196	11,026	\$40,593						

NOTES:  
(1) Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.

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Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S				
1	B UNMETERED ALLOCATED COSTS RESULTS																						
2						PROD	TRANS	DIST	TOT PTDG	LIGHTING	LIGHTING	COST BASED	CAPPED	EXISTING	PERCENT	CALCULATED	PROPOSED	CURRENT	INCR/DECR				
3			ANNUAL	ANNUAL		(Excl Fuel)		(WO LTG)	NOE	NOE	PLANT	CALCULATED	PROPOSED		INCREASE/	ANNUAL	ANNUAL	ANNUAL	ANNUAL				
4	Rev Code	Watts	UNITS	KWH		\$0.00942	\$0.00092	\$0.01681	\$0.02715	\$0.03707	\$0.03971			---	MONTHLY CHARGES (1) ---	REVENUES	REVENUES	REVENUES	REVENUES				
5	Cap Adjustment Factors																						
6	(0.21) 0.21																						
7	Unmetered																						
8	RR001	HPS	35	0	0	\$0.13	\$0.01	\$0.24	\$0.38	\$0.52	\$0.56					\$1.46	\$4.84	\$4.00	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
9	RR002	HPS	50	27	554	\$5.22	\$0.51	\$9.32	\$15.05	\$20.55	\$22.02					\$2.13	\$5.02	\$4.15	21.01%	\$58	\$136	\$113	\$22
10	RR003	HPS	100	104,185	\$981.42	\$95.85	\$1,751.34	\$2,828.61	\$3,862.13	\$4,137.17	\$2.01					\$5.25	\$8.99	\$7.43	21.01%	\$10,828	\$18,548	\$15,293	\$3,255
11	RR004	HPS	150	5,796	\$3,874.67	\$378.42	\$6,914.36	\$11,167.45	\$15,247.78	\$16,333.68	\$2.82					\$7.38	\$9.38	\$7.75	21.01%	\$42,749	\$54,356	\$44,812	\$9,544
12	RR005	HPS	250	605	\$628.79	\$61.41	\$1,122.08	\$1,812.29	\$2,474.45	\$2,650.68	\$4.38					\$11.47	\$13.26	\$10.96	20.96%	\$6,937	\$8,020	\$6,716	\$1,305
13	RR006	HPS	400	188	\$1.04	\$0.16	\$2.88	\$4.64	\$6.34	\$6.79	\$2.87					\$17.78	\$15.66	\$12.94	21.01%	\$3,343	\$2,944	\$2,437	\$506
14	RR007	HPS	1000	0	\$3.67	\$0.36	\$6.55	\$10.59	\$14.46	\$15.48	\$15.48					\$40.53	\$32.76	\$27.07	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
15	RR010	MV	175	800,865	\$7,544.15	\$736.80	\$13,462.54	\$21,743.48	\$29,688.06	\$31,802.34	\$2.93					\$7.66	\$5.95	\$4.92	21.01%	\$83,234	\$64,686	\$53,170	\$11,516
16	RR011	MV	250	191	\$186.21	\$18.19	\$332.28	\$536.67	\$732.76	\$784.95	\$4.11					\$10.76	\$7.55	\$6.24	21.01%	\$2,054	\$1,442	\$1,220	\$223
17	RR012	MV	400	0	\$1.50	\$0.15	\$2.67	\$4.31	\$5.89	\$2.87	\$2.87					\$13.07	\$11.21	\$9.26	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
18	RR013	MV	1000	0	\$3.58	\$0.35	\$6.39	\$10.32	\$14.09	\$2.87	\$2.87					\$27.29	\$21.25	\$17.56	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
19	RR014	MH	175	0	\$0.65	\$0.06	\$1.15	\$1.86	\$2.55	\$2.73	\$2.73					\$7.14	\$6.11	\$5.05	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
20	RR015	MH	250	5,313	\$50.04	\$4.89	\$89.30	\$144.23	\$196.93	\$210.96	\$4.39					\$11.50	\$7.78	\$6.43	21.01%	\$552	\$373	\$306	\$68
21	RR016	MH	400	7,830	\$73.76	\$7.20	\$131.63	\$212.59	\$290.27	\$310.94	\$6.76					\$17.69	\$11.41	\$9.43	21.01%	\$814	\$525	\$431	\$94
22	RR026	LED	60	29,897	\$281.63	\$27.51	\$502.57	\$811.71	\$1,108.29	\$1,187.22	\$0.99					\$2.59	\$10.75	\$8.88	21.01%	\$3,107	\$12,905	\$7,488	\$5,417
23	RR030	LED	66	1	\$0.27	\$0.03	\$0.48	\$0.77	\$1.06	\$1.13	\$1.13					\$2.96	\$11.82	\$9.77	21.01%	\$3	\$12	\$17	(\$5)
24	RR035	LED	73	1,158	\$10.91	\$1.07	\$19.47	\$31.45	\$42.93	\$45.99	\$1.00					\$2.62	\$11.31	\$9.34	21.01%	\$120	\$520	\$455	\$65
25	RR060	LED	126	8	\$3.92	\$0.38	\$7.00	\$11.30	\$15.43	\$16.53	\$2.07					\$5.41	\$16.47	\$13.61	21.01%	\$43	\$132	\$71	\$61
26	RR070	LED	189	4	\$3.11	\$0.30	\$5.55	\$8.96	\$12.24	\$13.11	\$3.28					\$8.58	\$24.70	\$20.41	21.01%	\$34	\$99	\$35	\$64
27	TOTAL		21,089	1,480,583			REV REQ	\$40,225	\$54,923	\$58,794						\$153,877	\$164,699	\$132,563	\$32,136				
28							CHECK	\$40,198	\$54,885	\$58,794						Present Revenues	\$132,563						
29								\$27	\$38	\$0					Increase	\$32,136							
30							Difference due to no kWh in light units	\$27	\$38														

NOTES:  
 (1) Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.  
 (2) Revenue Codes with no annual kWh calculate monthly charges based on kWh/Mo rating from Table 7

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Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
1	C METERED ALLOCATED COSTS RESULTS																		
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Rev Code	Watts	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL KWH	PROD (Excl Fuel)	TRANS	DIST (WO LTG)	TOT PTDG NOE \$0.00000	LIGHTING NOE \$0.03355	LIGHTING PLANT \$0.04858	COST BASED CALCULATED	CAPPED PROPOSED	EXISTING	PERCENT INCREASE/ DECREASE	CALCULATED ANNUAL REVENUES	PROPOSED ANNUAL REVENUES	CURRENT ANNUAL REVENUES	INCR/DECR ANNUAL REVENUES		
--- MONTHLY CHARGES (1) ---													Cap Adjustment Factors						
													(0.21)	0.21					
6	Metered																		
7	RR100	HPS	35	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.47	\$0.68	\$1.16	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
8	RR101	HPS	50	1,186	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.47	\$0.68	\$1.62	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$97.40	\$264	\$219	\$44		
9	RR102	HPS	100	27,616	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.66	\$0.96	\$4.07	\$6.05	\$5.00	21.01%	\$2,268.18	\$3,370	\$2,811	\$559		
10	RR103	HPS	150	225,275	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.66	\$2.41	\$5.72	\$7.12	\$5.88	21.01%	\$18,502.46	\$23,004	\$19,203	\$3,800		
11	RR104	HPS	250	8,630	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.34	\$3.39	\$8.86	\$9.24	\$7.64	20.94%	\$708.77	\$739	\$616	\$123		
12	RR105	HPS	400	21,933	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.62	\$5.24	\$13.65	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$1,801.42	\$1,286	\$1,072	\$214		
13	RR106	HPS	1000	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.58	\$8.07	\$32.03	\$18.05	\$14.92	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
14	RR106	HPS	1000	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$13.08	\$18.94	\$32.03	\$18.05	\$14.92	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
15	RR110	MV	175	494,002	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$16,575.04	\$23,998.60	\$5.94	\$2.80	\$2.31	21.01%	\$40,573.64	\$19,084	\$15,933	\$3,150		
16	RR111	MV	250	3,630	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.43	\$3.52	\$8.28	\$3.49	\$2.88	21.01%	\$298.15	\$125	\$105	\$21		
17	RR112	MV	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.38	\$4.90	\$8.84	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
18	RR113	MV	1000	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.33	\$3.52	\$16.27	\$8.59	\$7.10	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
19	RR113	MV	1000	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12.76	\$3.52	\$16.27	\$8.59	\$7.10	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
20	RR114	MH	175	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.30	\$3.34	\$5.64	\$3.30	\$2.73	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
21	RR115	MH	250	2,332	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.30	\$3.34	\$7.98	\$7.68	\$6.35	21.01%	\$191.50	\$184	\$158	\$26		
22	RR116	MH	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$78.23	\$113.27	\$12.60	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
23	RR116	MH	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.26	\$4.72	\$12.60	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
24	RR116	MH	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.15	\$7.45	\$12.60	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
25	RR116	MH	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.15	\$7.45	\$12.60	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
26	RR125	LED	55	241	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8.09	\$11.71	\$1.52	\$8.72	\$7.21	21.01%	\$19.80	\$113	\$99	\$15		
27	RR126	LED	60	1,246	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.62	\$0.90	\$1.65	\$9.51	\$7.86	21.01%	\$102.35	\$590	\$356	\$234		
28	RR160	LED	126	42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$41.81	\$60.54	\$3.47	\$13.87	\$11.47	21.01%	\$3.47	\$14	\$11	\$2		
29	RR170	LED	189	63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.67	\$0.98	\$5.20	\$20.81	\$17.20	21.01%	\$5.20	\$21	\$10	\$11		
30	RR170	LED	189	63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.42	\$2.05	\$5.20	\$20.81	\$17.20	21.01%	\$5.20	\$21	\$10	\$11		
31	RR170	LED	189	63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.12	\$3.08	\$5.20	\$20.81	\$17.20	21.01%	\$5.20	\$21	\$10	\$11		
32	TOTAL		11,026	786,196				REV REQ \$0	\$26,418	\$38,193				\$64,572	\$48,794	\$40,593	\$8,200		
33								CHECK \$0	\$26,379	\$38,193	\$64,572			Present Revenues	\$40,593				
34								\$0	\$39	\$0					\$8,200				
35								Difference due to no kWh in light units	\$0	\$39									
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Proposed Total Rate 19 U10 \$213,492  
Current Total Rate 19 U10 \$173,156  
Increase \$40,336

NOTES:  
(1) Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.  
(2) Metered plant costs per lamp are not included in metered rates since they are metered and included with the customer's service bill.  
(3) Revenue Codes with no annual kWh calculate monthly charges based on kWh/Mo rating from Table 7



NWE SD LIGHTING COST ANALYSIS - 12/31/22  
TABLE 2 - RATE 19 - U20 COMMERCIAL REDDY-GUARD SUMMARY RESULTS

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
B UNMETERED ALLOCATED COSTS RESULTS																			
	Rev Code	Watts	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL KWH	PROD (Excl Fuel) \$0.00942	TRANS \$0.00092	DIST (WO LTG) \$0.01681	TOT PTDG NOE \$0.02715	LIGHTING NOE \$0.03707	LIGHTING PLANT \$0.03971 \$0.00993	COST BASED CALCULATED	CAPPED PROPOSED	EXISTING	PERCENT INCREASE/ DECREASE	CALCULATED ANNUAL REVENUES	PROPOSED ANNUAL REVENUES	CURRENT ANNUAL REVENUES	INCR/DECR ANNUAL REVENUES	
											--- MONTHLY CHARGES (1) ---								
											Cap Adjustment Factors (0.21)								
6	Unmetered																		
7	RC001	HPS	35	0	\$0.13	\$0.01	\$0.24	\$0.38	\$0.52	\$0.56									
8					\$0.13	\$0.01	\$0.24	\$0.38	\$0.52	\$0.56	\$1.46	\$4.84	\$4.00	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
9	RC002	HPS	50	168	\$1.58	\$0.15	\$2.82	\$4.55	\$6.22	\$6.66									
10					\$0.18	\$0.02	\$0.31	\$0.51	\$0.69	\$0.74	\$1.94	\$5.02	\$4.15	21.01%	\$17	\$45	\$38	\$7	
11	RC003	HPS	100	76,513	\$720.75	\$70.39	\$1,286.18	\$2,077.33	\$2,836.34	\$3,038.33									
12					\$0.46	\$0.04	\$0.82	\$1.32	\$1.81	\$1.94	\$5.07	\$8.99	\$7.43	21.01%	\$7,952	\$14,098	\$11,710	\$2,387	
13	RC004	HPS	150	490,128	\$4,617.00	\$450.92	\$8,239.05	\$13,306.97	\$18,169.04	\$19,462.98									
14					\$0.65	\$0.06	\$1.15	\$1.86	\$2.54	\$2.72	\$7.12	\$9.38	\$7.75	21.01%	\$50,939	\$67,129	\$56,008	\$11,121	
15	RC005	HPS	250	623,563	\$5,873.96	\$573.68	\$10,482.09	\$16,929.73	\$23,115.47	\$24,761.67									
16					\$1.00	\$0.10	\$1.79	\$2.89	\$3.95	\$4.23	\$11.07	\$13.26	\$10.96	20.99%	\$64,807	\$77,627	\$65,140	\$12,488	
17	RC006	HPS	400	783,524	\$7,380.79	\$720.84	\$13,171.03	\$21,272.67	\$29,045.22	\$31,113.72									
18					\$1.53	\$0.15	\$2.73	\$4.41	\$6.02	\$6.45	\$16.87	\$15.66	\$12.94	21.01%	\$81,432	\$75,584	\$63,677	\$11,907	
19	RC007	HPS	1000	32,427	\$305.46	\$29.83	\$545.09	\$880.38	\$1,202.05	\$1,287.66									
20					\$3.64	\$0.36	\$6.49	\$10.48	\$14.31	\$15.33	\$40.12	\$32.76	\$27.07	21.01%	\$3,370	\$2,752	\$2,318	\$434	
22	RC010	MV	175	738,513	\$6,956.79	\$679.43	\$12,414.40	\$20,050.62	\$27,376.67	\$29,326.34									
23					\$0.67	\$0.07	\$1.20	\$1.93	\$2.64	\$2.82	\$7.39	\$5.95	\$4.92	21.01%	\$76,754	\$61,817	\$51,623	\$10,193	
24	RC011	MV	250	49,067	\$462.21	\$45.14	\$824.82	\$1,332.17	\$1,818.91	\$1,948.45									
25					\$0.94	\$0.09	\$1.67	\$2.70	\$3.69	\$3.95	\$10.34	\$7.55	\$6.24	21.01%	\$5,100	\$3,723	\$3,085	\$637	
26	RC012	MV	400	22,730	\$214.12	\$20.91	\$382.10	\$617.13	\$842.62	\$902.63									
27					\$1.48	\$0.14	\$2.64	\$4.26	\$5.81	\$6.23	\$16.29	\$11.21	\$9.26	21.01%	\$2,362	\$1,625	\$1,365	\$259	
28	RC013	MV	1000	0	\$3.58	\$0.35	\$6.39	\$10.32	\$14.09	\$2.87									
29					\$3.58	\$0.35	\$6.39	\$10.32	\$14.09	\$2.87	\$27.29	\$21.25	\$17.56	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
31	RC014	MH	175	0	\$0.65	\$0.06	\$1.15	\$1.86	\$2.55	\$2.73									
32					\$0.65	\$0.06	\$1.15	\$1.86	\$2.55	\$2.73	\$7.14	\$6.11	\$5.05	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
33	RC015	MH	250	92,001	\$866.65	\$84.64	\$1,546.54	\$2,497.83	\$3,410.48	\$3,653.36									
34					\$1.01	\$0.10	\$1.80	\$2.90	\$3.96	\$4.24	\$11.11	\$7.78	\$6.43	21.01%	\$9,562	\$6,699	\$5,531	\$1,168	
35	RC016	MH	400	425,990	\$4,012.82	\$391.91	\$7,160.89	\$11,565.62	\$15,791.44	\$16,916.05									
36					\$1.55	\$0.15	\$2.77	\$4.48	\$6.11	\$6.55	\$17.13	\$11.41	\$9.43	21.01%	\$44,273	\$29,486	\$24,254	\$5,232	
37	RC017	MH	1000	174,998	\$1,648.48	\$161.00	\$2,941.72	\$4,751.20	\$6,487.18	\$6,949.18									
38					\$3.51	\$0.34	\$6.27	\$10.13	\$13.83	\$14.82	\$38.78	\$21.29	\$17.59	21.01%	\$18,188	\$9,983	\$8,434	\$1,549	
40	RC026	LED	60	20,926	\$197.12	\$19.25	\$351.76	\$568.13	\$775.71	\$830.95									
41					\$0.23	\$0.02	\$0.42	\$0.68	\$0.92	\$0.99	\$2.59	\$10.75	\$8.88	21.01%	\$2,175	\$9,016	\$5,249	\$3,766	
42	RC030	LED	66	211	\$1.99	\$0.19	\$3.55	\$5.74	\$7.83	\$8.39									
43					\$0.20	\$0.02	\$0.36	\$0.57	\$0.78	\$0.84	\$2.20	\$11.82	\$9.77	21.01%	\$22	\$118	\$101	\$18	
44	RC035	LED	73	397	\$3.74	\$0.37	\$6.67	\$10.78	\$14.72	\$15.76									
45					\$0.25	\$0.02	\$0.44	\$0.72	\$0.98	\$1.05	\$2.75	\$11.31	\$9.34	21.01%	\$41	\$170	\$157	\$12	
46	RC060	LED	126	5,150	\$48.51	\$4.74	\$86.57	\$139.82	\$190.90	\$204.50									
47					\$0.47	\$0.05	\$0.84	\$1.36	\$1.85	\$1.99	\$5.20	\$16.47	\$13.61	21.01%	\$535	\$1,696	\$1,084	\$613	
48	RC070	LED	189	17,756	\$167.26	\$16.34	\$298.48	\$482.08	\$658.22	\$705.09									
49					\$0.70	\$0.07	\$1.25	\$2.02	\$2.75	\$2.95	\$7.72	\$24.70	\$20.41	21.01%	\$1,845	\$5,903	\$3,937	\$1,966	
50	RC080	LED	319	6,295	\$59.30	\$5.79	\$105.81	\$170.90	\$233.34	\$249.96									
51					\$1.04	\$0.10	\$1.86	\$3.00	\$4.09	\$4.39	\$11.48	\$35.51	\$29.35	21.01%	\$654	\$2,024	\$1,688	\$337	
53	TOTAL		35,698	3,560,355			REV REQ	\$96,676	\$132,000	\$141,382					\$370,028	\$370,028	\$369,494	\$305,399	\$64,095
54							CHECK	\$96,664	\$131,982	\$141,382									
55								\$13	\$17	\$0									
56							Difference due to no kWh in light units	\$13	\$17										
57																			

