

South Dakota Public Utilities Commission  
Docket GE20-002  
MidAmerican Energy Company  
First Data Requests

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For each response where it is necessary, separate amount between Natural Gas and Electric and describe any differences between Natural Gas and Electric. For responses where the Company's answer is the same for both Natural Gas and Electric, please indicate so.

- 1-5. What are the Company's current plans for the proposed method of recovery of costs to be recorded in this regulatory asset? Provide the statutes and/or administrative rules giving the Commission the authority to approve the Company's chosen method.

**Response:**

MidAmerican is still evaluating the preferred method for cost recovery. MidAmerican plans to propose the method for cost recovery in a separate docket, after costs are known, and after careful consideration of the balance between customer and company impact. At that time, MidAmerican will provide basis for the Commission's authority to approve the cost recovery proposal.