

In the Matter of a Joint Petition for Approval of the Process to Release Whole Building Data to Facilitate Local Residential Rental Ordinance Compliance

**Docket Nos. E,G999/CI-12-1344; E,G999/M-19-505;
E,G002,008/M-21-761**

Commissioner Tuma proposes the following decision option:

Tuma New 4.A. Within _____ months of implementation of the use of confidence intervals as described in the petition, the Utilities shall make a compliance filing in this Docket and in Data Privacy Docket No. 19-505 evaluating 1) the appropriateness of confidence intervals to represent energy use; and 2) the potential for reverse engineering of the confidence intervals or other means to discover private data in any data transfer made by the Utilities. Prior to making the compliance filing the utilities shall have a discussion with the City of Minneapolis, DOC, and OAG regarding any data privacy concerns and whether it would be appropriate to engage a third-party expert to evaluate data privacy protection for utility customers. The compliance filing shall provide a summary of the discussions and recommendations regarding any additional evaluation of Data privacy protection.