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IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY
NORTHERN STATES POWER FOR
APPROVAL OF A PROPOSED MOVE
TO A SURCHARGE METHOD OF
RECOVERING STREET LIGHT
COSTS FOR WINFRED, SD

Public Utilities Commission of the State of South Dakota

DATE

MEMORANDUM

9/17 95 NSP - withdrawal of filing;
12/25 95. Case Granted withdrawal of license, tariff pace + Closing Docket;



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Oct. 16, 1995

Mr. William Bullard, Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
State Capitol Building
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-5070

Dear Mr. Bullard:

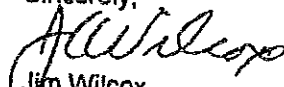
NSP requests the Commission withdraw our petition of Docket EL95-020 - a surcharge method of recovering street light costs for Winfred, SD.

Subsequent to our filing, NSP has met with Commission Staff and Community leaders. At this meeting it was determined that there were enough residents interested in retaining street lights in Winfred that we have been able to assign each of the 26 street lights to volunteer customers. The tariff we plan to bill these customers can be found on NSP Tariff sheet number 19 in Section 3 of the NSP South Dakota Rate Book - Automatic Protective Lighting Service. The rate is a flat monthly non-metered rate of \$6.50 per light listed under the 100 Watt High Pressure Sodium row.

Please call me at 339-8350 with any questions.

Thank you.

Sincerely,


Jim Wilcox

c. Mike Hanson

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UTILITIES COMMISSION

Dear Mr. Bullard:

The town of Winfred, South Dakota has unincorporated. NSP serves 26 street lights that the township will no longer have a budget to pay for. NSP personnel have surveyed the 46 accounts in Winfred to determine their interest in retaining their street lights by agreeing to pay a surcharge on their electric bill. The customers of Winfred have responded; 27 accounts indicated in the affirmative, 12 indicated negative, and 7 abstained.

The basis for our proposed monthly \$5.60 per account charge is 26 lights times \$9.90 per month (the overhead rate for 100 watt high pressure sodium, section 3 sheet 44) divided by the 46 accounts.

Also enclosed please find a proposed revised tariff page for section 3 revised sheet 56.

NSP respectfully requests approval of this proposed move to a surcharge method of recovering street light costs for the township of Winfred, SD.

Thank You

Sincerely,


Jim Wilcox

cc: Michael J. Hanson

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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY (MINNESOTA)
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55401
South Dakota Electric SDPUC No. 1

Section No: 3
Proposed 6th Revised Sheet No: 56
Cancelling 5th Revised Sheet No: 56

SURCHARGE RIDER

A surcharge as designated will be included in the monthly bills computed under the Residential Service, Residential Time of Day Service, Residential Service - Underground, Residential Time of Day Service - Underground, Small General Service, and Small General Time of Day Service rate schedules effective in the following South Dakota communities:

Fedora (U)	\$3.85
Forestburg (Logan Township) (U)	\$5.25
Winfred (U)	\$5.60

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By: Michael J. Hanson
General Manager & Chief Executive

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