

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY) MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY FOR) THE APPROVAL OF ENERGY) EFFICIENCY PLAN FOR 2018-2022)	ORDER APPROVING ENERGY EFFICIENCY PLAN FOR 2018-2022 GE17-002
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On July 31, 2017, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) requesting approval of the company's proposed Energy Efficiency Plan (EEP) for 2018 through 2022. Along the with EEP, MidAmerican filed supporting information that included benefit-cost analysis and estimated bill impacts.

On August 3, 2017, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of August 18, 2017, to interested individuals and entities on the Commission's PUC Weekly Filings electronic listserv. No petitions to intervene or comments were received. On November 13 and December 12, 2017, MidAmerican responded to staff's data request. On December 14, 2017, MidAmerican filed supplemental responses to staff's data requests.

The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-34A, specifically 49-34A-6, 49-34A-8, 49-34A-8.2, 49-34A-8.4, 49-34A-10, 49-34A-11.

At its regularly scheduled meeting on December 19, 2017, this matter came before the Commission for consideration and action. Staff recommended that the Commission approve MidAmerican's proposed EEP for 2018-2022. Finding that MidAmerican's EEP for 2018-2022 meets the standards set forth in SDCL 49-34A-8, 49-34A-8.2, and 49-34A-8.4 and is just and reasonable, the Commission voted unanimously to approve MidAmerican's Energy Efficiency Plan for 2018-2022. It is therefore

ORDERED, that MidAmerican's 2018-2022 Energy Efficiency Plan is approved.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 20th day of December 2017.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, electronically or by mail.
By: <u><i>Annurde Hnecke</i></u>
Date: <u>12/20/17</u>
(OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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KRISTIE EIEGEN, Chairperson

Gary Hanson

GARY HANSON, Commissioner

Chris Nelson

CHRIS NELSON, Commissioner