

OTTER TAIL POWER COMPANY  
 Docket No: EL14-090

Response to: South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
 Analyst: SDPUC Staff  
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Information Request:

Provide the docket numbers and a brief description of filings in other state jurisdictions where OTP has or is seeking recovery as part of a general rate case or outside of a general rate case for the costs proposed for recovery in this rider. Also, identify which projects are included in each filing.

Attachments: 0

Response:

The following table provides a summary list of the projects currently included (or proposed to be included) in the South Dakota Transmission Cost Recovery Rider and the corresponding status of those projects in Otter Tail's Minnesota and North Dakota Transmission Cost Recovery Riders. None of the projects are included in base rates in the other jurisdictions. There are no general rate cases underway in the other jurisdictions. Docket numbers of the most recent transmission rider filing in each state are located in the table header.

Project	South Dakota EL14-090 (Open Docket)	Minnesota E017/M-14-375 (Open Docket)	North Dakota PU-14-690 (Open Docket)
CAPX 2020 Fargo - Monticello	X	X	X
CAPX 2020 Bemidji - Grand Rapids	X	X	X
CAPX 2020 Cass Lake - Nary - Helga- Bemidji	X	X	X
Rugby Wind Interconnection	X	Not Included	X
Casselton - Buffalo 115 kV	X	Not Included	X
Oakes Area Transmission	X	Not Included	X
CAPX 2020 Brookings - Hampton	X (Proposed)	X	X
NERC Compliance	X (Proposed)	Not Included	X

X = Included in the rider

Statutes in each state, along with each State's Commission interpretations of those state statutes and related Commission Orders, determine which projects are eligible for recovery in transmission riders. As a result, eligibility for rider recovery varies between South Dakota, Minnesota, and North Dakota.