

OTTER TAIL POWER COMPANY
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Response to: SD Public Utilities Commission
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Data Request:

Explain how these proposed tariff revisions will help ensure Otter Tail receives appropriate revenue from Real Time Pricing customers to recover the costs caused by these customers.

Attachments: 0

Response:

As a matter of record, Otter Tail believes it provided a response to this question in our initial filing, Section II (D). Nonetheless, we are providing a succinct summary response specifically referencing Attachment 1 changes:

1. The proposed Section 14.02 tariff red-line revisions on page 2 of 6, provide similar facilities revenue recovery like other customers, and
2. The proposed tariff revisions on page 4 of 6 (item 5) and page 6 of 6 (item 3), provide additional clarity for both customer and company regarding what will occur if additional facilities are added and how costs will be recovered, which will be directly through the rate design structure, similar to other customers on other applicable rate schedules.

For reference, an updated copy of the Section 14.02 tariff is included as Attachment 1 to Data Request SD-PUC-01.06 in this proceeding reflecting changes approved in Docket EL23-022, effective October 1, 2023.