NOTES:  
 (1) Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.  
 (2) Revenue Codes with no annual kWh calculate monthly charges based on kWh/Mo rating from Table 7

NWE SD LIGHTING COST ANALYSIS - 12/31/22  
TABLE 2 - RATE 19 - U20 COMMERCIAL REDDY-GUARD SUMMARY RESULTS

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
1	C METERED ALLOCATED COSTS RESULTS																		
2	Rev Code	Watts	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL KWH	PROD (Excl Fuel)	TRANS	DIST (WO LTG)	TOT PTDG NOE \$0.00000	LIGHTING NOE \$0.03355	LIGHTING PLANT \$0.04858 \$0.00000	COST BASED CALCULATED	CAPPED PROPOSED	EXISTING	PERCENT INCREASE/ DECREASE	CALCULATED ANNUAL REVENUES	PROPOSED ANNUAL REVENUES	CURRENT ANNUAL REVENUES	INCR/DECR ANNUAL REVENUES	
3	--- MONTHLY CHARGES (1) ---																		
4	Cap Adjustment Factors																		
5	(0.21) 0.21																		
6	Metered																		
7	RC100 HPS	35	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.47	\$0.68	\$1.16	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
8	RC101 HPS	50	4,269	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$143.24	\$207.40	\$1.62	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$351	\$949	\$795	\$154		
9	RC102 HPS	100	652	32,326	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,084.63	\$1,570.40	\$4.07	\$6.05	\$5.00	21.01%	\$2,655	\$3,945	\$3,291	\$654	
10	RC103 HPS	150	168,347	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,648.47	\$8,178.29	\$5.72	\$7.12	\$5.88	21.01%	\$13,827	\$17,191	\$14,389	\$2,801		
11	RC104 HPS	250	2,416	350,685	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11,766.40	\$17,036.30	\$8.86	\$9.24	\$7.64	20.94%	\$28,803	\$30,038	\$25,131	\$4,908	
12	RC105 HPS	400	2,934	487,513	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$16,357.34	\$23,683.40	\$13.65	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$40,041	\$28,581	\$23,834	\$4,747	
13	RC106 HPS	1000	72	28,076	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$942.01	\$1,363.92	\$32.03	\$18.05	\$14.92	21.01%	\$2,306	\$1,300	\$1,087	\$213	
14	RC110 MV	175	4,077	295,012	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,898.41	\$0.00	\$2.43	\$2.79	\$2.31	20.69%	\$9,898	\$11,366	\$9,518	\$1,848	
15	RC111 MV	250	344	34,687	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,163.85	\$0.00	\$3.38	\$3.48	\$2.88	20.95%	\$1,164	\$1,198	\$1,004	\$194	
16	RC112 MV	400	93	14,767	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$495.49	\$0.00	\$5.33	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$495	\$409	\$342	\$67	
17	RC113 MV	1000	12	4,563	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$153.09	\$0.00	\$12.76	\$8.59	\$7.10	21.01%	\$153	\$103	\$86	\$17	
18	RC114 MH	175	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.30	\$3.34	\$5.64	\$3.30	\$2.73	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
19	RC115 MH	250	476	46,243	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,551.59	\$2,246.50	\$7.98	\$7.68	\$6.35	21.01%	\$3,798	\$3,658	\$3,048	\$609	
20	RC116 MH	400	1,003	153,890	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,163.42	\$7,475.99	\$12.60	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$12,639	\$9,770	\$8,154	\$1,616	
21	RC117 MH	1000	60	1,327	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$44.51	\$64.45	\$1.82	\$21.25	\$17.56	21.01%	\$109	\$1,275	\$905	\$370	
22	RC126 LED	60	22	442	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$14.84	\$21.48	\$1.65	\$9.51	\$7.86	21.01%	\$36	\$209	\$147	\$63	
23	RC130 LED	66	24	531	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.67	\$0.98	\$1.82	\$10.47	\$8.65	21.01%	\$44	\$251	\$210	\$41	
24	RC160 LED	189	6	253	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.74	\$1.07	\$3.47	\$13.87	\$11.47	21.01%	\$21	\$3,249.16	\$41	\$43	
25	RC170 LED	189	6	380	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.42	\$2.05	\$5.20	\$20.81	\$17.20	21.01%	\$31	\$125	\$75	\$50	
26	TOTAL		15,664	1,623,312					\$0	\$54,469	\$61,905	\$116,371			\$116,371	\$110,451	\$92,057	\$18,394	
27									\$0	\$54,466	\$61,905				Present Revenues	\$92,057			
28									\$0	\$3	\$0					\$18,394			
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Proposed Total Rate 19 U20 \$479,944  
Current Total Rate 19 U20 \$397,456  
Increase \$82,489

NOTES:  
(1) Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.  
(2) Metered plant costs per lamp are not included in metered rates since they are metered and included with the customer's service bill.  
(3) Revenue Codes with no annual KWH calculate monthly charges based on kWh/Mo rating from Table 7







NWE SD LIGHTING COST ANALYSIS - 12/31/22  
TABLE 3 - RATE 19 - U30 PUBLIC LIGHTING SUMMARY RESULTS

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	
C METERED ALLOCATED COSTS RESULTS																		
Rev Code	Watts	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL KWH	PROD (Excl Fuel)	TRANS	DIST (WO LTG)	TOT PTDG NOE \$0.00000	LIGHTING NOE \$0.03395	LIGHTING PLANT \$0.04858	COST BASED CALCULATED	CAPPED PROPOSED --- MONTHLY CHARGES (1) ---	EXISTING	PERCENT INCREASE/ DECREASE	CALCULATED ANNUAL REVENUES	PROPOSED ANNUAL REVENUES	CURRENT ANNUAL REVENUES	INCR/DECR ANNUAL REVENUES	
												Cap Adjustment Factors						
												(0.21)	0.21					
6	Metered																	
7	RM101	HPS	50	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.66	\$0.96	\$1.62	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
8					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.66	\$0.96								
9	RM102	HPS	100	1,190	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$39.92	\$57.81								
10					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.66	\$2.41	\$4.07	\$6.05	\$5.00	21.01%	\$98	\$145	\$121	\$24
11	RM103	HPS	150	1,672	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$56.11	\$81.24								
12					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.34	\$3.39	\$5.72	\$7.12	\$5.88	21.01%	\$137	\$171	\$143	\$28
13	RM104	HPS	250	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.62	\$5.24								
14					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.62	\$5.24	\$8.86	\$9.24	\$7.64	20.94%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
15	RM105	HPS	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.58	\$8.07								
16					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.58	\$8.07	\$13.65	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
17	RM106	HPS	1000	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$13.08	\$18.94								
18					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$13.08	\$18.94	\$32.03	\$18.05	\$14.92	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
19																		
20	RM110	MV	175	507	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$17.00	\$24.61								
21					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.43	\$3.52	\$5.94	\$2.80	\$2.31	21.01%	\$42	\$20	\$15	\$5
22	RM111	MV	250	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.38	\$3.52								
23					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.38	\$3.52	\$6.90	\$3.49	\$2.88	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
24	RM112	MV	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.33	\$3.52								
25					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.33	\$3.52	\$8.84	\$4.39	\$3.63	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
26	RM113	MV	1000	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12.76	\$3.52								
27					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12.76	\$3.52	\$16.27	\$8.59	\$7.10	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
28																		
29	RM114	MH	175	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.30	\$3.34								
30					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.30	\$3.34	\$5.64	\$3.30	\$2.73	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
31	RM115	MH	250	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.26	\$4.72								
32					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.26	\$4.72	\$7.98	\$7.68	\$6.35	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
33	RM116	MH	400	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.15	\$7.45								
34					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5.15	\$7.45	\$12.60	\$9.74	\$8.05	21.01%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
35																		
36	RM126	LED	60	20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.67	\$0.98								
37					\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.67	\$0.98	\$1.65	\$9.51	\$7.86	21.01%	\$2	\$10	\$6	\$4
38																		
39	TOTAL		56	3,389				REV REQ	\$0	\$169	\$165			\$278	\$345	\$285	\$60	
40								CHECK	\$0	\$114	\$165				Present Revenues	\$285		
41									\$0	\$55	\$0				Decrease	\$60		
42								Difference due to no kWh in light units	\$0	\$55								
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55	NOTES:																	
56	(1)	Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.																
57	(2)	Metered plant costs per lamp are not included in metered rates since they are metered and included with the customer's service bill.																
58	(3)	Revenue Codes with no annual kWh calculate monthly charges based on kWh/Mo rating from Table 7																
59																		
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Proposed Total Rate 19 U20 \$2,472  
Current Total Rate 19 U20 \$1,948  
Increase \$524

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TABLE 4 - RATE 56 - U30 DISTRIBUTION POLE SUMMARY RESULTS

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
1	BILLING STATISTICS																		
2	Watts																		
3	Company Owned (*)																		
4	Rev Code					Lumens	KWH/MO		SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED	NET PLANT	ANNUAL KWH	ANNUAL UNITS	BASE REVENUES	MONTHLY CHARGE (1)					
6	SMD37	HPS	100 *	With Pole	11,700	49.58		\$923	\$125,526	75,480	1,449	\$7,282	\$4.22						
7	SMD38	HPS	100		11,700	49.58		\$0	\$0	24,864	480	\$714	\$1.48						
8	SMD39	HPS	150 *	With Pole	17,550	69.68		\$948	\$1,423,308	1,299,120	17,820	\$138,071	\$7.53						
9	SMD40	HPS	150		17,550	69.68		\$0	\$0	11,309	155	\$327	\$2.08						
10	SMD41	HPS	250 *	With Pole	29,250	107.87		\$1,098	\$286,505	348,657	3,093	\$34,501	\$10.66						
11	SMD42	HPS	250		29,250	107.87		\$0	\$0	163,451	1,445	\$4,722	\$3.19						
12	SMD43	HPS	400 *	With Pole	46,800	166.16		\$1,108	\$35,467	68,774	404	\$5,672	\$12.58						
13	SMD44	HPS	400		46,800	166.16		\$0	\$0	428,488	2,468	\$12,604	\$4.76						
14	SMD45	HPS	1000 *	With Pole	117,000	389.94		\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$26.32						
15	SMD46	HPS	1000		117,000	389.94		\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$11.82						
16																			
17	SMD47	MV	175 *	With Pole	8,750	72.36		\$1,027	\$1,993,689	1,749,803	23,128	\$115,880	\$4.79						
18	SMD48	MV	175		8,750	72.36		\$0	\$0	12,823	169	\$375	\$2.14						
19	SMD49	MV	250 *	With Pole	12,500	100.84		\$1,050	\$27,291	30,620	288	\$1,914	\$6.06						
20	SMD50	MV	250		12,500	100.84		\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.76						
21	SMD51	MV	400 *	With Pole	20,000	158.79		\$1,113	\$17,812	27,839	167	\$1,681	\$9.01						
22	SMD52	MV	400		20,000	158.79		\$0	\$0	9,224	55	\$299	\$4.84						
23	SMD53	MV	1000 *	With Pole	50,000	380.23		\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$17.07						
24	SMD54	MV	1000		50,000	380.23		\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$8.80						
25																			
26	SMD55	MH	250 *	With Pole	21,750	97.15		\$1,168	\$2,336	2,706	24	\$263	\$10.99						
27	SMD56	MH	250		21,750	97.15		\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$3.52						
28	SMD57	MH	400 *	With Pole	34,800	153.43		\$1,222	\$2,444	3,946	23	\$305	\$12.98						
29	SMD58	MH	400		34,800	153.43		\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$4.48						
30																			
31	SLD45	LED	42*	With Pole		14.07		\$126	\$126	100	6	\$109	\$10.71						
32	SLD51	LED	60*	With Pole		20.10		\$126	\$5,397	2,149	79	\$1,128	\$12.13						
33	SLD53	LED	73*	With Pole		24.46		\$126	\$753	1,281	48	\$576	\$10.73						
34	SLD57	LED	126*	With Pole		42.21		\$126	\$502	332	6	\$103	\$15.75						
35	SLD63	LED	189*	With Pole		63.32		\$126	\$377	875	12	\$295	\$23.63						
36																			
37																			
38																			
39									TOTAL	\$3,921,532	4,261,841	51,319	\$326,820						
40									CHECK TOTAL	\$3,921,532	4,261,841	51,319	\$326,820						
41									Company Owned	\$3,921,532	3,611,682	46,547	\$307,780						
42									Customer Owned	\$0	650,159	4,772	\$19,040						
43									Total	\$3,921,532	4,261,841	51,319	\$326,820						
44																			
45																			
46																			
47																			
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54	NOTES:																		
55	(1) Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.																		
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60																			



