

**BLACK HILLS POWER, INC.**

SD PUC DOCKET: EL14-038

REQUEST DATE : August 8, 2014

RESPONSE DATE : August 14, 2014

REQUESTING PARTY: SDPUC Staff

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**SDPUC Request No. 1-11:**

Please provide supporting information for setting the \$50 incentive level for the residential appliance recycling program. Supporting information should identify that the incentive level is reasonable and also include energy savings algorithms used.

**Response to SDPUC Request No. 1-11:**

The Appliance Recycling Program incentive is set at a similar level as other utilities across the country. Fifty dollars has become the standard rebate for recycling programs across the country. Please see Attachment 1-11 for Appliance Recycling rebate incentives from across the country.

Attachment 1-9 provides the savings algorithms for each of the measure included in the program.

**Attachments: Attachment 1-11 Appliance Recycling Rebates**