

July 31, 2015

via US Mail

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen South Dakota Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building Pierre, SD

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Pursuant to Section No. 3, Sheet No. 33.1 (5) of NorthWestern's Electric Tariff, enclosed is 288th Revised Sheet No. 33a and 69th Revised Sheet No. 33b.

Sheet Nos. 33a and 33b reflect changes in the delivered cost of fuel, delivered cost of energy and ad valorem taxes paid to be effective August 2, 2015.

The effect of Sheet Nos. 33a and 33b for a typical Rate 10 residential service customer using 750 Kwh per month would be an increase in the monthly cost of \$2.03. The new monthly cost effective August 2, 2015 is \$93.95. This includes the interim rate increase that became effective July 1, 2015.

Should you have any questions regarding the above changes, please advise.

Sincerely,

Jeff J. Decker Regulatory Specialist jeff.decker@northwestern.com 0 605-353-8315

## SOUTH DAKOTA ELECTRIC RATE SCHEDULE

NORTHWESTERN CORPORATION d/b/a NORTHWESTERN ENERGY SIOUX FALLS		Section No. 3 Sheet No. 33a
SOUTH DAKOTA	Canceling 287th Revised	Sheet No. 33a
ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE RATES		Per KWH
	,	<u>Per Month</u>
Delivered Cost of Energy - Energy Charge:		
Rate No. 10 - Residential Service		\$0.00189
Rate No. 11 - Residential Service with Space He	ating	\$0.00189
Rate No. 14 - Residential Space Heating and Co	oling	\$0.00189
Rate No. 15 - Residential Dual Fuel and Controlle	ed Services	\$0.00189
Rate No. 16 - Interruptible Irrigation Service		\$0.00205
Rate No. 17 - Irrigation Service		\$0.00205
Rate No. 18 - Off Peak Irrigation Service		\$0.00205
Rate No. 21 - General Service		\$0.00205
Rate No. 23 - Commercial Water Heating		\$0.00205
Rate No. 24 - Commercial Space Heating and Co	poling	\$0.00205
Rate No. 25 - All-Inclusive Commercial Service		\$0.00205
Rate No. 41 - Municipal Pumping Service		\$0.00172
Rate No. 70 - Controlled Off Peak Service		
Rate No. 19 - Reddy-Guard, Rate No. 56 - Street	t and Area Lighting	\$0.00189
		Per KW
		Per Month
Delivered Cost of Energy - Demand Charge:		
Rate No. 33 - Commercial and Industrial Service		\$0.44
Rate No. 34 - Large Commercial and Industrial S	ervice	\$0.44

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Service on or after Effective Date: <u>August 2, 2015</u> Issued By:<u>Jeff Decker, Specialist Regulatory</u>

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NORTHWESTERN CORPORATION d/b/a NO SIOUX FALLS	RTHWESTE	RN ENERGY 69th Revised	<u>sed</u> Sheet No. 33b
SOUTH DAKOTA	Canceling_	68th Revised	
ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE RATES (cont'd)		<del></del>	Per KWH
			Per Month
<u> Ad Valorem Taxes Paid - Energy Charge</u>			
Rate No. 10 - Residential Service			\$0.00366
Rate No. 11 - Residential Service with Space I			
Rate No. 14 - Residential Space Heating and (			
Rate No. 15 - Residential Dual Fuel and Contro			\$0.00366
Rate No. 16 - Interruptible Irrigation Service			\$0.00398
Rate No. 17 - Irrigation Service			
Rate No. 18 - Off Peak Irrigation Service			
Rate No. 21 - General Service			\$0.00398
Rate No. 23 - Commercial Water Heating			
Rate No. 24 - Commercial Space Heating and			
Rate No. 25 - All-Inclusive Commercial Service			\$0.00398
Rate No. 41 - Municipal Pumping Service			
Rate No. 70 - Controlled Off Peak Service			•
Rate No. 19 - Reddy-Guard, Rate No. 56 - Stre	eet and Area	Lighting	\$0.00371
			Per KW
			Per Month
Ad Valorem Taxes Paid - Demand Charge:			
Rate No. 33 - Commercial and Industrial Servi			•
Rate No. 34 - Large Commercial and Industria	Service	••••••	\$0.86
			Per KWH
			Per Month
Delivered Cost of Fuel - All Energy Usage:			
All Rate Schedules		•••••	\$0.02917