

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
Cost of Gas 2021
Tariff Monthly Adjustments

Case No. PU-21-08

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED 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 **7th day of May 2021**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

- **Notice of Opportunity for Hearing**

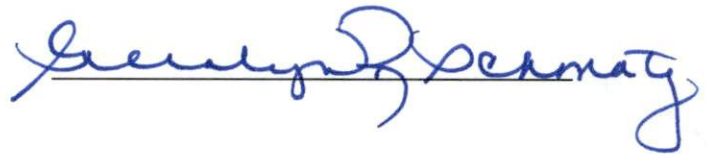
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Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary
MDU Resources Group, Inc.
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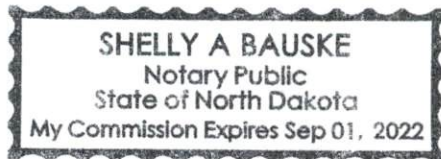
The addresses shown are the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office addresses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **7th of May 2021**.



Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

May 5, 2021

On April 27, 2021, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (MDU) filed an application for a variance to its surcharge adjustment pursuant to the terms of its Cost of Gas – Natural Gas Rate 88 tariff. The proposed change would extend the time for recovery of the under-collected balance of the cost of gas adjustment from 12 months to 16 months from June 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022.

The issues to be considered in this matter are:

1. Whether the proposed rate change is just and reasonable.
2. Whether it is appropriate to grant a waiver of the Commission's rules under North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-09-02-39, Automatic Adjustment Clauses, for the stated purpose.

Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearings must be received by May 25, 2021.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a formal 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

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



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