



Meeting The Need

Working to provide a unique lodging experience for people with disabilities.
Helping to fill the need for special equipment for people with disabilities

To: South Dakota Public Utilities
From: Meeting the Need

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We have received our new Black Hills Power & Light bill with the so called needed rate increase.

We are a small non-profit facility for people with special needs (brochure included). These higher rates will put us out of business. We have a couple of buildings that use a small amount of electricity and they put the monthly customer charge of \$19.50 per meter per month. We had to shut off one of the meters because of this uncalled for monthly fee.

At a time when the economy is as bad as it is, they picked a very bad time to start this increase.

You people need to do something about this.

Very sincerely

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