

Notice of Annual Update to the Transmission Cost Adjustment Filed with the North Dakota Public Service Commission

On July 19, 2019, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Montana-Dakota) filed an application with the North Dakota Public Service Commission (Commission) to update its Transmission Cost Adjustment (TCA) rates in accordance with the Company's Transmission Cost Adjustment Rate 59 tariff that states the rates will be revised to reflect the current level of costs to be recovered.

The proposed TCA rates include North Dakota's allocation of transmission related net expenses assessed by both the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) and the Southwest Power Pool (SPP) for transmission-related services currently not being recovered through the Company's electric service rates, the inclusion of specified transmission related capital projects, and a projected over-recovery of the deferred TCA balance.

Montana-Dakota has requested the proposed TCA rates be effective with service rendered on and after November 1, 2019, subject to Commission review and approval. The changes are only being proposed at this time and, if rates are suspended by the Commission, the new rates will not be effective until Commission action has been taken.

If approved, a residential customer using 894 Kwh will see an increase of \$0.25 per month or an increase of \$3.00 annually. The TCA is shown as a separate line item on your bill.

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RESIDENTIAL & SMALL GENERAL

Applicable Rate Schedules .. 10, 13, 16, 20, 25, & 40	
Current Rate	\$0.00446 per Kwh
Proposed Rate	\$0.00474 per Kwh
Change	\$0.00028 per Kwh

LARGE GENERAL & CONTRACTS

Applicable Rate Schedules 30, 31, 32, 38, & 48	
Current Rate	\$0.00372 per Kwh
Proposed Rate	\$0.00390 per Kwh
Change	\$0.00018 per Kwh

LIGHTING

Applicable Rate Schedules41 & 52	
Current Rate	\$0.00209 per Kwh
Proposed Rate	\$0.00234 per Kwh
Change	\$0.00025 per Kwh

For more information, please contact a
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