

being used and a \$30.00 reconnection fee during normal business hours. Standard overtime rates will be applied for reconnecting service after normal business hours. A non-residential customer who requests the reconnection of service at the same location the customer discontinued the same service during the preceding 12-month period will be charged the Basic Service Charge applicable during the period service was not being used and a \$30.00 reconnection fee during normal business hours. However, the reconnection application to seasonal businesses, such as swimming facilities and asphalt processing, may receive credit for the Distribution Delivery Charge revenue collected while in service.

**How to Figure your bill:**

The information is to assist you in calculating your bill. A residential rate is used for this example.

- 1. Assume a month's use of 2 dk
- 2. Basic Service Charge ( $\$0.8244 \times 30$  days) ..... \$24.73
- 3. Distribution Delivery Charge ( $\$0.525 \times 2$  dk) ..... \$1.05
- 4. Cost of Gas ( $\$4.570 \times 2$  dk) ..... \$9.14
- Total Bill (not including tax) ..... \$34.92**

For further information, the applicable rates, rules and regulations are on file at Montana-Dakota's offices and are available for inspection upon request. They can also be viewed online at [www.montana-dakota.com](http://www.montana-dakota.com).



**TIME FOR  
ANNUAL  
NATURAL GAS  
RATE REVIEW IN  
NORTH DAKOTA**



The purpose of this brochure is to provide you with information regarding your natural gas rates. The Company's tariffs are not changing; however, this information may be helpful when reviewing your natural gas bill.

Natural Gas usage is measured in decatherms. The abbreviation dk is used in the rate schedules. The prices for various classes of customers are shown below.

**Residential Natural Gas Service—Rate 60**

Basic Service Charge.....	\$0.8244 per day
Distribution Delivery Charge.....	\$0.525 per dk
Cost of Gas.....	\$4.570 per dk

**Residential Gas Service Wahpeton Rate 63**

Basic Service Charge.....	\$0.395 per day
Distribution Delivery Charge.....	\$0.781 per dk
Cost of Gas.....	\$4.413 per dk

**Firm General Natural Gas Service—Rate 70**

**Meter rated under 500 cubic feet per hour**

Basic Service Charge.....	\$0.88 per day
Distribution Delivery Charge.....	\$1.384 per dk
Cost of Gas.....	\$4.570 per dk

**Firm General Natural Gas Service—Rate 70**

**Meter rated over 500 cubic feet per hour**

Basic Service Charge.....	\$2.35 per day
Distribution Delivery Charge.....	\$1.409 per dk
Cost of Gas.....	\$4.570 per dk

**Small Interruptible General Natural Gas Service – Rate 71**

Basic Service Charge.....	\$450.00 per month
Distribution Delivery Charge	
Maximum Rate .....	\$0.699 per dk
Minimum Rate .....	\$0.102 per dk
Cost of Gas.....	\$2.682 per dk

**Firm General Gas Service - Wahpeton Rate 73**

Basic Service Charge.....	\$0.395 per day
Distribution Delivery Charge.....	\$0.781 per dk
Cost of Gas.....	\$4.413 per dk

**Other Rates Available:**

Optional Seasonal General Gas Service Rate 72,  
Firm General Contracted Demand Service Rate 74,  
Transportation Service – Small Interruptible Rate 81,  
Transportation Service – Large Interruptible Rate 82,  
Large Interruptible General Natural Gas Service Rate 85, Residential Propane Service Rate 90 (available in Hettinger, ND only), and Firm General Propane Service – Rate 92 (available in Hettinger, ND only).

**Cost of Gas – Natural Gas Rate 88**

The Cost of Gas is subject to change monthly either upward or downward depending on the specific circumstances of the period it covers including purchased gas costs and other costs that are passed along to the Company by pipeline suppliers. The Cost of Gas is strictly a pass-through to the Company's customers and does not provide Montana-Dakota with a profit.

**Payment:**

Bills will be considered past due if not paid by the due date shown on the bill. An amount equal to 1% per month will be applied to any unpaid balance existing at the immediate subsequent billing date.

**NSF Returned Check Charge:**

A charge of \$15.00 will be collected by the Company for each check charged back to the Company by the customer's financial institution.

**Seasonal Reconnection Charges:**

A residential customer who requests the reconnection of service at the same location the customer discontinued the same service during the preceding 12-month period will be charged the Basic Service Charge applicable during the period service was not

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