

March 31, 2016

Mr. Will Rosquist
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RE: Docket D2015.8.64 – Greycliff Petition
Updated Response to PSC-012a in PSC Set 2 Data Requests

Dear Mr. Rosquist:

Enclosed for filing is NorthWestern Energy's updated response to Data Request PSC-012a in the PSC Set 2 Data Requests (012-029).

It will be hand delivered to the Montana Public Service Commission and the Montana Consumer Counsel this day. It will also be e-filed with the PSC, emailed to counsel of record and mailed to the service list.

If you have any questions, please call Joe Schwartzenberger at (406) 497-3362.

Sincerely,

Pam LeProwse
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NorthWestern Energy
Docket No. D2015.8.64
Greycliff's Petition to Set Terms and Conditions

Public Service Commission (PSC)
Set 2 (012-029)

Data Requests received November 25, 2015

PSC-012 cont'd

UPDATED RESPONSE (March 31, 2016):

- a. See the attached CD for electronic versions of the exhibits attached to the Prefiled Revised Supplemental Testimony of Bleau J. LaFave and the Prefiled Supplemental Testimony of Luke P. Hansen filed on March 29, 2016. The electronic version of Mr. LaFave's exhibit is copyright protected given information contained on the following tabs: DA vs RT Comparison, Powerdex Mid-C Hourly Index, and REG – DGGS Variable Cost. NorthWestern is relying on the "fair use" exemption of federal copyright law to provide this information for purposes of this docket only. No copies should be made, nor should the parties receiving this information use the copyrighted material for any purposes other than for this docket.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of NorthWestern Energy's updated response to Data Request PSC-012a in the PSC Set 2 Data Requests (012-029) in Docket No. D2015.8.64 has been hand delivered to the Montana Public Service Commission and the Montana Consumer Counsel this date. It has also been e-filed on the PSC website, emailed to counsel of record, and mailed to the remainder of the service list as follows:

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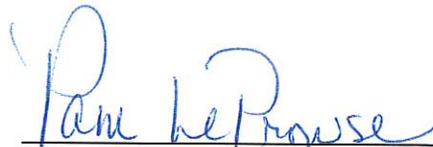
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