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TABLE 5 - RATE 56 - U30 METAL POLE SUMMARY RESULTS

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	
1	A BILLING STATISTICS																			
2		Watts																		
3		Company Owned (*)																		
4	Rev Code				Lumens	KWH/MO	SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED	NET PLANT	ANNUAL KWH	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL BASE REVENUES	CURRENT MONTHLY CHARGE (1)								
5																				
6	SMM22	HPS	50		5,850	24.79	\$0	\$0	2,486	48	\$19	\$0.73								
7	SMM01	HPS	100 *	With Pole	11,700	49.58	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$19.07								
8	SMM02	HPS	100		11,700	49.58	\$0	\$0	5,548	107	\$161	\$1.48								
9	SMM03	HPS	150 *	With Pole	17,550	69.68	\$1,898	\$337,504	411,947	5,603	\$118,388	\$19.39								
10	SMM04	HPS	150		17,550	69.68	\$0	\$0	80,496	1,104	\$2,308	\$2.08								
11	SMM05	HPS	250 *	With Pole	29,250	107.87	\$2,047	\$450,335	848,249	7,519	\$173,303	\$22.01								
12	SMM06	HPS	250		29,250	107.87	\$0	\$0	19,098	169	\$541	\$3.19								
13	SMM07	HPS	400 *	With Pole	46,800	166.16	\$2,058	\$315,519	903,995	5,245	\$133,346	\$23.78								
14	SMM08	HPS	400		46,800	166.16	\$0	\$0	1,163,436	6,750	\$32,386	\$4.76								
15	SMM09	HPS	1000 *	With Pole	117,000	389.94	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$37.74								
16	SMM10	HPS	1000		117,000	389.94	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$11.82								
17																				
18	SMM11	MV	175 *	With Pole	8,750	72.36	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$11.98								
19	SMM12	MV	175		8,750	72.36	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.14								
20	SMM13	MV	250 *	With Pole	12,500	100.84	\$1,999	\$20,020	34,404	322	\$5,819	\$18.34								
21	SMM14	MV	250		12,500	100.84	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.76								
22	SMM15	MV	400 *	With Pole	20,000	158.79	\$2,063	\$4,986	12,661	75	\$1,577	\$18.92								
23	SMM16	MV	400		20,000	158.79	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$4.84								
24	SMM17	MV	1000 *	With Pole	50,000	380.23	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$28.99								
25	SMM18	MV	1000		50,000	380.23	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$8.80								
26																				
27	SMM19	MH	175 *	With Pole	21,750	68.68	\$1,968	\$680	1,353	12	\$249	\$19.20								
28	SMM20	MH	250 *	With Pole	20,000	97.15	\$2,063	\$4,274	12,203	70	\$1,559	\$20.55								
29	SMM21	MH	400 *	With Pole	8,750	153.43	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$21.55								
30																				
31	SLM45	LED	42*	With Pole		14.07	\$126	\$43	132	9	\$231	\$22.54								
32	SLM50	LED	51*	With Pole		17.09	\$126	\$173	866	48	\$1,049	\$21.62								
33	SLM07	LED	71			23.79	\$0	\$0	10,171	408	\$348	\$0.85								
34	SLM53	LED	73*	With Pole		24.46	\$126	\$87	548	22	\$524	\$22.56								
35	SLM55	LED	103*	With Pole		34.51	\$126	\$867	8,477	233	\$5,989	\$24.71								
36	SLM11	LED	108			36.18	\$0	\$0	2,679	72	\$94	\$1.30								
37	SLM57	LED	128*	With Pole		42.21	\$126	\$303	640	11	\$266	\$27.58								
38	SLM15	LED	154			51.59	\$0	\$0	156,586	2,890	\$5,357	\$1.85								
39	SLM63	LED	169*	With Pole		63.32	\$126	\$1,734	20,130	291	\$11,596	\$35.46								
40	SLM20	LED	200			69.01	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.47								
41	SLM22	LED	268			89.78	\$0	\$0	2,263	24	\$77	\$3.22								
42	SLM67	LED	278*	With Pole		93.13	\$126	\$390	10,570	108	\$4,250	\$38.84								
43	SLM70	LED	309*	With Pole		103.52	\$126	\$520	15,863	144	\$6,114	\$41.91								
44	SLM75	LED	319*	With Pole		106.87	\$126	\$87	2,696	24	\$1,043	\$42.90								
45																				
46																				
47																				
48									TOTAL	\$1,137,522	3,727,307	31,308	\$506,574							
49									CHECK TOTAL	\$1,137,522	3,727,307	31,308	\$506,574							
50																				
51									Company Owned	\$1,137,522	2,284,541	19,736	\$465,284							
52									Customer Owned	\$0	\$1,442,766	11,572	\$41,290							
53									Total	\$1,137,522	3,727,307	31,308	\$506,574							
54																				
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59	NOTES:																			
60	(1) Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.																			
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TABLE 6 - RATE 56 - U30 WOOD POLE SUMMARY RESULTS

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
1	<b>A BILLING STATISTICS</b>																		
2																			
3	Watts																		
4	Rev Code	Company Owned (*)			Lumens	KWH/MO	SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED	NET PLANT	ANNUAL KWH	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL BASE REVENUES	CURRENT MONTHLY CHARGE (1)							
5																			
6	SMW19	HPS	100 *	With Pole	11,700	49.58	\$923	\$91,150	144,235	2,747	\$38,542	\$11.03							
7	SMW20	HPS	100		11,700	49.58	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$1.48							
8	SMW21	HPS	150 *	With Pole	17,550	69.68	\$948	\$605,061	1,575,797	21,599	\$257,533	\$11.34							
9	SMW22	HPS	150		17,550	69.68	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.06							
10	SMW23	HPS	250 *	With Pole	29,250	107.87	\$1,098	\$187,246	659,966	5,860	\$91,853	\$15.18							
11	SMW24	HPS	250		29,250	107.87	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$3.19							
12	SMW25	HPS	400 *	With Pole	46,800	166.16	\$1,108	\$16,839	83,303	481	\$8,790	\$16.96							
13	SMW26	HPS	400		46,800	166.16	\$0	\$0	7,024	40	\$244	\$4.76							
14	SMW27	HPS	1000 *	With Pole	117,000	389.94	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$30.99							
15	SMW28	HPS	1000		117,000	389.94	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$11.82							
16																			
17	SMW29	MV	175 *	With Pole	8,750	72.36	\$1,027	\$512,235	1,284,974	16,975	\$151,669	\$8.39							
18	SMW30	MV	175		8,750	72.36	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.14							
19	SMW31	MV	250 *	With Pole	12,500	100.84	\$1,050	\$7,611	26,983	258	\$3,557	\$12.96							
20	SMW32	MV	250		12,500	100.84	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.76							
21	SMW33	MV	400 *	With Pole	20,000	158.79	\$1,050	\$8,698	42,998	261	\$4,056	\$14.32							
22	SMW34	MV	400		20,000	158.79	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$4.84							
23	SMW35	MV	1000 *	With Pole	50,000	380.23	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$20.43							
24	SMW36	MV	1000		50,000	380.23	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$8.80							
25																			
26	SMW37	MH	250 *	With Pole	21,750	97.15	\$0	\$0	558	5	\$76	\$15.51							
27	SMW38	MH	400 *	With Pole	20,000	153.43	\$1,050	\$3,262	15,802	92	\$1,687	\$17.36							
28																			
29	SLW45	LED	42*	With Pole	21,750	14.07	\$126	\$43	80	5	\$182	\$14.50							
30	SLW50	LED	51*	With Pole	20,000	17.09	\$126	\$347	1,143	64	\$887	\$13.58							
31	SLW51	LED	60*	With Pole	21,750	20.10	\$126	\$2,731	2,966	109	\$2,589	\$15.31							
32	SLW53	LED	73*	With Pole	20,000	24.46	\$126	\$520	3,010	117	\$1,857	\$14.52							
33	SLW57	LED	126*	With Pole	20,000	42.21	\$126	\$173	919	19	\$434	\$19.54							
34	SLW15	LED	154		21,750	51.59	\$0	\$0	8,457	156	\$289	\$1.85							
35	SLW63	LED	189*	With Pole	20,000	63.32	\$126	\$43	228	1,449	\$110	\$27.42							
36																			
37																			
38	TOTAL																		
39	CHECK TOTAL																		
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42	Customer Owned																		
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56	NOTES:																		
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TABLE 7 - COST CALCULATION DETAILS SUPPORTING TABLES 1-6

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
1	RATE 19 - REDDY GUARD																		
2																			
3	Rate U10 - Reddy-Guard - Residential Unmetered																		
4	Rev Code	Watts	Lumens	KWH/MO	# UNITS YR END	BRACKET \$	FIXTURE \$	TOTAL \$ INSTALLED	NET PLANT	ESTIMATED PLT COSTS	SCALED TO GROSS PLT COSTS	SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED	ESTIMATED ANNUAL KWH	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL BASE REVENUES	CURRENT MONTHLY CHARGE (1)			
5	RR001	HPS	35	4,095	14.07	0	\$76	\$70	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						\$4.00
6	RR002	HPS	50	5,850	19.77	2	\$76	\$107	\$183	\$76	\$366	\$204	\$102	554	27	\$113	\$4.15		
7	RR003	HPS	100	11,700	49.58	130	\$76	\$213	\$290	\$7,856	\$37,685	\$20,982	\$161	104,185	2,063	\$15,293	\$7.43		
8	RR004	HPS	150	17,550	69.68	352	\$76	\$245	\$321	\$23,580	\$113,114	\$62,980	\$179	411,324	5,796	\$44,812	\$7.75		
9	RR005	HPS	250	29,250	107.87	44	\$76	\$427	\$503	\$4,614	\$22,135	\$12,324	\$280	66,751	605	\$6,716	\$10.96		
10	RR006	HPS	400	46,800	166.16	15	\$76	\$438	\$514	\$1,008	\$7,714	\$4,295	\$286	32,164	188	\$2,437	\$12.94		
11	RR007	HPS	1000	117,000	389.94		\$115	\$587	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$27.07		
12																			
13	RR010	MV	175	8,750	72.36	642	\$76	\$344	\$421	\$56,328	\$270,208	\$150,447	\$234	800,865	10,865	\$53,170	\$4.92		
14	RR011	MV	250	12,500	100.84	14	\$76	\$374	\$451	\$1,315	\$6,309	\$3,513	\$251	19,767	191	\$1,220	\$6.24		
15	RR012	MV	400	20,000	158.79	0	\$76	\$454	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$9.26		
16	RR013	MV	1000	50,000	380.23	0	\$115	\$645	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$17.56		
17																			
18	RR014	MH	175	15,225	68.68	0	\$76	\$479	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$5.05		
19	RR015	MH	250	21,750	97.15	4	\$76	\$579	\$655	\$546	\$2,621	\$1,459	\$365	5,313	48	\$306	\$6.43		
20	RR016	MH	400	34,800	153.43	3	\$115	\$1,384	\$1,499	\$937	\$4,497	\$2,504	\$835	7,830	46	\$431	\$9.43		
21	Company Owned																		
22	RR026	LED	60		20.10	686	\$153	\$250	\$403	\$57,637	\$276,487	\$153,943	\$224	29,897	1,201	\$7,488	\$8.88		
23	RR030	LED	66		22.11	1	\$153	\$250	\$403	\$84	\$403	\$224	\$224	28	1	\$17	\$9.77		
24	RR035	LED	73		24.46	6	\$153	\$250	\$403	\$504	\$2,418	\$1,346	\$224	1,158	46	\$455	\$9.34		
25	RR060	LED	126		42.21	5	\$153	\$339	\$492	\$513	\$2,461	\$1,370	\$274	416	8	\$71	\$13.61		
26	RR070	LED	189		63.32	4	\$153	\$479	\$632	\$527	\$2,526	\$1,407	\$352	330	4	\$35	\$20.41		
27																			
28	1,206 Total																		
29	1,206 Unmetered																		
30																			
31	Mercury Vapor																		
32	Other																		
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35																			
36																			
37																			
38																			
39	Rate U10 - Reddy-Guard - Residential Metered																		
40	Rev Code	Watts	Lumens	KWH/MO	# UNITS YR END	BRACKET \$	FIXTURE \$	TOTAL \$ INSTALLED	NET PLANT	ESTIMATED PLT COSTS	SCALED TO GROSS PLT COSTS	SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED	ESTIMATED ANNUAL KWH	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL BASE REVENUES	CURRENT MONTHLY CHARGE (1)			
41	RR100	HPS	35	4,095	14.07	0	\$76	\$70	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						
42	RR101	HPS	50	5,850	19.77	5	\$76	\$107	\$183	\$191	\$916	\$510	\$102	1,186	60	\$219	\$3.63		
43	RR102	HPS	100	11,700	49.58	44	\$76	\$213	\$290	\$2,659	\$12,755	\$7,102	\$161	27,616	557	\$2,811	\$5.00		
44	RR103	HPS	150	17,550	69.68	263	\$76	\$245	\$321	\$17,618	\$84,514	\$47,056	\$179	225,275	3,233	\$19,203	\$5.88		
45	RR104	HPS	250	29,250	107.87	6	\$76	\$427	\$503	\$629	\$3,018	\$1,681	\$280	8,630	80	\$616	\$7.64		
46	RR105	HPS	400	46,800	166.16	11	\$76	\$438	\$514	\$1,179	\$5,657	\$3,150	\$286	21,933	132	\$1,072	\$8.05		
47	RR106	HPS	1000	117,000	389.94	0	\$115	\$587	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$14.92		
48																			
49	RR110	MV	175	8,750	72.36	556	\$76	\$344	\$421	\$48,782	\$234,012	\$130,293	\$234	494,002	6,827	\$15,933	\$2.31		
50	RR111	MV	250	12,500	100.84	3	\$76	\$374	\$451	\$282	\$1,352	\$753	\$251	3,630	36	\$105	\$2.88		
51	RR112	MV	400	20,000	158.79	0	\$76	\$454	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$3.63		
52	RR113	MV	1000	50,000	380.23	0	\$115	\$645	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$7.10		
53																			
54	RR114	MH	175	15,225	68.68	0	\$76	\$479	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$2.73		
55	RR115	MH	250	21,750	97.15	2	\$76	\$579	\$655	\$273	\$1,311	\$730	\$365	2,332	24	\$158	\$6.35		
56	RR116	MH	400	34,800	153.43	0	\$115	\$1,384	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0				\$8.05		
57	Company Owned																		
58	RR125	LED	55		18.54	2	\$153	\$248	\$401	\$167	\$802	\$447	\$223	241	13	\$99	\$7.21		
59	RR126	LED	60		20.10	38	\$153	\$250	\$403	\$3,193	\$15,316	\$8,527	\$224	1,246	62	\$356	\$7.86		
60	RR160	LED	126		42.21	1	\$153	\$339	\$492	\$103	\$492	\$274	\$274	42	1	\$11	\$11.47		
61	RR170	LED	189		63.32	1	\$153	\$479	\$632	\$132	\$632	\$352	\$352	63	1	\$10	\$17.20		
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63	932 Total																		
64	932 Metered																		
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66	Mercury Vapor																		
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214	<b>RATE 19 - REDDY GUARD SUMMARY</b>																			
215																				
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219																				
220	<b>RATE 19 - REDDY GUARD</b>																			
221				Year End Metered Units	Year End Unmetered Units	Year End No. of Units	Estimated Gross Plant Cost	Est Plt Cost % of Total \$	Gross Plant	Net Plant	Unmetered Annual kWh	Estimated Metered Annual kWh	Total Rate 19 Annual kWh	Annual Units	Present Annual Rev	Cost Based Calculated Annual Rev	Proposed Annual Rev			
222																				
223						1,206	\$748,945	21.94%	\$416,999	\$156,126	1,480,583		1,480,583	21,089	\$132,563	\$153,877	\$164,699			
224						932	\$360,776	10.57%	\$200,873	\$75,208		786,196	786,196	11,026	\$40,593	\$64,572	\$48,794			
225																				
226						3,105	\$1,430,712	41.90%	\$796,594	\$298,249	3,560,355		3,560,355	35,698	\$305,399	\$370,028	\$369,494			
227						1,668	\$861,064	25.22%	\$479,424	\$179,499		1,623,312	1,623,312	15,664	\$92,057	\$116,371	\$110,451			
228																				
229						15	\$10,633	0.31%	\$5,920	\$2,217	19,703		19,703	220	\$1,663	\$2,048	\$2,126			
230						6	\$2,253	0.07%	\$1,254	\$470		3,389	3,389	56	\$285	\$278	\$345			
231																				
232					2606	4,326	6,932	\$3,414,382	100.00%	\$1,901,066	\$711,768	5,060,641	2,412,897	7,473,538	83,753	\$572,560	\$707,174	\$695,908		
233																\$439,625	\$461,104	\$136,096		
234																\$132,935	\$157,019	\$76,060		
235																CO5 Study				
236																\$570,629	\$618,123	\$618,123		
237																1,930	\$89,051	\$77,786		
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	Net Operating Expenses (3)	Plant (4)	Revenue Incr/Decr
Rate U10 - Reddy-Guard - Residential Unmetered			19.51%
Rate U10 - Reddy-Guard - Residential Metered			16.81%
Rate U20 - Reddy-Guard - Commercial Unmetered			17.35%
Rate U20 - Reddy-Guard - Commercial Metered			16.65%
Rate U30 - Public Lighting - Unmetered			21.79%
Rate U30 - Public Lighting - Metered			17.41%
<b>Total Rate 19</b>	\$405,967	\$212,156	
<b>Total Unmetered</b>	\$325,008	\$136,096	
<b>Total Metered</b>	\$80,959	\$76,060	

