

Minnesota Public Utilities Commission

Decisions

Thursday, August 23, 2018

9:30 AM

Large Hearing Room

INTRODUCTION

DECISION ITEMS

1. * E002/M-18-381 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy

In the Matter of Xcel Energy's Solar*Rewards Program and Community Solar Garden Program Tariff Updates.

- Should the Commission approve the proposed updates to Xcel Energy's Solar*Rewards Program and Community Solar Garden Program tariffs?
- Should the Commission take action on the issues with non-tariffed versions of contracts and production meter charges or Xcel Energy's proposed remedy? (PUC: Rosier)

Accepted Xcel's contract corrections and refund plan with compliance filing; required preapproval of customer notification letters.

- 2. ** E002/M-12-1278 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy
 In the Matter of Petition for Approval of an Amendment to a Renewable Development
 Fund (RDF) Standard Grant Contract and a Petition Regarding a Change in Scope of a
 RDF Cycle 4 Grant.
 - What action should the Commission take on Xcel's request to amend an existing RDF grant (EP4-15)?
 - 2. What action should the Commission take on Xcel's request to change the scope of an existing RDF grant (EP4-15)? (PUC: **Martone, Mackenzie**)

Approved contract amendments; permitted grant scope change; required compliance filings.

* E017/M-18-390 Otter Tail Power Company In the Matter of the Petition of Otter Tail Power Company for Approval of the Annual Update to its Renewable Resource Cost Recovery Rider Rate. (PUC: Bender; DOC: Zajicek)

Granted petition.

4. * G002/M- 18-323 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy

In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company for Approval of a Rule Variance to Include the 2018 State of Kansas Storage Tax in the Purchased Gas Adjustment. (PUC: Bartusch; DOC: Morrissey)

Granted variance with conditions.

5. ** G002/M-17-894 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy
In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company for Approval of Deferred
Accounting for Manufactured Gas Plant Clean-Up Costs.

Should the Commission approve Xcel Energy's request for deferred accounting for costs related to the clean-up of two manufactured gas plant sites? (PUC: **Bartusch**, **Alonso**)

Denied request for deferred accounting.

ADJOURNMENT

- * One star indicates agenda item is unusual but is not disputed.
- ** Two stars indicate a disputed item or significant legal or procedural issue to be resolved. (Ex Parte Rules apply)

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