

NorthWestern Corporation, dba NorthWestern Energy
 2010 Heating Degree Days
 Test Year Ended December 31, 2010

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Aberdeen	Actual	Normal	Departure	Variance %
January	1,732	1,678	54	3.22%
February	1,518	1,312	206	15.70%
March	932	1,072	-140	-13.06%
April	415	591	-176	-29.78%
May	301	251	50	19.92%
June	27	59	-32	-54.24%
July	0	11	-11	-100.00%
August	7	27	-20	-74.07%
September	207	206	1	0.49%
October	482	569	-87	-15.29%
November	1,028	1,066	-38	-3.56%
December	1,606	1,506	100	6.64%
	<u>8,255</u>	<u>8,348</u>	<u>-93</u>	<u>-1.11%</u>

Brookings	Actual	Normal	Departure	Variance %
January	1,739	1,689	50	2.96%
February	1,462	1,326	136	10.26%
March	916	1,093	-177	-16.19%
April	421	632	-211	-33.39%
May	322	267	55	20.60%
June	37	14	23	164.29%
July	0	0	0	0.00%
August	6	0	6	0.00%
September	209	186	23	12.37%
October	467	574	-107	-18.64%
November	974	1,031	-57	-5.53%
December	1,618	1,518	100	6.59%
	<u>8,171</u>	<u>8,330</u>	<u>-159</u>	<u>-1.91%</u>

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Huron	Actual	Normal	Departure	Variance %
January	1,656	1,572	84	5.34%
February	1,444	1,242	202	16.26%
March	858	1,004	-146	-14.54%
April	369	567	-198	-34.92%
May	278	242	36	14.88%
June	17	49	-32	-65.31%
July	0	8	-8	-100.00%
August	2	21	-19	-90.48%
September	146	180	-34	-18.89%
October	412	530	-118	-22.26%
November	942	996	-54	-5.42%
December	1,499	1,423	76	5.34%
	<u>7,623</u>	<u>7,834</u>	<u>-211</u>	<u>-2.69%</u>

Mitchell	Actual	Normal	Departure	Variance %
January	1,614	1,549	65	4.20%
February	1,405	1,209	196	16.21%
March	829	986	-157	-15.92%
April	340	548	-208	-37.96%
May	243	225	18	8.00%
June	7	47	-40	-85.11%
July	0	10	-10	-100.00%
August	0	20	-20	-100.00%
September	113	147	-34	-23.13%
October	365	503	-138	-27.44%
November	885	977	-92	-9.42%
December	1,369	1,401	-32	-2.28%
	<u>7,170</u>	<u>7,622</u>	<u>-452</u>	<u>-5.93%</u>

		% of Normal
4 City average 2010 variance to Normal	-2.91%	97.09%
Huron Only 2010 Variance to Normal	-2.69%	97.31%