- NOTES:
1. Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.
  2. Includes Bracket & Fixture
  3. Net Operating Expense (NOE) = Total Operating Expenses less Other Operating Revenues & Wholesale Revenues Excl Fuel and External Transmission
  4. Plant recovery cost is calculated as difference between Proposed Revenue less Net Operating Expenses

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1	RATE 56 - COMPANY OR CUSTOMER OWNED HIGHWAY, STREET AND AREA LIGHTING SYSTEMS																		
2																			
3	Rate U30 - Distribution Pole Mounting																		
4	Watts																		
5	Rev Code	Company Owned (*)			Lumens	KWH/MO	# UNITS	YR END	INSTALL & POLE \$	FIXTURE & EYE \$	TOTAL \$ INSTALLED	NET PLANT	ESTIMATED PLT COSTS	SCALED TO GROSS PLT COSTS	SCALED TOT \$ INSTALLED	ANNUAL KWH	ANNUAL UNITS	ANNUAL BASE REVENUES	CURRENT MONTHLY CHARGE (1)
6	SMD37	HPS	100 *	With Pole	11,700	49.58	136		\$738	\$386	\$1,124	\$125,526	\$152,900	\$125,526	\$923	75,480	1,449	\$7,282	\$4.22
7	SMD38	HPS	100		11,700	49.58	40				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	24,864	480	\$714	\$1.48
8	SMD39	HPS	150 *	With Pole	17,550	69.68	1,501		\$738	\$417	\$1,155	\$1,423,308	\$1,733,691	\$1,423,308	\$948	1,299,120	17,820	\$138,071	\$7.53
9	SMD40	HPS	150		17,550	69.68	13				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	11,309	155	\$327	\$2.08
10	SMD41	HPS	250 *	With Pole	29,250	107.87	261		\$738	\$599	\$1,337	\$286,505	\$348,984	\$286,505	\$1,098	348,657	3,093	\$34,501	\$10.66
11	SMD42	HPS	250		29,250	107.87	116				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	163,451	1,445	\$4,722	\$3.19
12	SMD43	HPS	400 *	With Pole	46,800	166.16	32		\$738	\$612	\$1,350	\$35,467	\$43,201	\$35,467	\$1,108	68,774	404	\$5,672	\$12.58
13	SMD44	HPS	400		46,800	166.16	209				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	428,488	2,468	\$12,604	\$4.76
14	SMD45	HPS	1000 *	With Pole	117,000	389.94	0		\$738	\$1,065	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$26.32
15	SMD46	HPS	1000		117,000	389.94	0				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$11.82
16																			
17	SMD47	MV	175 *	With Pole	8,750	72.36	1,942		\$738	\$512	\$1,250	\$1,993,689	\$2,428,456	\$1,993,689	\$1,027	1,749,803	23,128	\$115,880	\$4.79
18	SMD48	MV	175		8,750	72.36	14				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	12,823	169	\$375	\$2.14
19	SMD49	MV	250 *	With Pole	12,500	100.84	26		\$738	\$540	\$1,279	\$27,291	\$33,242	\$27,291	\$1,050	30,620	288	\$1,914	\$6.06
20	SMD50	MV	250		12,500	100.84	0				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$2.76
21	SMD51	MV	400 *	With Pole	20,000	158.79	16		\$738	\$618	\$1,356	\$17,812	\$21,696	\$17,812	\$1,113	27,839	167	\$1,681	\$9.01
22	SMD52	MV	400		20,000	158.79	5				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	9,224	55	\$299	\$4.84
23	SMD53	MV	1000 *	With Pole	50,000	380.23	0		\$738	\$831	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$17.07
24	SMD54	MV	1000		50,000	380.23	0				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$8.80
25																			
26	SMD55	MH	250 *	With Pole	21,750	97.15	2		\$738	\$684	\$1,423	\$2,336	\$2,846	\$2,336	\$1,168	2,706	24	\$263	\$10.99
27	SMD56	MH	250		21,750	97.15	0				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$3.52
28	SMD57	MH	400 *	With Pole	34,800	153.43	2		\$738	\$750	\$1,488	\$2,444	\$2,977	\$2,444	\$1,222	3,946	23	\$305	\$12.98
29	SMD58	MH	400		34,800	153.43	0				\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0	0	\$0	\$4.48
30																			
31	SLD45	LED	42*	With Pole		14.07	1			\$0	\$153	\$126	\$153	\$126	\$126	100	6	\$109	\$10.71
32	SLD51	LED	60*	With Pole		20.10	43			\$0	\$153	\$153	\$5,397	\$6,574	\$5,397	1,149	79	\$1,128	\$12.13
33	SLD53	LED	73*	With Pole		24.46	6			\$0	\$153	\$753	\$917	\$753	\$126	1,281	48	\$576	\$10.73
34	SLD57	LED	126*	With Pole		42.21	4			\$0	\$153	\$153	\$502	\$612	\$502	332	6	\$103	\$15.75
35	SLD63	LED	189*	With Pole		63.32	3			\$0	\$153	\$153	\$377	\$459	\$377	875	12	\$295	\$23.63
36																			
37																			
38												\$3,921,532	\$3,921,532	4,261,841	51,319	\$326,820			
39												\$3,921,532	\$4,776,707	\$3,921,532	\$3,611,682	\$46,547	\$307,780		
40												\$0	\$0	\$0	650,159	4,772	19,040		
41												\$3,921,532	\$4,776,707	\$3,921,532					
42														RATIO	0.82				
43																1,808,262	23,583	\$119,474	
44	Mercury Vapor - Company Owned															22,047	224	\$673	
45	Mercury Vapor - Customer Owned															1,803,420	22,964	\$188,306	
46	Other - Company Owned															628,112	4,548	\$18,367	
47	Other - Customer Owned																		
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214	RATE 56 - COMPANY OR CUSTOMER OWNED HIGHWAY, STREET AND AREA LIGHTING SYSTEMS SUMMARY																		
215																			
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220	<b>RATE 56 - COMPANY OR CUSTOMER OWNED HIGHWAY, STREET AND AREA LIGHTING SYSTEMS</b>																		
221		Year End	Year End	Estimated	Estimated														
222		Units	# of Units	Plant Cost	Plant Cost %	Gross Plant	Net Plant	Co Owned Annual kWh	Cust Owned Annual kWh	Rate 56 Annual kWh	Annual Units	Present Annual Rev	Cost Based Calculated Annual Rev	Proposed Annual Rev					
223	Rate U30 - Distribution Pole Mounting Company Own	3,918	3,918	\$4,776,707	34.48%	\$3,921,532	\$1,354,095	3,611,682		3,611,682	46,547	\$307,780	\$989,673	\$370,187					
224	Rate U30 - Distribution Pole Mounting Customer Own	397	397	\$0	0.00%	\$0	\$0			650,159	4,772	\$19,040	\$29,316	\$22,621					
225	Rate U30 - Metal Pole Mounting Company Owned	1,732	1,732	\$4,012,726	28.96%	\$3,294,326	\$1,137,522	2,284,541		2,284,541	19,736	\$465,284	\$626,010	\$548,130					
226	Rate U30 - Metal Pole Mounting Customer Owned	974	974	\$0	0.00%	\$0	\$0			1,442,766	11,572	\$41,289	\$65,054	\$51,503					
227	Rate U30 - Wood Pole Mounting Company Owned	4,260	4,260	\$5,065,564	36.56%	\$4,158,674	\$1,435,979	3,842,961		3,842,961	50,041	\$563,852	\$1,053,048	\$713,003					
228	Rate U30 - Wood Pole Mounting Customer Owned	17	17	\$0	0.00%	\$0	\$0			15,481	196	\$532	\$698	\$601					
229	Rate U30 - STKLR (Kaylor Cust Owned)	47	47							0	567	\$1,635							
230																			
231	<b>Total Rate 56</b>	11,345	11,345	\$13,854,998	100.00%	\$11,374,532	\$3,927,597	9,739,184	2,108,406	11,847,590	133,431	\$1,399,414	\$2,763,799	\$1,706,046					
232	<b>Total Company Owned</b>	9,910	9,910	\$13,854,998		\$11,374,532	\$3,927,597	9,739,184	0	9,739,184	116,324	\$1,336,917	\$2,668,731	\$1,631,321					
233	<b>Total Customer Owned</b>	1,435	1,435	\$0		\$0	\$0	0	2,108,406	2,108,406	17,107	\$62,497	\$95,068	\$74,725					
234																			
235	<b>Company Owned Average Unit Installation Cost</b>			\$1,221.24		\$1,002.60						COS Study \$1,401,401	\$2,381,214	\$2,381,214					
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270	NOTES:																		
271	1. Current monthly charge excludes fuel, ad valorem, and transmission by others charge.																		
272	2. Rate U30 kWh are estimated based kwh/Month * No of Units																		
273	3. Net Operatin Expense (NOE) = Total Operating Expenses less Other Operating Revenues & Wholesale Revenues Excl Fuel and External Transmission																		
274	4. Plant Recovery cost is calculated as difference between Proposed Revenue less Net Operating Expenses																		
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	Net Operating Expenses (3)	Plant (4)	Revenue Incr/Decr
Rate U30 - Distribution Pole Mounting Company Owned			16.86%
Rate U30 - Distribution Pole Mounting Customer Owned			15.83%
Rate U30 - Metal Pole Mounting Company Owned			15.11%
Rate U30 - Metal Pole Mounting Customer Owned			19.83%
Rate U30 - Wood Pole Mounting Company Owned			20.92%
Rate U30 - Wood Pole Mounting Customer Owned			11.48%
<b>Total Rate 56</b>	\$1,542,108	\$839,106	
<b>Total Company Owned</b>	\$1,510,030	\$776,771	
<b>Total Customer Owned</b>	\$32,078	\$62,335	

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TABLE 8 - FUNCTIONAL SYSTEM COSTS SUMMARY PER KWH

Line No.	A	B CURRENT REVENUE @ 4.44%	C PROPOSED REVENUE (Target)	D	E KWH (COS)	F PROPOSED REVENUE \$/KWH	G	H	I	J	K PROPOSED REVENUE @ 7.54%	L	M	
1	<b>Reddy-Guard (Rate 19)</b>													
2	Production	\$68,011	\$77,760		5,060,641	\$0.01537					\$77,760			
3	Transmission	\$16,728	\$20,577		5,060,641	\$0.00407					\$20,577			
4	Distribution													
5	Substations & Primary	\$68,951	\$77,443		5,060,641	\$0.01530					\$77,443			
6	Secondary & Line Transfrs	\$41,180	\$46,856		5,060,641	\$0.00926					\$46,856			
7	Total Distribution	\$110,131	\$124,299			\$0.02456					\$124,299			
8	Services, Meters, & Meter Rdg	\$0	\$0		5,060,641	\$0.00000					\$0			
9	Street Lighting	\$269,313	\$284,905		5,060,641	\$0.05630					\$284,905			
10	Customer Rec & Other	\$105,156	\$108,917		5,060,641	\$0.02152					\$108,917			
11	Energy (non fuel)	\$1,290	\$1,665		5,060,641	\$0.00033					\$1,665			
12	Fuel	\$0	\$0								\$0			
13	Subtotal Rate 19 (Excl Fuel) - COS Rev	\$570,629	\$618,123			\$0.12214	System Charges per kWh				\$618,123			
14	Subtotal Rate 19 (Excl Fuel) - Input Rev	\$572,560												
15	Subtotal Rate 19 (Excl Fuel) - Proposed Rev		\$695,908											
16														
17	<b>Highway, Street &amp; Area Lighting (Rate 56)</b>													
18	Production	\$64,747	\$213,159		11,867,293	\$0.01796					\$213,159			
19	Transmission	\$12	\$58,658		11,867,293	\$0.00494					\$58,658			
20	Distribution													
21	Substations & Primary	\$75,574	\$196,333		11,867,293	\$0.01654					\$196,333			
22	Secondary & Line Transfrs	\$38,953	\$119,679		11,867,293	\$0.01008					\$119,679			
23	Total Distribution	\$114,527	\$316,012			\$0.02663					\$316,012			
24	Services, Meters, & Meter Rdg	\$0	\$0		11,867,293	\$0.00000					\$0			
25	Street Lighting	\$1,207,804	\$1,769,884		11,867,293	\$0.14914					\$1,769,884			
26	Customer Rec & Other	\$15,114	\$18,959		11,867,293	\$0.00160					\$18,959			
27	Energy (non fuel)	-\$804	\$4,541		11,867,293	\$0.00038					\$4,541			
28	Fuel	\$0	\$0								\$0			
29	Subtotal Rate 56 (Excl Fuel) - COS Rev	\$1,401,401	\$2,381,214			\$0.20065	System Charges per kWh				\$2,381,214			
30	Subtotal Rate 56 (Excl Fuel) - Input Rev	\$1,399,414												
31	Subtotal Rate 56 (Excl Fuel) - Proposed Rev		\$1,706,046											
32														
33	Total Lighting - COS Revenue	\$1,972,030	\$2,999,337	\$1,027,307 Increase										
34	Total Lighting - Input Revenue	\$1,971,974												
35	Total Lighting - Proposed Lighting Study Rev		\$2,401,954											
36			\$597,382	Difference										
37														
38	<b>SUMMARY OF CALCULATED COSTS PER KWH</b>													
39														
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41	DATA SOURCE:													
42														
43	PRODUCTION	\$0.00848	\$0.00942	\$0.00942		\$0.01541	\$0.00779	\$0.02320		\$0.00000	\$0.01541	\$0.00550	\$0.02091	
44														
45	TRANSMISSION	\$0.00327	\$0.00092	\$0.00092		\$0.00594	\$0.00076	\$0.00670		\$0.00000	\$0.00594	\$0.00054	\$0.00648	
46														
47	DISTRIBUTION	\$0.01235	\$0.01681	\$0.01681		\$0.02098	\$0.01299	\$0.03397		\$0.00000	\$0.02098	\$0.00917	\$0.03015	
48														
49	REDDY LIGHTING (Rate 19) - UNMETERED	\$0.03971	\$0.03707	\$0.07678		\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000		\$0.00000		\$0.00000	\$0.00000	
50	METERED	\$0.04858			\$0.03355									
51	HIGHWAY, ST, & SGNL LTG (Rate 56)		\$0.00000	\$0.00000		\$0.10720	\$0.13351	\$0.24071		\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	
52														
53	SUBTOTAL		\$0.06422	\$0.10393	\$0.03355	\$0.14953	\$0.15505	\$0.30458	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754
54						\$0.11897						\$0.02988		
55														
56	SYSTEM CHARGES PER KWH APPLICABLE TO LIGHTING KWH ESTIMATES				UNMETERED \$0.10393	METERED \$0.08213		\$0.27402					\$0.04509	
57														
58	LED Energy Costs:	Metered LED \$0.08832	Unmetered LED \$0.03355		Company Owned LED - 56 \$0.06387						Customer Owned LED - 56		\$0.05754	
59	Notes:													
60	(1) Plant costs for customer-owned lighting are not included in metered rates since customer has incurred the costs.													
61	(2) Net Operating Expenses (NOE) are calculated as Total Operating Expense less Other Operating Revenue and Wholesale Revenue.													

