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**Subject: Northwestern's request for a rate increase** 

Dear Mr Nelson, I strongly recommend that northwestern is turned down for the rate increase in the amount that they are requesting. In a state like South Dakota where the consumer has few choices it is very important that the people that represent us like yourself do a good job of protecting us against corporate. I strongly recommend and hope that you will read the October issue of consumers report, the article on page 38 is entitled power struggles and it goes right to the heart of the matter thank you for your consideration. Kirk & Ophelia Breisch