

Docket Number: EL20-014  
Subject Matter: First Data Request  
Request to: NorthWestern Energy  
Request from: South Dakota Public Utilities Staff  
Date of Request: May 22, 2020  
Responses Due: June 5, 2020

1-1. Provide details on the mission statement or purpose of the following organizations:

- a. Clark Area Chamber of Commerce  
Add Value and create a stable business organizational environment that is able to react to changes in economy while becoming partners in leading the Clark community and local trade area into the future.
- b. Willow Lake Area Advancement/City of Willow Lake  
Willow Lake Area Advancement (WLAA) oversees the Business Fund Development which is an economic development group that reinvests money generated by Lake Grocery, its community-owned grocery store, into the larger business community

1-2. Why are these organizations not included for the 2020 Proposed Budget?

- a. Mt. Vernon Economic Development Assn.  
The 2019 contribution to the Mt. Vernon Economic Development Association was for its capital campaign. The capital campaign will not continue in 2020.

1-3. Attachment B appears to have different budget amounts for the Huron Chamber and Visitors Bureau and the Mitchell Area Chamber of Commerce than what was approved in last year's docket. Additionally, a budget for YES Yankton Economic Success should also be included in Attachment B. Please correct.

Please see the attached updated Attachment B for Docket EL20-014.