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Will Seuffert
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Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
121 7th Place East, Suite 350
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RE: ANSWER TO PETITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION
COMMUNITY SOLAR GARDEN PROGRAM RATE-TRANSITION PROPOSAL WITH
MODIFICATIONS
DOCKET NO. E002/M-13-867

Dear Mr. Seuffert:

Northern States Power Company, doing business as Xcel Energy, submits this Answer to the Petitions for Reconsideration submitted by US Solar and Joint Solar Associations on September 5, 2024.

The Petitioners have not demonstrated any of the established criteria that would warrant the Commission to reconsider its decision: 1) raising new issues not yet considered; 2) presenting new facts not yet in evidence; 3) exposing errors or ambiguities in the underlying order, or 4) otherwise persuading the Commission to reconsider the underlying order.¹ Accordingly, the Company requests that the Commission deny the Petitions for Reconsideration.

¹ In the Matter of Detailing Criteria and Standards for Measuring an Electric Utility's Good Faith Efforts in Meeting the Renewable Energy Objects Under Minn. Stat. § 216.B.1691, ORDER AFTER RECONSIDERATION at 9, Docket No. E999/CI-03-869 (August 13, 2004)

We have electronically filed this document with the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission, and copies have been served on the parties on the attached service list. Please contact Lynnette Sweet at 612-321-3159 or Lynnette.M.Sweet@xcelenergy.com if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/

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