

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Great Plains Natural Gas Co.
Gas Service
Tariff and Rates**

Case No. PU-17-075

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED & REGULAR MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Geralyn R. Schmaltz deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **2nd day of March, 2017**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

- **Notice Of Opportunity For Hearing**

The envelope was addressed as follows:

Karl Liepitz
Senior Attorney
MDU Resources Group, Inc.
PO Box 5650
Bismarck, ND 56506-5650
Cert.No. 7015 0640 0006 6993 6156

Geralyn R. Schmaltz further deposes and says that on the **2nd day of March, 2017**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

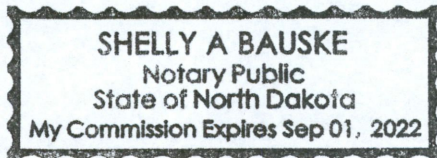
The envelope was addressed as follows:

Tamie Aberle
Director of Regulatory Affairs
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
400 N. 4th Street
Bismarck, ND 58501

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **2nd day of March, 2017.**

Gerard J. Schmalz



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Shelly A Bauske
Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

March 1, 2017

On February 3, 2017, Great Plains Natural Gas Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc. filed an application for approval to revise its Natural Gas Tariff Volume No. 2 in compliance with the North Dakota Public Service Commission's Order in Case No. PU-16-604.

The issues to be considered:


1. What rates and charges are necessary to provide a just and reasonable rate of return on Great Plains Natural Gas Co.'s property, used and useful, for the service and convenience of the public in North Dakota?
2. Are Great Plains Natural Gas Co.'s proposed rate schedules designed in such a manner that they result in a basis of charge to its customers that is just and reasonable without discrimination?

Comments and requests for a hearing must be received by **April 15, 2017**. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. If deemed appropriate, the commission can determine these matters without a hearing.

For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400 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.

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