	COMPANY OWNED						CUSTOMER OWNED						
	RATE 19 PLANT TABLE 9	RATE 19 NOE TABLE 11A	RATE 19 TOTAL UNMETERED	RATE 19 NOE TABLE 11A METERED	RATE 56 PLANT TABLE 9	RATE 56 NOE TABLE 11A	RATE 56 TOTAL	RATE 19 PLANT (1) TABLE 9	RATE 19 NOE TABLE 11B	RATE 56 PLANT (1) TABLE 9	RATE 56 NOE TABLE 11B	RATE 56 TOTAL	
PRODUCTION	\$0.00848	\$0.00942	\$0.00942		\$0.01541	\$0.00779	\$0.02320		\$0.00000	\$0.01541	\$0.00550	\$0.02091	
TRANSMISSION	\$0.00327	\$0.00092	\$0.00092		\$0.00594	\$0.00076	\$0.00670		\$0.00000	\$0.00594	\$0.00054	\$0.00648	
DISTRIBUTION	\$0.01235	\$0.01681	\$0.01681		\$0.02098	\$0.01299	\$0.03397		\$0.00000	\$0.02098	\$0.00917	\$0.03015	
REDDY LIGHTING (Rate 19) - UNMETERED	\$0.03971	\$0.03707	\$0.07678		\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000		\$0.00000		\$0.00000	\$0.00000	
METERED	\$0.04858			\$0.03355									
HIGHWAY, ST, & SGNL LTG (Rate 56)		\$0.00000	\$0.00000		\$0.10720	\$0.13351	\$0.24071		\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	
SUBTOTAL		\$0.06422	\$0.10393	\$0.03355	\$0.14953	\$0.15505	\$0.30458	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.00000	\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754
					\$0.11897						\$0.02988		

SYSTEM CHARGES PER KWH APPLICABLE TO LIGHTING KWH ESTIMATES

UNMETERED \$0.10393    METERED \$0.08213    \$0.27402    \$0.04509

LED Energy Costs: Metered LED \$0.08832    Unmetered LED \$0.03355    Company Owned LED - 56 \$0.06387    Customer Owned LED - 56 \$0.05754

Notes:  
(1) Plant costs for customer-owned lighting are not included in metered rates since customer has incurred the costs.  
(2) Net Operating Expenses (NOE) are calculated as Total Operating Expense less Other Operating Revenue and Wholesale Revenue.



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TABLE 9 - NET PLANT AND FUNCTIONAL COST DEVELOPMENT

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
		UMETERED RATE 19 NET PLT	METERED RATE 19 NET PLT	Co Owned RATE 56 NET PLT (5)	Cust Owned RATE 56 NET PLT (5)	TOTAL LIGHTING NET PLT	TOTAL RATE 19 LTG PLT	Co Owned RATE 56 LTG PLT	Cust Owned RATE 56 LTG PLT	RATE 19 SALES	Co Owned RATE 56 SALES	Cust Owned RATE 56 SALES	RATE 19 \$/KWH	Co Owned RATE 56 --- UNIT COSTS --- \$/KWH	Cust Owned RATE 56 --- \$/KWH
							REV RECOVER	'REV RECOVER	'REV RECOVERY						
1															
2	PROPOSED REVENUE FACTOR									9.73%	17.82%	17.82%			
3	PRODUCTION (1)														
4	PRODUCTION	\$440,870		\$842,158	\$182,316	\$1,465,344	\$42,910	\$150,073	\$32,489	5,060,641	9,739,184	2,108,406	\$0.00848	\$0.01541	\$0.01541
5															
6	TRANSMISSION (2)														
7	TRANSMISSION	\$170,053		\$324,839	\$70,323	\$565,216	\$16,551	\$57,886	\$12,532	5,060,641	9,739,184	2,108,406	\$0.00327	\$0.00594	\$0.00594
8															
9	DISTRIBUTION (3)														
10	PRIMARY SUBSTATIONS	\$130,127		\$232,245	\$50,278	\$412,650	\$12,665	\$41,386	\$8,960	5,060,641	9,739,184	2,108,406	\$0.00250	\$0.00425	\$0.00425
11															
12	PRIMARY LINES	\$255,019		\$455,145	\$98,533	\$808,697	\$24,821	\$81,107	\$17,559	5,060,641	9,739,184	2,108,406	\$0.00490	\$0.00833	\$0.00833
13															
14	SECONDARY LINES	\$146,507		\$261,479	\$56,607	\$464,593	\$14,260	\$46,596	\$10,087	5,060,641	9,739,184	2,108,406	\$0.00282	\$0.00478	\$0.00478
15															
16	TRANSFORMERS	\$110,724		\$197,615	\$42,781	\$351,119	\$10,777	\$35,215	\$7,624	5,060,641	9,739,184	2,108,406	\$0.00213	\$0.00362	\$0.00362
17															
18	SERVICES	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						
19															
20	METERS	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						
21															
22	LIGHTING														
23															
24	371 - INSTALL ON CUST PREM-UNMET (7)	\$456,591		\$0	\$0	\$711,768	\$44,440	\$0	\$0	3,427,204			\$0.01297	\$0.00000	\$0.00000
25	371 - INSTALL ON CUST PREM-METERED (7)		\$255,176				\$24,836			1,565,730			\$0.01586		
26															
27	372 - LEASED PROPERTY	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0						
28															
29	373 - ST LTG & SIGNAL SYS (7)	\$0		\$3,927,597	\$0	\$3,927,597	\$0	\$699,898	\$0		6,528,902	2,086,359	\$0.00000	\$0.10720	\$0.00000
30															
31	SUBTOTAL LIGHTING	\$456,591	\$255,176	\$3,927,597	\$0	\$4,639,364	\$69,276	\$699,898	\$0						
32															
33															
34	TOTAL NET PLANT	\$1,709,892	\$255,176	\$6,241,077	\$500,838	\$8,706,984	\$191,260	\$1,112,160	\$89,249				\$0.05293	\$0.14953	\$0.04233
35	TOTAL NET PLANT (COS STUDY CHECK)	\$1,965,068		\$6,741,915		\$8,706,984									
36	TOTAL CALCULATED PORTION OF NET PLANT	\$136,096	\$76,060	\$776,771	\$62,335										
37				\$839,106											
38															
39	BASE REVENUE FACTORS														
40		REVENUE	REVENUE EXCLUDING O&M FUEL & ET	TOTAL COMPANY NET PLANT	REVENUE PER NET PLANT \$ (4)		SUMMARY OF PLANT CHARGES			RATE 19 PER KWH UNMETERED	RATE 19 PER KWH METERED	RATE 56 PER KWH CO OWNED	RATE 56 PER KWH CUST OWNED		
41															
42	RATE 19 - REDDY-GUARD														
43	PRESENT	\$570,629	\$65,990	\$1,965,068	3.36%								\$0.00848	\$0.01541	\$0.01541
44	PROPOSED	\$695,906	\$191,267	\$1,965,068	9.73%										
45	INCREASE	\$125,277	\$125,277												
46	PERCENT INCREASE BASE	21.95%	189.84%												
47	TOTAL O&M W/O FUEL & EXTERNAL TRAN	\$504,639													
48															
49	RATE 56 - HIGHWAY, STREET & AREA LIGHTING														
50	PRESENT	\$1,401,401	(\$153,282)	\$6,741,915	-2.27%								\$0.01297	\$0.01586	\$0.00000
51	PROPOSED	\$1,706,045	\$1,201,406	\$6,741,915	17.82%										
52	INCREASE	\$304,644	\$1,354,688												
53	PERCENT INCREASE BASE	21.74%	-883.79%												
54	TOTAL O&M W/O FUEL & EXTERNAL TRAN	\$1,554,683													
55															
56	Notes:														
57	(1) Production kWh charge excludes base fuel expenses.														
58	(2) Transmission kWh charge excludes external transmission expenses.														
59	(3) Distribution kWh charge excludes services, meters, and meter reading expenses.														
60	(4) Factor is calculated as (Total Present Revenues less Operating Expense) divided by Total Net Plant, rounded to 5 decimals														
61	(5) Total plant charges are calculated using net plant (Table 7) divided by kWh sales														
61	(6) kWh sales for mercury vapor units are not included														

Note: kWh charge rounded to 5 decimals.

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TABLE 10 - FUNCTIONAL GROSS PLANT, ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION, & NET PLANT

Line No.	A	B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I		J		K		L		M		N TOTAL LTG % DEP
		GROSS PLANT		ACCUM DEPRECIATION		NET CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION		NET PLANT																		
		Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	Rate 19	Rate 56	Total Ltg	
1	<b>PRODUCTION</b>																									
2	PRODUCTION	\$593,850	\$1,496,286	\$2,090,135	\$188,896	\$475,950	\$664,846	\$35,916.88	\$4,138.42	\$40,055	\$440,870	\$1,024,474	\$1,465,344													31.81%
3																										
4																										
5	<b>TRANSMISSION</b>																									
6	TRANSMISSION	\$238,527	\$601,002	\$839,529	\$82,328	\$207,436	\$289,764	\$13,853.93	\$1,596.28	\$15,450	\$170,053	\$395,162	\$565,216													34.52%
7																										
8																										
9	<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>																									
10	PRIMARY SUBSTATIONS	\$167,278	\$393,797	\$561,075	\$47,752	\$112,415	\$160,167	\$10,601.23	\$1,141.27	\$11,742	\$130,127	\$282,523	\$412,650													28.55%
11																										
12	PRIMARY LINES	\$380,943	\$896,796	\$1,277,740	\$146,701	\$345,355	\$492,055	\$20,775.91	\$2,236.61	\$23,013	\$255,019	\$553,678	\$808,697													38.51%
13																										
14	SECONDARY LINES	\$213,090	\$501,644	\$714,734	\$78,518	\$184,843	\$263,362	\$11,935.66	\$1,284.92	\$13,221	\$146,507	\$318,086	\$464,593													36.85%
15																										
16	TRANSFORMERS	\$140,037	\$329,667	\$469,703	\$38,333	\$90,242	\$128,576	\$9,020.46	\$971.09	\$9,992	\$110,724	\$240,396	\$351,119													27.37%
17																										
18	SERVICES	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0													
19																										
20	METERS	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0													
21																										
22	<b>LIGHTING</b>																									
23																										
24	371 - INSTALL ON CUST PREM	\$1,901,066	\$0	\$1,901,066	\$1,247,284	\$0	\$1,247,284	\$57,986.39	\$0.00	\$57,986	\$711,768	\$0	\$711,768													65.61%
25																										
26	372 - LEASED PROPERTY	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0													
27																										
28	373 - ST LTG & SIGNAL SYS	\$0	\$11,374,532	\$11,374,532	\$0	\$7,462,802	\$7,462,802	\$0.00	\$15,865.73	\$15,866	\$0	\$3,927,597	\$3,927,597													65.61%
29																										
30	SUBTOTAL LIGHTING	\$1,901,066	\$11,374,532	\$13,275,598	\$1,247,284	\$7,462,802	\$8,710,086	\$57,986	\$15,866	\$73,852	\$711,768	\$3,927,597	\$4,639,364													65.61%
31																										
32																										
33	<b>CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION (1)</b>																									
34	CUSTOMER METER READING	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0													
35	CUSTOMER RECORDS	\$34,784	\$5,857	\$40,641	\$12,365	\$2,082	\$14,447	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0													35.55%
36	CUSTOMER SERVICE & INFO	\$213,602	\$36,398	\$250,000	\$75,931	\$12,939	\$88,870	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0													35.55%
37	SUBTOTAL CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION	\$248,386	\$42,255	\$290,642	\$88,296	\$15,021	\$103,317	\$160,090	\$27,234	\$187,325	\$0	\$0	\$0													35.55%
38																										
39																										
40	<b>TOTAL</b>	\$3,883,177	\$15,635,979	\$19,519,156	\$1,918,108	\$8,894,064	\$10,812,172	\$160,090	\$27,234	\$187,325	\$0	\$0	\$0													55.39%
41																										
42																										
43	<b>TOTAL EXCL CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION</b>	\$3,634,790	\$15,593,724	\$19,228,514	\$1,829,812	\$8,879,043	\$10,708,855	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,965,068	\$6,741,915	\$8,706,984													
44																										
45																										
46																										
47																										
48																										
49																										
50																										
51	Notes:																									
52	(1) Customer Distribution is allocated to Production, Transmission and Distribution Plant based on line item net plant.																									
53	(2) Source for Gross Plant and Accumulated Depreciation from file "TY2022 Adjusted NWE SD Elec Embedded ACOS Rev @ 06-09-23.xls"																									
54																										
55																										

\$8,519,659  
\$187,325 check (Net Customer)

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TABLE 11A - FUNCTIONAL NET OPERATING EXPENSE DETAIL AND UNIT COSTS (COMPANY OWNED)

