From: Nelson, Chris

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To: Julie Large

Cc: Van Gerpen, Patty

Subject: RE: [EXT] 20% increase

Xcel has filed a rate case requesting a 17.9% increase in revenue. The PUC has suspended that rate increase. The PUC has up to one year to review the financial data from the company to determine what, if any, increase is required by law.

Your email and my response will be posted in the Xcel rate docket so that it is available to the other commissioners, the company, and the public.

Sincerely,

Chris Nelson

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