

Public Utilities Commission

Agenda

Thursday, November 14, 2013

9:30 AM start time

Utilities represented: Telecom, Electricity, Natural Gas

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DELIBERATION ITEMS

No Items

DECISION ITEMS

***1 P6898/M-12-1153 TAG Mobile, LLC Approved**

In the Matter of the Petition of TAG Mobile, LLC (TAG) for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) in Minnesota.

Should the Commission approve TAG's petition for ETC designation?
(PUC: [Briefing Papers](#) - O'Grady)

2 E002/M-13-906 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy Approved

Xcel Energy's request for approval of modifications to its Hiawatha Light Rail Line Tariff.
(PUC: Bahn; DOC: [Comments](#) - Peirce) **NOTE:** Staff agrees with DOC recommendations.

3 E,G999/CI-08-133 Minnesota Power Approved

Modifications to Minnesota Power's Shared Savings DSM Financial Incentive Mechanism.
(PUC: Mackenzie; DOC: [Comments](#) / [MP Reply Comments](#) - Davis) **NOTE:** Staff agrees with DOC recommendations.

4 E002/M-13-247 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy Approved

Petition of Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy for Approval of an Electric Conservation Improvement Program (CIP) Adjustment. (PUC: Mackenzie; DOC: [Comments](#) / [Supplemental Comments](#) - Davis) **NOTE:** Staff agrees with DOC recommendations.

****5 G011/GR-13-617 Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation (MERC) Rates suspended; interim rates set; referred to OAH**

In the Matter of the Application by MERC for Authority to Increase Natural Gas Rates in Minnesota.

Should this filing be accepted, the proposed rates suspended, this matter referred to the Office of Administrative hearings, and interim rates set as requested by the Company? (PUC: [Briefing Papers](#) - Bahn, Bender, Brill, Kaml, Schwieger, Harding)

***6 G011/MR-13-732 Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation (MERC) Approved petition; required updated commodity cost of gas info during rate case**

In the Matter of the Petition of Minnesota Energy Resources Corporation for Approval of a New Base Gas Cost for Interim Rates.

Should the Commission approve the proposed new base cost of gas? (PUC: [Briefing Papers](#)- Brill)

***7 E002/GR-12-961 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy Approved; additional requirements set**

In the Matter of the Application of Northern States Power Company for Authority to Increase Rates for Electric Service in the State of Minnesota.

Should the Commission approve Xcel Energy's rate case compliance filing? (PUC: Harding; DOC: [Comments](#) / [Xcel Reply Comments](#) - Lusti)

***8 E002/CI-13-754 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy Investigation proposal approved; referred to OAH**

In the Matter of a Commission Investigation into Xcel Energy's Monticello Life Cycle Management/Extended Power Uprate Project and Request for Recovery of Cost Overruns

Should the Commission refer this matter to the Office of Administrative Hearings for a contested case proceeding? (PUC: [Briefing Papers](#) - Harding, Dasinger, Kaluzniak)

****9 E002/RP-13-368 Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy Additional comments to be received; resource plan deferred.**

In the Matter of Xcel Energy's Sherco Life Cycle Management Study / 2014 Integrated Resource Plan.

Does Xcel's Sherco Life Cycle Management Study comply with the Commission's order in the Company's 2011 resource plan? (PUC: [Briefing Papers - Stalpes](#))

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- ** Two stars indicate a disputed item or significant legal or procedural issue to be resolved.
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