

# SOUTH DAKOTA ELECTRIC RATE BOOK

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## **RENEWABLE READY SERVICE**

## **AVAILABLE**

This rate schedule is available to qualifying customer(s) wishing to participate in a renewable energy option on a voluntary basis. Subscribing customers shall commit to renewable energy for no less than five (5) years at any point on the Company's transmission and distribution facilities ("Renewable Ready Service"). Customers taking service under this rate schedule will enter into an agreement related to service under the rate schedule (the "Renewable Ready Subscriber Agreement").

## APPLICABLE

Renewable Ready Service is available for Black Hills Power, Inc. d/b/a Black Hills Energy (the "Company") customers with an aggregate usage of 300,000 kWh or more per year and governmental accounts.

## CHARACTER OF SERVICE

Customers taking service under this tariff will subscribe to a portion of the energy generated by the Company's Renewable Ready Generating Capacity by agreeing to the terms and conditions of the Renewable Ready Subscriber Agreement, which will include, among other things, the obligation to pay the Renewable Ready Charge -and to receive a Renewable Ready Credit.

The Company will work with each subscriber to determine an appropriate portion of the energy generated by the Company's Renewable Ready Generating Capacity to place under the Renewable Ready Subscriber Agreement.

#### RENEWABLE READY GENERATING CAPACITY

The Company may acquire up to 32.5 MWs of renewable generation ("Renewable Ready Generating Capacity") for the provision of renewable energy to Renewable Ready Service Tariff subscribers.

#### **RENEWABLE READY APPLICATION FEE**

A customer seeking Renewable Ready Service shall pay a \$500 non-refundable application fee.

#### DETERMINATON OF MONTHLY RENEWABLE READY GENERATION

Subscriber's bill will reflect its subscribed share of the actual kilowatt hours generated by the Renewable Ready Generating Capacity ("Renewable Ready Energy") from the most recent calendar month.