Line No.	A	B RATE 19 LIGHTING NET OPER EXPENSE (4)	C RATE 56 LIGHTING NET OPER EXPENSE (4)	D RATE 19 CUSTOMER DIST EXPENSE	E RATE 56 CUSTOMER DIST EXPENSE	F RATE 19 TOTAL LIGHTING NOE	G RATE 56 CO OWNED TOTAL LIGHTING NOE	H RATE 19 SALES KWH (5)	I RATE 56 CO OWNED SALES KWH (5)	J RATE 19 UNMETERED COSTS PER KWH	K RATE 19 METERED COSTS PER KWH (6)	L RATE 56 UNIT NOE COSTS PER KWH
1	<b>PRODUCTION</b>											
2	GROSS PRODUCTION EXPENSE	\$187,765	\$388,981									
3	BASE FUEL	\$153,621	\$313,832									
4	= BASE AND ENERGY	\$34,143	\$75,149	\$13,518	\$687	\$47,661	\$75,837	5,060,641	9,739,184	\$0.00942		\$0.00779
5												
6												
7	<b>TRANSMISSION</b>											
8	TRANSMISSION	\$3,349	\$7,371	\$1,326	\$67	\$4,675	\$7,438	5,060,641	9,739,184	\$0.00092		\$0.00076
9	EXTERNAL TRANSMISSION	\$70,002	\$143,951									
10												
11	<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>											
12	PRIMARY SUBSTATIONS	\$9,276	\$19,075	\$3,673	\$174	\$12,949	\$19,250	5,060,641	9,739,184	\$0.00256		\$0.00198
13												
14	PRIMARY LINES	\$30,195	\$62,092	\$11,954	\$568	\$42,149	\$62,660	5,060,641	9,739,184	\$0.00833		\$0.00643
15												
16	SECONDARY LINES	\$16,421	\$33,767	\$6,501	\$309	\$22,922	\$34,076	5,060,641	9,739,184	\$0.00453		\$0.00350
17												
18	LINE TRANSFORMERS	\$5,052	\$10,388	\$2,000	\$95	\$7,052	\$10,483	5,060,641	9,739,184	\$0.00139		\$0.00108
19												
20	SERVICES	\$0	\$0									
21												
22	METERS	\$0	\$0									
23												
24	<b>LIGHTING</b>											
25	REDDY-GUARD - UNMETERED	\$134,393	\$0	\$53,208	\$0	\$187,601	\$0	5,060,641		\$0.03707		\$0.00000
26	REDDY-GUARD - METERED	\$80,959						2,412,897			\$0.03355	
27	HIGHWAY, STREET, & AREA LIGHTING	\$0	\$1,288,503	\$0	\$11,783	\$0	\$1,300,287		9,739,184	\$0.00000		\$0.13351
28	TOTAL LIGHTING	\$215,352	\$1,288,503									
29												
30	TOTAL DIST OPERATING EXP EXPENSE	\$276,296	\$1,413,826	\$77,336	\$12,930	\$272,672	\$1,426,756					
31	TOT DIST EXCL SERV, METERS, & LTG	\$60,943	\$125,323			\$85,072	\$126,469					
32												
33												
34	<b>CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION</b>											
35	CUSTOMER METER READING	\$0	\$0									
36	CUSTOMER RECORDS	\$20,692	\$3,044									
37	CUSTOMER SERVICE & INFO	\$71,488	\$10,641									
38	TOTAL CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION	\$92,179	\$13,684									
39	TOTAL CUST DIST EXCL MET READING	\$92,179	\$13,684	\$92,179	\$13,684	\$325,008	\$1,510,030					
40												
41	<b>TOTAL NET OPER EXP EXPENSE (7)</b>	\$629,590	\$1,967,813									
42	<b>TOTAL NET OPER EXP EXPENSE (COS Check)</b>	\$629,590										
43												
44	<b>TOTAL NOE EXCL BASE FUEL &amp; EXT TRANSM</b>	\$405,967	\$1,510,030									
45												
46	<b>TOTAL NET OPER EXP EXCL FUEL, EXT TRANSM, SERVICES, METERS, MET LTG &amp; CUST DIST</b>	\$232,829	\$1,496,346									
47												
48												
49												
50	Notes:											
51	(1) Production kWh charge excludes peak production and base fuel expenses.											
52	(2) Transmission kWh charge excludes external transmission expenses.											
53	(3) Distribution kWh charge excludes services, meters, and meter reading expenses.											
54	(4) Detail Net Operating Expense (NOE) from Workpaper 4											
55	(5) kWh Sales are actual consumption for these units. The kWh for customer owned are not included in COS model in the lighting rate but are booked in class where owned											
56	(6) Metered Unit Cost includes Net Operating Expenses associated with only metered units											
57	(7) Net Operating Expense (NOE) exclude Ad Valorem Expenses											
58												

SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXP CHARGES			
	RATE 19 PER KWH UNMETERED	RATE 19 PER KWH METERED	RATE 56 PER KWH CO OWNED
PRODUCTION (1)	\$0.00942		\$0.00779
TRANSMISSION (2)		\$0.00092	\$0.00076
DISTRIBUTION (3)	\$0.01681		\$0.01299
REDDY-GUARD LIGHTING	\$0.03707	\$0.03355	\$0.00000
HIGHWAY, ST, & SGNL LTG	\$0.00000		\$0.13351
TOTAL OPERATING EXP	\$0.06422	\$0.03355	\$0.15505

Note: kWh charge rounded to 5 decimals.

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TABLE 11B - FUNCTIONAL NET OPERATING EXPENSE DETAIL AND UNIT COSTS (CUSTOMER OWNED)

Line No.	A	B TOTAL RATE 56 STREET LTG OPER EXP	C CUST OWNED RATE 56 STREET LTG OPER EXP	E RATE 56 CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION EXPENSE	F RATE 56 TOTAL LIGHTING NOE (4)	G RATE 56 CUST OWNED SALES KWH (5)	H RATE 56 UNIT NOE COSTS PER KWH
1	<b>PRODUCTION</b>						
2	PRODUCTION EXPENSE	\$445,307	\$56,326				
3	BASE FUEL	\$359,275	\$45,444				
4	= BASE AND ENERGY	\$86,031	\$10,882	\$716	\$11,598	2,108,406	\$0.00550
5							
6							
7	<b>TRANSMISSION</b>						
8	TRANSMISSION	\$8,438	\$1,067	\$70	\$1,138	2,108,406	\$0.00054
9	EXTERNAL TRANSMISSION	\$164,796	\$20,845				
10							
11	<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>						
12	PRIMARY SUBSTATIONS	\$21,837	\$2,762	\$182	\$2,944	2,108,406	\$0.00140
13							
14	PRIMARY LINES	\$71,083	\$8,991	\$592	\$9,583	2,108,406	\$0.00455
15							
16	SECONDARY LINES	\$38,657	\$4,890	\$322	\$5,212	2,108,406	\$0.00247
17							
18	LINE TRANSFORMERS	\$11,893	\$1,504	\$99	\$1,603	2,108,406	\$0.00076
19							
20	SERVICES	\$0	\$0				
21							
22	METERS	\$0	\$0				
23							
24	<b>LIGHTING</b>						
25	REDDY-GUARD - UNMETERED	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0.00000
26	REDDY-GUARD - METERED						
27	HIGHWAY, STREET, & AREA LIGHTING	\$1,288,503	\$0	\$0	\$0	2,108,406	\$0.00000
28	TOTAL LIGHTING	\$1,288,503	\$0				
29							
30	TOTAL DIST OPERATING EXP EXPENSE	\$1,431,973	\$18,147	\$1,195	\$19,342		
31	TOT DIST EXCL SERV, METERS, & LTG	\$143,470	\$18,147		\$19,342		
32							
33							
34	<b>CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION</b>						
35	CUSTOMER METER READING	\$0	\$0				
36	CUSTOMER RECORDS	\$3,484	\$441				
37	CUSTOMER SERVICE & INFO	\$12,181	\$1,541				
38	TOTAL CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION	\$15,666	\$1,982				
39	TOTAL CUST DIST EXCL MET READING	\$15,666	\$1,982	\$1,982	\$32,078		
40							
41	<b>TOTAL NET OPER EXP EXPENSE (6)</b>	\$2,066,179	\$98,366				
42	<b>TOTAL NET OPER EXP EXPENSE (Check)</b>	\$2,066,179		\$0			
43							
44	<b>TOTAL NOE EXP EXCL BASE FUEL &amp; EXT TRANSM</b>	\$1,542,108	\$32,078				
45							
46	<b>TOTAL NOE EXCL FUEL, EXTERNAL TRANSM, SERVICES, METERS, &amp; CUSTOMER DIST</b>	\$1,526,442	\$30,096				
47							
48							
49	<b>PERCENT OF CUSTOMER OWNED UNITS</b>		12.65%				
50							
51	Notes:						
52	(1) Production kWh charge excludes fuel expenses.						
53	(2) Transmission kWh charge excludes external transmission expenses.						
54	(3) Distribution kWh charge excludes services, meters, and meter reading expenses.						
55	(4) Detail Net Operating Expense (NOE) from Workpaper 4						
56	(5) Source: Table 13						
57	(6) Net Operating Expense excludes Ad Valorem Expenses						
58							

SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXP CHARGES	
	RATE 56 PER KWH CUST OWNED
PRODUCTION (1)	\$0.00550
TRANSMISSION (2)	\$0.00054
DISTRIBUTION (3)	\$0.00917
REDDY-GUARD LIGHTING	\$0.00000
HIGHWAY, ST, & SGNL LTG	\$0.00000
TOTAL OPERATING EXP	\$0.01521

Note: kWh charge rounded to 5 decimals.

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TABLE 12 - LIGHTING INSTALLED COST ESTIMATES  
LIGHTING SCHEDULE RESULTS FOR GROSS PLANT DERIVATION

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
1	<b>Lights - Street Light and Reddy Guard</b>										
2											
3	<b>Light Fixture</b>	<b>Watt</b>	<b>Fixture Cost</b>	<b>Bulb Cost</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>30.00% Installation Adder</b>	<b>Fixture Cost</b>	<b>Bulb Cost</b>	<b>Total Installed Cost</b>		
4	HPS	35	\$54.18	\$4.96	\$59.14	\$70.43	\$6.45	\$76.88			
5	HPS	50	\$82.09	\$7.52	\$89.61	\$106.72	\$9.77	\$116.49			
6	HPS	100	<b>\$164.18</b>	<b>\$15.03</b>	<b>\$179.21</b>	<b>\$213.43</b>	<b>\$19.54</b>	<b>\$232.97</b>			
7	HPS	150	<b>\$188.38</b>	<b>\$14.49</b>	<b>\$202.87</b>	<b>\$244.89</b>	<b>\$18.84</b>	<b>\$263.73</b>			
8	HPS	250	<b>\$328.16</b>	<b>\$14.77</b>	<b>\$342.93</b>	<b>\$426.61</b>	<b>\$19.20</b>	<b>\$445.81</b>			
9	HPS	400	<b>\$336.78</b>	<b>\$16.10</b>	<b>\$352.88</b>	<b>\$437.81</b>	<b>\$20.93</b>	<b>\$458.74</b>			
10	HPS	250/400	<b>\$451.54</b>	<b>\$16.10</b>	<b>\$467.64</b>	<b>\$587.00</b>	<b>\$20.93</b>	<b>\$607.93</b>			
11	HPS	1000	\$677.31	\$24.15	\$701.46	\$880.50	\$31.40	\$911.90			
12											
13	MV	175	\$264.95	<b>11.36</b>	<b>\$276.31</b>	\$344.43	\$14.77	\$359.20	ED 28 Mogul Base		
14	MV	250	\$287.83	<b>\$10.05</b>	<b>\$297.88</b>	\$374.17	\$13.07	\$387.24	ED 28 Mogul Base		
15	MV	400	\$349.07	<b>\$8.38</b>	<b>\$357.45</b>	\$453.79	\$10.89	\$464.69	BT 37 Mogul		
16	MV	1000	\$496.28	<b>\$25.00</b>	<b>\$521.28</b>	\$645.17	\$32.50	\$677.67	E39 Mogul Base	Ballast Kit \$148.45	
17											
18	MH	175	\$368.57	<b>\$10.72</b>	<b>\$379.29</b>	\$479.14	\$13.94	\$493.08			
19	MH	250/400	<b>\$393.58</b>	<b>\$15.32</b>	<b>\$408.90</b>	\$511.65	\$19.92	\$531.57			
20	MH	400	<b>\$445.23</b>	<b>\$14.12</b>	<b>\$459.35</b>	\$578.80	\$18.36	\$597.16			
21	MH	1000	<b>\$1,064.76</b>	<b>\$34.39</b>	<b>\$1,099.15</b>	\$1,384.19	\$44.71	\$1,428.90			
22											
23											
24											
25											
26	<b>Luminaire (1)</b>	<b>Watt</b>	<b>Luminaire Cost</b>	<b>Eye</b>	<b>Crew with Loaded Capital</b>	<b>Total Installed Cost</b>					
27	LED C	42	<b>\$156.06</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$248.09					
28	LED C	55	<b>\$156.06</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$248.09					
29	LED I	60	<b>\$158.12</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$250.15					
30	LED I	66	<b>\$158.12</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$250.15					
31	LED D	73	<b>\$158.12</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$250.15					
32	LED E	93	<b>\$198.80</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$290.83					
33	LED F	126	<b>\$247.35</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$339.38					
34	LED F Flood	130	<b>\$405.51</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$497.54					
35	LED J	189	<b>\$386.70</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$478.73					
36	LED J Flood	191	<b>\$759.12</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$851.15					
37	LED M	319	<b>\$849.81</b>	<b>\$12.88</b>	\$79.15	\$941.84					
38											
39	<b>Notes</b>										
40	(1) Luminaires include lamp, photovoltaic electric relay (PER), and photocell, A complete lighting unit consisting of light emitting diode (LED)-based light emitting elements and a matched driver together with										
41											
42											
43											
44											
45	<b>Poles</b>										
46		<b>Type</b>	<b>Size (Feet)</b>	<b>2022 Pole Cost</b>	<b>Installation Cost</b>	<b>Total Pole Install</b>		<b>Bracket/Support</b>			
47	Wood		<b>Class 4 / 30'</b>	<b>\$330</b>	\$317	\$647		\$152.89			
48	Wood		<b>Class 4 / 35'</b>	<b>\$422</b>	\$317	\$738		\$152.89			
49	Wood		<b>Class 2 / 40'</b>	<b>\$708</b>	\$317	\$1,025		\$152.89			
50	Wood		<b>Class 2 / 45'</b>	<b>\$862</b>	\$317	\$1,179		\$152.89			
51											
52	Aluminum		<b>Blk Anodized 20'</b>	<b>\$1,579</b>	\$317	\$1,895		\$152.89			
53											
54	Distribution Pole		same as above	<b>\$422</b>	\$317	\$738		\$152.89			
55											
56											
57	<b>Brackets/Support</b>										
58		<b>Feet</b>	<b>2022 Cost</b>	<b>Installed Cost</b>							
59		4	<b>\$58.81</b>	\$76.45							
60		6	<b>\$88.21</b>	\$114.67							
61		8	<b>\$117.61</b>	\$152.89							
62		10	<b>\$243.04</b>	\$315.95							
63											
64											
65	<b>Crew</b>										
66	1.2 hours per light X Journeyman loaded capita		<b>\$79.15</b>								
67											
68											

<b>LEGEND</b>	
HPS	High Pressure Sodium
MV	Mercury Vapor
MH	Metal Halide
LED	Light Emitting Diode

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TABLE 13 - KWH SALES AND UNIT COUNT

