



# Minnesota Public Utilities Commission

## Decisions

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Thursday, September 30, 2021

9:15 AM

Online via Webex

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### INTRODUCTION

### DECISION ITEMS

1.     \*   **IP6646/WS-07-839**                   **Northern States Power Company**  
In the Matter of the Site Permit Amendment Application of Northern States Power Company for the Grand Meadow Wind Farm Repower Project in Mower County, Minnesota.

Should the Commission grant the site permit amendments as requested? (PUC: **Panait**)

**Authorized issuance of an amended site permit.**

2.     \*   **G011/D-20-515**                   **Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation**  
In the Matter of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation Petition for Approval for its Annual Review of Depreciation Rates for 2020.

Should the Commission approve MERC's Annual Review of its Depreciation Rates for 2020 effective January 1, 2020? (PUC: **Worlobah, Hetherington**)

**Approved depreciation parameters.**

3.     \*\*   **E017/M-21-201;**                   **Otter Tail Power Company**  
          **E,G999/CI-20-492**  
In the Matter of a Proposal by Otter Tail Power for Authorization to Recover Costs for Investments that May Assist in Minnesota's Economic Recovery from the COVID-19 Pandemic;  
In the Matter of an Inquiry into Utility Investments that May Assist in Minnesota's Economic Recovery from the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Should the Commission approve Otter Tail Power Company's proposal for authorization to recover costs for investments that may assist in Minnesota's economic recovery from the COVID-19 Pandemic? (PUC: **Bahn**)

**Denied petition.**

4.     **\*\* E002/M-20-812                      Northern States Power Compaby d/b/a Xcel Energy**  
In the Matter of the Xcel Energy 2020 Hosting Capacity Report Under Minn. Stat.  
§216B.2425, Subd. 8.

Should the Commission accept or take some other action on Xcel Energy's 2020  
Hosting Capacity Analysis Report? (PUC: **DeBleeckere**)

**Accepted report and set additional requirements.**

### **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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