

Public Utilities Commission

Agenda

Thursday, May 2, 2013

9:30 AM start time

Utilities represented: Telecom, Electricity, Energy Facilities

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DELIBERATION ITEMS

No Items

DECISION ITEMS

***1 P999/PR-13-5; Department of Commerce/TAM (Telecommunications
P999/M-13-138 Access Minnesota**

In the Matter of DOC/TAM's 2012 Annual Report;
In the Matter of DOC/TAM's FY 2014 Proposed Budget and Surcharge Recommendation.

1. Should the Commission accept TAM's 2012 Annual Report?
2. Should the Commission approve TAM's proposed budget for FY 2014?
3. Should the Commission approve the proposed retention of the TAM surcharge at \$0.06? (PUC: **Brion**)

****2 E015/CG-11-1073 Minnesota Power**

In the Matter of the Petition by Highwater Wind LLC and Gadwall Wind LLC for Resolution of a Cogeneration and Small Power Production Dispute with Minnesota Power under Minn. Stat. § 216B.164, Subd. 5.

Should the Commission rehear, reconsider and/or clarify its February 25, 2013 Order?
(PUC: **Kaml, Gonzalez**)

The Commission has the authority to accept or decline a petition for reconsideration with or without a hearing or oral argument. (Minnesota Rules 7829.3000, Subpart 6) In other words, a decision on a petition for reconsideration can be made without taking oral comments at the Commission meeting. If you have questions about this particular docket, please contact Clark Kaml or Janet Gonzalez.

****3 IP6701/CN-09-1186; New Era Wind Farm, LLC
IP6701/WS-08-1233;
E002/M-09-1349;
E002/M-09-1350**

In the Matter of AWA Goodhue, LLC's Certificate of Need and Site Permit for a 78
Megawatt Large Energy Facility in Goodhue County;
In the Matter of Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy's Power Purchase Agreements
with Goodhue Wind, LLC.

What action should the Commission take regarding the New Era Wind Project?
(PUC: **DeBleeckere**)

*** 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)**