Line No.	A Rate Class (1)	D kWh (Meter)	G Average Annual Customers
1	10 - Residential Basic	395,117,244	39,134
2	11 - Residential w/Sp Htg	184,884,645	10,896
3	14 - Residential Sp Htg & Cooling	14,804,756	1,032
4	15 - Residential Dual-Fuel	88,752	7
5	16,18 - Irrigation Interruptible Service	2,645,297	68
6	17 - Irrigation Service	358,611	16
7	21 - Commercial Gen Serv	73,224,645	8,763
8	23 - Commercial Sep Mtr Space Htg	566,638	59
9	24 - Commercial Sp Htg & Cooling	42,249,519	586
10	25 - Commercial All-Inclusive Comm	40,430,746	802
11	33 - Commercial & Industrial	161,418,897	2,095
12	34 - Commercial & Industrial Large	788,770,509	488
13	41 - Municipal Pumping	7,274,425	274
14	19 - Reddy-Guard Lighting	5,041,019	3,363
15	56 - Highway, Street, & Area Lighting	11,867,293	142
16	70 - Controlled Off-Peak	834,798	6
17	Total SD	1,729,577,794	67,730

kWh Source: Table 7						
	Unmetered kWh	Estimated Metered kWh	Total kWh	Total CP	Total Non CP	COS
27	19 - Reddy-Guard Lighting					
28	Input	5,060,641	5,060,641			
29	Mercury Vapor	1,633,437	847,167			
30	Other	3,427,204	1,565,730			
31	Total Reddy-Guard Lighting	5,060,641	5,060,641	297	1,324	5,041,019
32						Does not include 19,622
33						
34		Co Owned kWh	Cust Owned kWh			
35						
36	56 - Highway, Street, & Area Lighting					
37	Input	9,739,184	2,108,406	11,847,590		
38	Mercury Vapor	3,210,282	22,047	3,232,328		
39	Other	6,528,902	2,086,359	8,615,261		
40	Total Highway, Street, & Area Ligh	9,739,184	2,108,406	11,847,590	749	3,117
41						11,867,293
42	Total Lighting					Includes U30-F (19,703)
43	Input	14,799,825	2,108,406	16,908,231		
44	Total Lighting	14,799,825	2,108,406	16,908,231		
45						
46	Total Unmetered kWh			16,908,231		16,908,312
47						
48						
49	Annual Number of Units	Co Owned EOY Units	Cust Owned EOY Units	Total EOY Units		Avg # of Cust COS
50	Source: Table 7					
51	19 - Reddy-Guard Lighting	6,932		6,932		3,363
52	56 - Highway, Street, & Area Ligh	9,910	1,435	11,345		142
53	Total Lighting	16,842	1,435	18,277		3,505

Notes:  
(1) Source file "TY2022 Adjusted NWE SD Elec Embedded ACOS Rev @ 06-09-23.xls"

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**TABLE 14 - LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE (LED) RATE DEVELOPMENT**  
**LAMPS: 120-240 VOLTS**

Line No.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1	<b>PLANT INVESTMENT</b>				4042.9							TOTAL	LUMINAIRE
2		LIFE			BURNING HRS					EFFECTIVE	7.54%	EFFECTIVE	MONTHLY
3		EXPECTANCY				LUMINAIRE	EYE	INSTALL	EQUIPMENT	ACCRURAL	EFFECTIVE	RATE	INVESTMENT
4	LIGHT USE	YEARS	WATTS		KWH/MO	COST \$	COST \$	COST \$	INVEST \$	RATE	ROR	col J + col K	DOLLARS
5													
6	Rate 19 (1)												
7	LED C	20	42		14.15	\$248.09	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$340.12	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.14
8	LED C	20	55		18.53	\$248.09	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$340.12	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.14
9	LED I	20	60		20.21	\$250.15	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$342.18	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.16
10	LED I	20	66		22.24	\$250.15	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$342.18	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.16
11	LED D	20	73		24.59	\$250.15	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$342.18	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.16
12	LED E	20	93		31.33	\$290.83	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$382.86	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.66
13	LED F	20	126		42.45	\$339.38	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$431.41	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$5.25
14	LED F Flood	20	126		42.45	\$497.54	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$589.57	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$7.17
15	LED J	20	189		63.68	\$478.73	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$570.76	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$6.94
16	LED J Flood	20	189		63.68	\$851.15	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$943.18	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$11.47
17	LED M	20	319		107.47	\$941.84	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$1,033.87	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$12.58
18													
19	Rate 56 (2)												
20	LED C	20	42		14.15	\$248.09	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$340.12	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.14
21	LED C	20	55		18.53	\$248.09	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$340.12	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.14
22	LED I	20	60		20.21	\$250.15	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$342.18	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.16
23	LED I	20	66		22.24	\$250.15	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$342.18	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.16
24	LED D	20	73		24.59	\$250.15	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$342.18	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.16
25	LED E	20	93		31.33	\$290.83	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$382.86	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$4.66
26	LED F	20	126		42.45	\$339.38	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$431.41	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$5.25
27	LED J	20	189		63.68	\$478.73	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$570.76	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$6.94
28	LED M	20	319		107.47	\$941.84	\$12.88	\$79.15	\$1,033.87	5.05%	9.54%	14.60%	\$12.58
29													
30													
31													
32	<b>N</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>U</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Z</b>
33	<b>PLANT AND EXPENSE ADDERS</b>												
34				COMPANY OWNED / METERED					CUSTOMER OWNED / COMPANY OWNED UNMETERED				
35				NET OPERATING	TOTAL	ADDERS	TOTAL		NET OPERATING	TOTAL	ADDERS	ADDERS	TOTAL
36				EXPENSE	ADDERS	\$/MONTH	\$/MONTH		EXPENSE	ADDERS	\$/MONTH	\$/MONTH	\$/MONTH
37	LIGHT USE	WATTS	PLANT ADDER (3)	ADDER (4),(5)	PER kWh	col R * col E	col S + col M		PLANT ADDER (6)	ADDER (7)	PER kWh	col X * col E	col Y + col M (1) col Y (2)
38													
39	Rate 19 (1)												
40	LED C	42		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$0.47477	\$4.61		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$1.25	\$5.39
41	LED C	55		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$0.62173	\$4.76		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$1.64	\$5.77
42	LED I	60		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$0.67825	\$4.84		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$1.79	\$5.95
43	LED I	66		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$0.74607	\$4.91		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$1.96	\$6.13
44	LED D	73		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$0.82520	\$4.99		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$2.17	\$6.33
45	LED E	93		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$1.05129	\$5.71		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$2.77	\$7.42
46	LED F	126		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$1.42432	\$6.67		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$3.75	\$9.00
47	LED F Flood	126		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$1.42432	\$8.60		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$3.75	\$10.92
48	LED J	189		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$2.13648	\$9.08		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$5.62	\$12.57
49	LED J Flood	189		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$2.13648	\$13.61		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$5.62	\$17.10
50	LED M	319		\$0.03355	\$0.03355	\$3.60602	\$16.18		\$0.02410	\$0.06422	\$0.08832	\$9.49	\$22.07
51													
52	Rate 56 (2)												
53	LED C	42	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$0.90377	\$5.04		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$0.81	\$0.81
54	LED C	55	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$1.18351	\$5.32		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$1.07	\$1.07
55	LED I	60	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$1.29110	\$5.45		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$1.16	\$1.16
56	LED I	66	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$1.42021	\$5.58		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$1.28	\$1.28
57	LED D	73	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$1.57084	\$5.73		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$1.42	\$1.42
58	LED E	93	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$2.00121	\$6.66		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$1.80	\$1.80
59	LED F	126	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$2.71131	\$7.96		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$2.44	\$2.44
60	LED J	189	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$4.06697	\$11.01		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$3.66	\$3.66
61	LED M	319	\$0.04233	\$0.02154	\$0.06387	\$6.86435	\$19.44		\$0.04233	\$0.01521	\$0.05754	\$6.18	\$6.18
62													
63													
64	Notes												
65	(1) Rate 19 - Ready Guard Compatible												
66	(2) Rate 56 - Company or Customer Owned Highway, Street and Area Lighting Systems Compatible												
67	(3) Adders for Plant Investment exclude peak production, services, meters, and lighting, Table 8. Not applicable to Rate 19 compatible LED lights												
68	(4) Net Operating Expenses adder for Rate 56 compatible units exclude peak production, fuel, services, meters, meter reading and lighting expenses (Table 8)												
69	Net Operating Expenses are calculated using Total Operating Expense less Other Operating Revenue and Wholesale Revenue												
70	(5) Net Operating Expense adders for Rate 19 compatible units include only lighting related expenses												
71	(6) Plant adder includes only production, transmission, and distribution investment, as shown on Table 8												
72	(7) Net Operating Expenses include only production, transmission, and distribution for Rate 56 compatible units and PTD and lighting expense for Rate 19 compatible, Table 8												

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**TABLE WP 1 - SYSTEM OVERALL REVENUE REQUIREMENT DETAILS**

Line No.	PRESENT	BASE INCREASE	PROPOSED
1	GROSS PLANT	\$19,519,156	\$19,519,156
2			
3	TOTAL SALES RATE REVENUES EXCL FUEL (1)	<b>\$119,514,621</b>	<b>25.83%</b>
4			
5	O&M EXCL FUEL	\$87,929,366	\$87,929,366
6			
7	BASE REV W/O O&M	\$31,585,255	\$62,458,930
8			
9	BASE REV TO GROSS PLANT	\$1.61817	\$3.19988
10			
11	TOTAL REVENUE TO GROSS PLANT	\$6.12294	\$7.70465
12			
13			
14			
15			
16			
17			
18			
19			
20	<b>REVIEW</b>		
21			
22	RATE REVENUE FROM COST OF SERVICE MODEL	CURRENT	INCREASE (5)
23	LIGHTING RATE 19 REVENUE	\$570,629	\$125,277
24	LIGHTING RATE 56 REVENUE	\$1,401,401	\$304,644
25	TOTAL LIGHTING REVENUE	\$1,972,030	\$429,921
26			
27			
28	PRESENT RATE REVENUE WITHIN LIGHTING STUDY (2)		Calculated
29	LIGHTING RATE 19 REVENUE (3)	\$572,560	\$123,346
30	LIGHTING RATE 56 REVENUE (4)	\$1,397,779	\$308,266
31	Rate U30 - STKLR (Kaylor Cust Owned)	\$1,635	
32	TOTAL LIGHTING REVENUE	\$1,971,974	\$431,612
33		(\$56)	
34			
35	RATE REVENUE CALCULATED WITH NEW RATES		
36	LIGHTING RATE 19 REVENUE		\$125,279
37	LIGHTING RATE 56 REVENUE		\$304,645
38	TOTAL LIGHTING REVENUE		\$429,924
39			
40	LIGHTING REVENUE DIFFERENCE (Line 25-Line 38)		\$3
41			
42			
43			
44			
45	Notes:		
46	(1) Source for current and proposed rate revenue from file "TY20224 Adjusted NWE SD Elec Embedded ACOS Rev @ 06-09-23.xls"		
47	(2) Source current rate revenues and kWh from Table 7 files "DG1 U10 Reddy - Residential", "DG1 U20 Reddy - Commercial", and "DG1 U:		
48	(3) Source for calculated proposed rate revenue from Tables 1, 2 and 3.		
49	(4) Source for calculated proposed rate revenue from Tables 4, and 5.		
50	(5) Source for Revenue Increase is Row 74 of the Rate Moderation file		







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TABLE WP 2 - LIGHTING SCHEDULE RATE DETAIL

