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I will schedule all papers for Tuesday, October 29.

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Please have the attached Notice of Public Input Sessions published one time as a legal publication in the next issue of the following newspapers:

Minot Daily News
Grand Forks Herald
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The Daily News
The Dickinson Press
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Do not publish in the classifieds. Please run it as a "News Item Only" article as well.

Send the bill to the Public Service Commission along with a tear sheet for billing purposes.

Please confirm via email that your received this request.

If you have any questions or cannot open the files, please call me at 328-4076 or email.

Thank You

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Public Input Sessions

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division
of MDU Resources Group, Inc.
Natural Gas Service Rate Increase
Application**

Case No. PU-13-803

NOTICE OF PUBLIC INPUT SESSIONS

October 23, 2013

On September 18, 2013, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc. (MDU) filed an application to increase its rates for natural gas service to provide additional 2014 test year annual revenue of \$6,800,000 or a 6.4% increase over current rates.

On October 9, 2013, the Commission approved MDU's request for an interim rate increase based on the projected 2014 increase request. The interim rate increase of \$4,500,000, or 4.162% over current rates, became effective for natural gas service on and after November 17, 2013. MDU is required to refund interim rate amounts in excess of final rates approved by the Commission, including interest.

Public input sessions will be held via interactive television on December 10, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. CST and on December 11, 2013 at 12:00 p.m. CST. Members of the public are invited to appear and participate in the public input session at the locations set forth below:

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| Williston State College TW Leach Room 180 (Dec. 10) Western Star Career and Tech Center Room 115 (Dec. 11) 1410 University Ave Williston ND 58801 | Minot State University Administration Room 362 (Dec. 10) Administration Room 364 (Dec. 11) 500 University Ave W Minot ND 58707 |
| Bismarck State College VoTech Room 238 (Dec. 10) VoTech Room 236 (Dec. 11) 1200 College Drive Bismarck ND 58506 | Lake Region State College Administration Room 171 (Dec. 10) Administration Room 34 (Dec. 11) 1801 College Dr. North Devils Lake ND 58301 |
| Dickinson State University Klinefelter Beck Auditorium 1679 6th Ave. W Dickinson ND 58601 | Jamestown South Central Human Services Center Conference Room 124 520 3rd St. NW Jamestown ND 58402 |

The public will also be able to hear the input session by connecting to the web site <http://education.video.nd.gov> and then using login: guest@meeting.edu and then entering the password: meeting. The Commission will receive e-mail questions during the session at sfsheldon@nd.gov.

A public input session is not considered part of the technical hearing and the discussion at a session will not become part of the record evidence reviewed by the Commission in making its decision. The discussion will, however, aid the Commission and its staff in identifying areas of concern that may require further investigation.

For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400 or 877-245-6685 (toll free in North Dakota), or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials, please notify the Commission at least 24 hours in advance.

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