

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICE REGULATION  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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IN THE MATTER Of NorthWestern Energy's ) REGULATORY DIVISION  
Application for: (1) Unreflected Gas Cost Account )  
Balance and Projected Gas Cost; and (2) Gas ) DOCKET NO. D2013.5.34  
Transportation Adjustment Clause Balance )

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**DATA REQUESTS OF THE MONTANA CONSUMER COUNSEL  
TO NORTHWESTERN ENERGY**

**MCC-044**

Regarding: NorthWestern Energy (NWE) Exhibits  
Witness: All

Please provide on compact disk electronic working copies, with all links intact, of all exhibits (including related work papers, where applicable), that are being sponsored by each NWE witness in this case.

**MCC-045**

Regarding: Appendix A and Appendix B  
Witness: Not Applicable

Please provide on compact disk electronic working copies, with all links intact, of Appendix A and Appendix B to NWE's May 29, 2014, Application in this case.

**MCC-046**

Regarding: DSM Expenses  
Witness: William Thomas/Joe Schwanzenberger

In the testimony at WMT-5, lines 1-20, Mr. Thomas references expenses associated with the "E+ Free Weatherization Program" and the E+ Energy Audit for The Home, and the Building Operator Certification Program." Please provide

separately for each such category of expense the amounts of such expenses for each “Program Period” listed in the table at WMT-4.

**MCC-047**

Regarding: DSM Expenses  
Witness: William Thomas/Joe Schwartzberger

At WMT-7, lines 1-8, Mr. Thomas references NWE labor expenses associated with its Natural Gas DSM program. Please provide the actual or estimated cost of NWE labor that is applicable to NWE’s 2013-2014 Natural Gas DSM Program.

**MCC-048**

Regarding: Lost DSM Non-Gas Revenues  
Witness: William Thomas/Joe Schwartzberger

With respect to Table 1 at page WMT-4, for each “Program Period” shown there, please provide a listing of the following:

- a. NWE’s original estimate of lost annual non-gas revenues associated with the “Target (Dkt)” shown there.
- b. The actual lost annual non-gas revenues associated with the “Reported Savings (Dkt)” shown there.

**MCC-049**

Regarding: DSM Gas Cost Savings  
Witness: William Thomas/Joe Schwartzberger

With respect to Table 1 at page WMT-5, for each “Program Period” shown there, please provide a listing of the following:

- a. NWE’s original estimate of the annual gas cost savings to be realized from the “Target (Dkt)” DSM savings shown there.
- b. NWE’s estimate of the actual annual gas cost savings to be realized from the “Reported (DSM) Savings (Dkt)” shown there.

**MCC-050**

Regarding: DSM Gas Cost Savings  
Witness: William Thomas/Joe Schwartzberger

Please provide NWE's actual average commodity cost of purchased gas, in \$/Dkt, that the Company saved per Dkt of reported DSM savings, for each "Program Period" shown in the table at WMT-4.

**MCC-051**

Regarding: Lost DSM Revenues  
Witness: William Thomas/Joe Schwartzberger

Please provide NWE's actual DSM lost revenues collected from residential ratepayers in each "Program Period" shown in the table at WMT-4.

**MCC-052**

Regarding: Lost DSM Revenues  
Witness: William Thomas/Joe Schwartzberger

Please provide NWE's actual DSM lost revenues collected from commercial ratepayers in each "Program Period" shown in the table at WMT-4.

**MCC-053**

Regarding: NWE Owned Production  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, line 48, please provide the total cost of service, in dollars, and the total Dkt quantity of Battle Creek gas production, used to produce the \$/Dkt figure for the Battle Creek revenue requirement.

**MCC-054**

Regarding: NWE Owned Production  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, line 51, please provide the total cost of service, in dollars, and the total Dkt quantity of Bear Paw gas production, used to produce the \$/Dkt figure for the Bear Paw revenue requirement.

**MCC-055**

Regarding: NWE Owned Production  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, line 54, please provide the total cost of service, in dollars, and the total Dkt quantity of Devon gas production, used to produce the \$/Dkt figure for the Devon revenue requirement.

**MCC-056**

Regarding: NWE Owned Production  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, please provide the Dkt quantity of Battle Creek gas production, the Battle Creek production-related taxes, in dollars, and the Battle Creek royalties, in dollars, used to produce the NWE Owned Production Dkt quantity and dollar amounts shown at line 24.

**MCC-057**

Regarding: NWE Owned Production  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, please provide the Dkt quantity of Bear Paw gas production, the Bear Paw production-related taxes, in dollars, and the Bear Paw royalties, in dollars, used to produce the NWE Owned Production Dkt quantity and dollar amounts shown at line 24.

**MCC-058**

Regarding: NWE Owned Production  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, please provide the Dkt quantity of Devon gas production, the Devon production-related taxes, in dollars, and the Devon royalties, in dollars, used to produce the NWE Owned Production Dkt quantity and dollar amounts shown at line 24.

**MCC-059**

Regarding: Intra Montana Purchases  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, line 26, please provide the total Dkt, \$/Dkt, and total dollars associated with NWE's gas purchases from Battle Creek 3<sup>rd</sup>-party producers.

**MCC-060**

Regarding: Intra Montana Purchases  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, line 26, please provide the total Dkt, \$/Dkt, and total dollars associated with NWE's gas purchases from Bear Paw 3<sup>rd</sup>-party producers.

**MCC-061**

Regarding: Intra Montana Purchases  
Witness: John Smith

With respect to original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, line 26, please provide the total Dkt, \$/Dkt, and total dollars associated with NWE's gas purchases from Devon 3<sup>rd</sup>-party producers.

**MCC-062**

Regarding: Gas Supply Market Prices  
Witness: John Smith

Please provide the gas supply market price forecast that was used to develop the gas supply costs presented in original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2.

**MCC-063**

Regarding: Gas Supply Market Prices  
Witness: John Smith

Please provide the gas supply market price forecast that was used to develop the gas supply costs presented in Exhibit JMS-3Sup.

**MCC-064**

Regarding: Original Exhibit \_\_\_\_ (JMS-2)  
Witness: John Smith

Please provide a revised version of original (D2014.5.47) Exhibit JMS-2, including lines 45 – 58, that reflects any changes or revisions resulting from Mr. Smith's Supplemental testimony and exhibits.

**MCC-065**

Regarding: Production Allocation Resolution  
Witness: John Smith

Did the resolution to the issue of the allocation of production gas involve any changes in the physical flow of gas or was it strictly a change to accounting allocations?