Line No.	Rev Code	Watts/Hour	November 2022 RATE			Cost of Fuel	Ad Valorem	Transm. By Others	Co Own Unit Rate Per Month with Fuel, Ad Valorem, Transm	Cust Owned Unit Rate Per Month with Fuel, Ad Valorem, Transm	End of Year Number of Units	Annual kWh
			Monthly kWh per Unit	Company Owned Rate (Present Rate)	Customer Owned Rate (Present Rate)							
113			<b>Rate U30 - Public Lighting - Unmetered</b>									
114			<b>HPS</b>									
115		4095 HPS 35 WATT - 14 KWH/MO	42	14.07	\$4.000	\$0.285480	\$0.047979	\$0.128459	\$4.46192		0	0
116		5850 HPS 50 WATT - 20 KWH/MO	59	19.77	\$4.150	\$0.401032	\$0.067399	\$0.180454	\$4.79888		0	0
117		11700 HPS 100 WATT - 50 KWH/MO	148	49.58	\$7.430	\$1.005978	\$0.169068	\$0.452665	\$9.05771		0	0
118		17550 HPS 150 WATT - 70 KWH/MO	208	69.68	\$7.750	\$1.413807	\$0.237609	\$0.636178	\$10.03759		4	5,370
119		29250 HPS 250 WATT - 108 KWH/MO	322	107.87	\$10.960	\$2.189582	\$0.367837	\$0.984853	\$14.50137		2	2,706
120		46800 HPS 400 WATT - 166 KWH/MO	496	166.16	\$12.940	\$3.371396	\$0.566006	\$1.517041	\$18.39503		1	2,087
121		117000 HPS 1000 WATT - 390 KWH/MO	1164	389.94	\$27.070	\$7.911883	\$1.329695	\$3.560152	\$39.87173		0	0
122			<b>Mercury Vapor</b>									
123		8750 MV 175 WATT - 72 KWH/MO	216	72.36	\$4.920	\$1.468184	\$0.246748	\$0.660647	\$7.29558		3	2,495
124		12500 MV 250 WATT - 101 KWH/MO	301	100.84	\$6.240	\$2.045942	\$0.343847	\$0.920624	\$9.55041		0	0
125		20000 MV 400 WATT - 159 KWH/MO	474	158.79	\$9.260	\$3.221849	\$0.541474	\$1.449753	\$14.47308		0	0
126		50000 MV 1000 WATT - 380 KWH/MO	1135	380.23	\$17.560	\$7.714765	\$1.296567	\$3.471454	\$30.04279		0	0
127			<b>Metal Halide</b>									
128		15225 MH 175 WATT - 69 KWH/MO	205	68.68	\$5.050	\$1.393416	\$0.234182	\$0.627003	\$7.30460		0	0
129		21750 MH 250 WATT - 97 KWH/MO	290	97.15	\$6.430	\$1.971174	\$0.331282	\$0.886980	\$9.61943		4	4,271
130		34800 MH 400 WATT - 153 KWH/MO	458	153.43	\$9.430	\$3.113095	\$0.523196	\$1.400816	\$14.46711		1	2,087
131			<b>LED</b>									
132		LED - 60	60	20.10	\$8.880	\$0.407829	\$0.068541	\$0.183513	\$9.53988		3	380
133		LED - 73	73	24.46	\$9.344	\$0.496192	\$0.083392	\$0.223274	\$10.14686		1	307
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137			<b>Rate U30 - Public Lighting - Metered</b>									
138			<b>HPS</b>									
139		4095 HPS 35 WATT - 14 KWH/MO	42	14.07					\$3.63		0	0
140		5850 HPS 50 WATT - 20 KWH/MO	59	19.77					\$3.63		0	0
141		11700 HPS 100 WATT - 50 KWH/MO	148	49.58					\$5.00		2	1,190
142		17550 HPS 150 WATT - 70 KWH/MO	208	69.68					\$5.88		2	1,672
143		29250 HPS 250 WATT - 108 KWH/MO	322	107.87					\$7.64		0	0
144		46800 HPS 400 WATT - 166 KWH/MO	496	166.16					\$8.05		0	0
145		117000 HPS 1000 WATT - 390 KWH/MO	1164	389.94					\$14.92		0	0
146			<b>Mercury Vapor</b>									
147		8750 MV 175 WATT - 72 KWH/MO	216	72.36					\$2.31		1	868
148		12500 MV 250 WATT - 101 KWH/MO	301	100.84					\$2.88		0	0
149		20000 MV 400 WATT - 159 KWH/MO	474	158.79					\$3.63		0	0
150		50000 MV 1000 WATT - 380 KWH/MO	1135	380.23					\$7.10		0	0
151			<b>Metal Halide</b>									
152		15225 MH 175 WATT - 69 KWH/MO	205	68.68					\$2.73		0	0
153		21750 MH 250 WATT - 97 KWH/MO	290	97.15					\$6.35		0	0
154		34800 MH 400 WATT - 153 KWH/MO	458	153.43					\$8.05		0	0
155			<b>LED</b>									
156		LED - 60	60	20.10	\$7.860				\$0.00		1	243
157												
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Line No.	Rev Code	Watts/Hour	Monthly kWh per Unit	Company Owned Rate (Present Rate)	Customer Owned Rate (Present Rate)	November 2022 RATE			Co Own Unit Rate Per Month with Fuel, Ad Valorem, Transm	Cust Owned Unit Rate Per Month with Fuel, Ad Valorem, Transm	End of Year Number of Units	2022	2022
						\$0.020296	\$0.003410	\$0.009130					
						Cost of Fuel	Ad Valorem	Transm. By Others					Annual kWh
160		<b>RATE 56 - COMPANY OR CUSTOMER OWNED HIGHWAY, STREET AND AREA LIGHTING SYSTEMS</b>											
161		<b>Rate U30 - Metal Pole Mounting</b>											
162		<b>HPS</b>											
163		5850 HPS 50 WATT - 25 KWH/MO SMM22	74	24.79		\$0.502989	\$0.084534	\$0.226333	\$20.69771	\$1.54386	4		2,486
165		11700 HPS With Pole 100 * WATT - 50 KWH/MO SMM01	148	49.58	\$19.07	\$1.005978	\$0.169068	\$0.452665	\$21.67759	\$3.10771	0		0
166		11700 HPS 100 WATT - 50 KWH/MO SMM02	148	49.58		\$1.005978	\$0.169068	\$0.452665	\$21.67759	\$3.10771	0		5,548
167		17550 HPS With Pole 150 * WATT - 70 K SMM03	208	69.68	\$19.39	\$1.413807	\$0.237609	\$0.636178	\$4.36759	\$15.947	515		411,947
168		17550 HPS 150 WATT - 70 KWH/MO SMM04	208	69.68		\$1.413807	\$0.237609	\$0.636178	\$4.36759	\$15.947	92		80,496
169		29250 HPS With Pole 250 * WATT - 108 SMM05	322	107.87	\$22.01	\$2.188682	\$0.367837	\$0.984853	\$25.55137	\$6.73137	637		848,248
170		29250 HPS 250 WATT - 108 KWH/MO SMM06	322	107.87		\$2.188682	\$0.367837	\$0.984853	\$25.55137	\$6.73137	17		19,098
171		46800 HPS With Pole 400 * WATT - 166 SMM07	496	166.16	\$23.78	\$3.371386	\$0.566606	\$1.517041	\$29.23503	\$10.21503	444		903,995
172		46800 HPS 400 WATT - 166 KWH/MO SMM08	496	166.16		\$3.371386	\$0.566606	\$1.517041	\$29.23503	\$10.21503	562		1,163,436
173		117000 HPS With Pole 1000 * WATT - 3 SMM09	1164	389.94	\$37.74	\$7.911883	\$1.329695	\$3.560152	\$50.54173	\$24.62173	0		0
174		117000 HPS 1000 WATT - 390 KWH/M SMM10	1164	389.94		\$7.911883	\$1.329695	\$3.560152	\$50.54173	\$24.62173	0		0
175		<b>Mercury Vapor</b>											
176		8750 MV With Pole 175 * WATT - 72 KW SMM11	216	72.36	\$11.98	\$1.468184	\$0.246748	\$0.660647	\$14.35558	\$4.51558	0		0
177		8750 MV 175 WATT - 72 KWH/MO SMM12	216	72.36		\$1.468184	\$0.246748	\$0.660647	\$14.35558	\$4.51558	0		0
178		12500 MV With Pole 250 * WATT - 101 K SMM13	301	100.84	\$16.34	\$2.045942	\$0.343847	\$0.920624	\$19.65041	\$6.07041	29		34,404
179		12500 MV 250 WATT - 101 KWH/MO SMM14	301	100.84		\$2.045942	\$0.343847	\$0.920624	\$19.65041	\$6.07041	0		0
180		20000 MV With Pole 400 * WATT - 159 K SMM15	474	158.79	\$18.92	\$3.221849	\$0.541474	\$1.449753	\$24.13308	\$10.05308	7		12,661
181		20000 MV 400 WATT - 159 KWH/MO SMM16	474	158.79		\$3.221849	\$0.541474	\$1.449753	\$24.13308	\$10.05308	0		0
182		50000 MV With Pole 1000 * WATT - 380 SMM17	1135	380.23	\$28.99	\$7.714765	\$1.296567	\$3.471454	\$41.47279	\$21.28279	0		0
183		50000 MV 1000 WATT - 380 KWH/MO SMM18	1135	380.23		\$7.714765	\$1.296567	\$3.471454	\$41.47279	\$21.28279	0		0
184		<b>Metal Halide</b>											
185		21750 MH With Pole 175 * WATT - 69 K SMM19	290	68.68	\$19.20	\$1.393416	\$0.234182	\$0.627003	\$21.45460	\$2.25460	1		1,353
186		20000 MH With Pole 250 * WATT - 97 K SMM20	458	97.15	\$20.55	\$1.971174	\$0.331282	\$0.866980	\$23.73943	\$6.70943	6		12,203
187		8750 MH With Pole 400 * WATT - 153 K SMM21	205	153.43	\$21.55	\$3.113095	\$0.523196	\$1.400816	\$26.58711	\$9.51711	0		0
188		<b>LED</b>											
189		LED - 42 SLM45	42	14.07	\$22.54	\$0.285480	\$0.047979	\$0.128459	\$23.00192	\$1.17090	1		132
190		LED - 51 SLM50	51	17.09	\$21.62	\$0.346655	\$0.058260	\$0.156986	\$22.18290	\$1.63286	4		866
191		LED - 71 SLM07	71	23.79	\$0.85	\$0.482598	\$0.081107	\$0.217157	\$4.3286	\$1.63286	34		10,171
192		LED - 73 SLM53	73	24.46	\$22.56	\$0.496192	\$0.083392	\$0.223274	\$23.96396	\$2.48379	2		548
193		LED - 103 SLM55	103	34.51	\$24.71	\$0.700106	\$0.117662	\$0.315031	\$25.83780	\$2.37280	20		8,477
194		LED - 108 SLM11	108	36.18	\$1.30	\$0.734092	\$0.123374	\$0.330323	\$2.48379	\$2.48379	8		2,679
195		LED - 126 SLM57	126	42.21	\$27.58	\$0.856441	\$0.143936	\$0.385377	\$28.96575	\$7.640	7		640
196		LED - 155 SLM15	143	51.59	\$1.85	\$1.046761	\$0.175922	\$0.471017	\$1.69370	\$10.2139	242		156,588
197		LED - 189 SLM63	189	63.32	\$35.46	\$1.284661	\$0.215904	\$0.578066	\$37.53363	\$20.139	40		20,139
198		LED - 200 SLM20	194	69.01	\$2.47	\$1.400213	\$0.235324	\$0.630061	\$4.73560	\$0.0	0		0
199		LED - 268 SLM22	268	89.78	\$3.22	\$1.821636	\$0.306150	\$0.819691	\$6.16348	\$2.263	2		2,263
200		LED - 278 SLM67	278	93.13	\$38.84	\$1.869608	\$0.317573	\$0.850277	\$41.89946	\$10.570	9		10,570
201		LED - 309 SLM70	309	103.52	\$41.91	\$2.100319	\$0.352986	\$0.945092	\$45.30940	\$15.663	12		15,663
202		LED - 319 SLM75	319	106.87	\$42.90	\$2.168291	\$0.364410	\$0.975677	\$46.40938	\$2.696	2		2,696

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Line No.	Rev Code	Watts/Hour	Monthly kWh per Unit	November 2022 RATE			Co Own Unit Rate Per Month with Fuel, Ad Valorem, Transm	Cust Owned Unit Rate Per Month with Fuel, Ad Valorem, Transm	End of Year Number of Units	Annual kWh
				Company Owned Rate (Present Rate)	Customer Owned Rate (Present Rate)	Cost of Fuel				
				\$0.020296	\$0.003410	\$0.009130	\$0.032830	2022	2022	
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NOTES:  
1. Source file: light2211 rates.xlsx

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**TABLE WP 3 - COMPANY BURNING HOURS**

	<b>Daily</b>	<b>Monthly</b>
1 JANUARY	13.9	430.9
2 FEBRUARY	12.8	358.4
3 MARCH	11.3	350.3
4 APRIL	9.7	291.0
5 MAY	8.4	260.4
6 JUNE	7.7	231.0
7 JULY	8.1	251.1
8 AUGUST	9.2	285.2
9 SEPTEMBER	10.7	321.0
10 OCTOBER	13.3	412.3
11 NOVEMBER	13.6	408.0
12 DECEMBER	14.3	443.3
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14 ANNUAL		4,042.9
15 MONTHLY AVERAGE		336.9
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TABLE WP 4 - NET OPERATING

Line No.	A RATE 19	N Total Other Revenues (Col O + Col P)	O Other Operating Revenues	P Wholesale Revenues
1	Reddy-Guard A&G			
2	<b>PRODUCTION</b>			
3	PRODUCTION EXPENSE			
4	BASE FUEL	\$0	\$0	\$0
5	= BASE	\$1,328	\$1,328	\$0
6				
7				
8	<b>TRANSMISSION</b>			
9	TRANSMISSION	\$6,752	\$6,752	\$0
10	EXTERNAL TRANSMISSION	\$0	\$0	\$0
11				
12	<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>			
13	PRIMARY SUBSTATIONS	\$115	\$115	\$0
14				
15	PRIMARY LINES	\$600	\$600	\$0
16				
17	SECONDARY LINES	\$317	\$317	\$0
18				
19	LINE TRANSFORMERS	\$88	\$88	\$0
20				
21	SERVICES	\$0	\$0	\$0
22				
23	METERS	\$0	\$0	\$0
24				
25	<b>LIGHTING</b>			
26	REDDY-GUARD	\$877	\$877	\$0
27	HIGHWAY, STREET, & AREA			
28	TOTAL LIGHTING			
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30	TOTAL DIST OPERATING EXP EXPENSE			
31	TOT DIST EXCL SERV, METERS, & LTG			
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33				
34	<b>CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION</b>			
35	CUSTOMER METER READING	\$0	\$0	\$0
36	CUSTOMER RECORDS	\$105	\$105	\$0
37	CUSTOMER SERVICE & INFO	\$352	\$352	\$0
38	TOTAL CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION			
39	TOTAL CUST DIST EXCL MET READING			
40		\$0	\$0	\$0
41	<b>TOTAL OPER EXP EXPENSE (2)</b>	\$10,534	\$10,534	\$0
42	<b>TOTAL NOE EXCL AD VALOREM (COS Ck)</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0
43				
44	<b>TOTAL ADJ EXP EXCL BASE FUEL &amp; EXT TRANSM</b>			
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46	<b>TOTAL ADJ EXP EXCL FUEL, EXT TRANSM,</b>			
47	<b>SERVICES, METERS, &amp; CUSTOMER DIST</b>			
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55	Notes:			
56	(1) Customer Owned Operating Expenses exclude O&M Maintenance			
57	(2) Total Operating Expense excludes Ad Valorem			
58	(3) Net Operating Expense (NOE) equals Total Operating Expenses le			
59	(4) Source for Operating Expense data is file TY2014 NWE SD Elec E			
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TABLE WP 4 - NET OPERATING

A		N	O	P
Line No.	RATE 56	Total Other Revenues	Other Operating Revenues	Wholesale Revenues
1	Highway, Street, & Area Lighting A&G	(Col O + Col P)		
2	<b>PRODUCTION</b>			
3	PRODUCTION EXPENSE			
4	BASE FUEL	\$0	\$0	\$0
5	= BASE	\$3,346	\$3,346	\$0
6				
7	<b>TRANSMISSION</b>			
8	TRANSMISSION	\$17,013	\$17,013	\$0
9	EXTERNAL TRANSMISSION	\$0	\$0	\$0
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11				
12	<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>			
13	PRIMARY SUBSTATIONS	\$270	\$270	\$0
14				
15	PRIMARY LINES	\$1,412	\$1,412	\$0
16				
17	SECONDARY LINES	\$746	\$746	\$0
18				
19	LINE TRANSFORMERS	\$208	\$208	\$0
20				
21	SERVICES	\$0	\$0	\$0
22				
23	METERS	\$0	\$0	\$0
24				
25	<b>LIGHTING</b>			
26	REDDY-GUARD			
27	HIGHWAY, STREET, & AREA	\$5,245	\$5,245	\$0
28	TOTAL LIGHTING			
29				
30	TOTAL DIST OPERATING EXP EXPENSE			
31	TOT DIST EXCL SERV, METERS, & LTG			
32				
33				
34	<b>CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION</b>			
35	CUSTOMER METER READING	\$0	\$0	\$0
36	CUSTOMER RECORDS	\$18	\$18	\$0
37	CUSTOMER SERVICE & INFO	\$60	\$60	\$0
38	TOTAL CUSTOMER DISTRIBUTION			
39	TOTAL CUST DIST EXCL MET READING			
40		\$0	\$0	\$0
41	<b>TOTAL OPER EXP EXPENSE (2)</b>	\$28,318	\$28,318	\$0
42	<b>TOTAL NOE EXCL AD VALOREM (COS Ck)</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0
43				
44	<b>TOTAL OPER EXP EXCL BASE FUEL &amp; EXT TRANS</b>			
45				
46	<b>TOTAL OPER EXP EXCL FUEL, EXT TRANSM,</b>			
47	<b>SERVICES, METERS, &amp; CUSTOMER DIST</b>			
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55	Notes:			
56	(1) Net Customer Owned Operating Expenses exclude Lighting Expen			
57	(2) Total Operating Expense excludes Ad Valorem			
58	(3) Net Operating Expense (NOE) equals Total Operating Expenses le			
59	(4) Source for Operating Expense data is file TY2014 NWE SD Elec E			
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**NorthWestern Corporation, dba NorthWestern Energy**  
**Class Cost of Service Study**  
**Income Statement-Present Rates**  
**South Dakota Electric**  
**Test Year Ended December31, 2022**  
**Rate 34 - Large Commercial & Industrial Standby Rate**

Rev Req \$ Equal Claimed ROR	Total Rate 34 Revenue (a)	Production (b)	Transmission (c)	Distribution (d)	Standby Charge Revenues (e)
2 Percentage applied to function		10.00%	10.00%	25.00%	
3					
4 Production	31,948,099	3,194,810			3,194,810
5 Transmission	8,472,183		847,218		847,218
6 Distribution Substations	2,392,285			598,071	598,071
7 Distribution Primary	5,978,876			1,494,719	1,494,719
8 Distribution Secondary	0				
9 Distribution - Transformers (secondary)	1,731,361				
10 Services	658,628				
11 Meters	127,659				
12 Customer Meter Reading	10,785				
13 Customer Records	13,447				
14 Customer Other	756,965				
15 Street Lighting	0				
16 Energy Related	261,980				
17 Fuel	0				
18 External Transmission	0				
19 Ad Valorem	0				
20 Total Rev Claimed ROR	52,352,269	3,194,810	847,218	2,092,790	6,134,818
21					
22 12 CP Rate 34					1,460,016
23 Monthly kW Charge (based on 12CP)		\$2.19	\$0.58	\$1.43	\$4.20 kW
24					
25 12 NCP Rate 34					1,519,200
26 Monthly kW Charge (based on NCP)		\$2.10	\$0.56	\$1.38	\$4.04 kW
27					
28 Billing Demands Rate 34					1,894,141
29 Monthly kW Charge (based on billing demands)		\$1.69	\$0.45	\$1.10	\$3.24 kW
30					
31 All calculations are based on billing demand units					
32					
33 Transmission Rate		\$1.69	\$0.45		\$2.13 kW
34					
35 Distribution Primary Rate		\$1.69	\$0.45	\$0.32	\$2.45 kW
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40 Notes:					
41 Source data is file "TY2022 Adjusted NWE SD Elec Embedded ACOS Rev Adjusted @ 5-31-23.xls", sheet Income Taxes Equal ROR					
42 Line 2 uses estimated forced outage rate of 10% for Production and Transmission.					
43					