



March 6, 2015

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Daniel P. Wolf Executive Secretary Minnesota Public Utilities Commission 121 7th Place East, Suite 350 St. Paul, MN 55101

RE: MONTHLY UPDATES

COMMUNITY SOLAR GARDENS DOCKET NO. E002/M-13-867

Dear Mr. Wolf:

Northern States Power Company, doing business as Xcel Energy, submits the attached information in compliance with Order Point 3 of the Commission's February 13, 2015 Order addressing SoCore Energy's Petition for Clarification submitted in the above-noted docket.

Per Commission Order, the Company will file monthly updates on the status of the initial cohort of 427 solar garden applications, reflecting the following information: the number of initial solar garden applications commissioned and/or still active and related MW capacity, categorized by county.

The Company notes that the original cohort of 427 applications was based on a snapshot of data pulled on December 31, 2014. To clarify, we note the original data set included two invalid entries. Therefore, future compliance filings will track an initial cohort of 425 applications. We will collect a snapshot of the status of these initial 425 applications on the last Friday of every month and file this status within approximately one week from the data collection. For this filing, we have used a date of February 27, 2015.

Applications are processed within our online application and subscriber management tool. The online tool also allows the Company to track and monitor applications as they move through the application process. Both the Company and Garden Operators manage applications by making ongoing adjustments and

additions during early stages of application. Additionally, new applications can be submitted at any time. We acknowledge this process, to note the nature of a "snapshot" in time as data could adjust quickly.

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 Jessica Peterson at <u>Jessica.K.Peterson@xcelenergy.com</u> or 612-330-6850 if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/

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Enclosures c: Service List Attachment



Solar*Rewards Community

Monthly Report of Initial Cohort

At a Glance (as of 2/27/15)

Initial Cohort Withdrawn 425 Applications, 418 MW 16 Applications, 16 MW

Initial Cohort Status

			Application Status								
			Fees Pai	id	Application in	Review	Deemed Cor	mplete	Approved		
County	Submitted Applications	MW	Number of Applications	MW	Number of Applications	MW	Number of Applications	MW	Number of Applications	MW	
Carver	5	5.00	0	0	1	0.998	4	4	0	0	
Chisago	11	11.00	1	1.00	0	0	10	10	0	0	
Dakota	118	117.34	2	2.00	42	41.5	74	73.843	0	0	
Dodge	7	6.89	0	0	0	0	7	6.888	0	0	
Douglas	2	1.90	1	0.95	1	0.95	0	0	0	0	
Freeborn	1	0.95	0	0	1	0.95	0	0	0	0	
Goodhue	10	9.68	3	2.85	3	2.898	4	3.936	0	0	
Hennepin	5	1.94	2	1.75	3	1.93	0	0	0	0	
Le Sueur	4	3.80	3	2.85	1	0.95	0	0	0	0	
McLeod	3	3.00	3	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Pope	13	12.56	2	1.56	0	0	11	11	0	0	
Rice	12	12.00	0	0	12	12	0	0	0	0	
Sherburne	60	59.98	0	0	50	50.04	10	9.938	0	0	
Stearns	26	25.90	2	1.90	0	0	24	24	0	0	
Steele	3	2.85	2	1.90	1	0.95	0	0	0	0	
Washington	10	10.00	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	0	
Watonwan	2	1.06	0	0	2	1.059	0	0	0	0	
Winona	4	3.87	0	0	2	1.896	2	1.968	0	0	
Wright	113	112.54	2	1.60	60	59.92	51	50.98	0	0	
Total	409	402.26	23	21.36	179	176.04	207	206.55	0	0	



Notes:

- In order to be included in the initial cohort of applications, an application must have been received by our application system by 12/30/2014. Please note the original 427 Applications included 2 test applications in our system those have been removed.
- Submitted Applications include the initial cohort subtracting those withdrawn.
- Fees Paid notes applicants who have paid fees and need to submit further data to enter into application review.
- Applications that do not fall into one of the application status columns have not paid application or deposit fees.
- In Review projects are being reviewed on the merits identified within our Section 9 Tariff.
- Projects *Deemed Complete* are now in the "interconnection queue" as defined by Commission Order dated Feb. 13, 2015 and referenced in our Section 9 Tariff.
- **Approved** projects have completed all requirements of our Section 10 Tariff and have received approval for interconnection. These projects are awaiting final construction to begin crediting customers.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Tiffany Hughes, hereby certify that I have this day served copies of the foregoing document on the attached list of persons.

- <u>xx</u> by depositing a true and correct copy thereof, properly enveloped with postage paid in the United States mail at Minneapolis, Minnesota
- xx electronic filing

Docket No. E002/M-13-867

Dated this 6th day of March 2015

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