

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Otter Tail Power Company  
Transmission Facility Cost Recovery (2022)  
Rates

Case No. PU-21-376

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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 October 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**

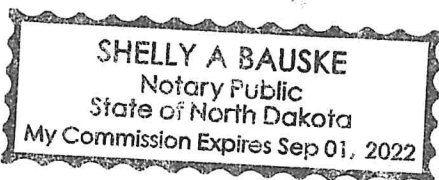
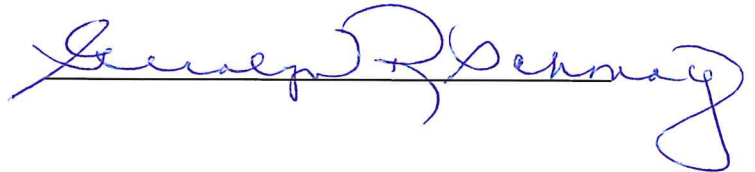
The envelopes were addressed as follows:


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

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this **7th day October 2021**.



  
Notary Public

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October 6, 2021

On September 16, 2021, Otter Tail Power Company (OTP) filed an annual update under its Transmission Facility Cost Recovery Rider (TCRR) tariff. The proposed rate update for 2022 includes the costs for three new transmission projects, updated costs for previously approved transmission projects, Midcontinent Independent System Operator revenues and expenses, Southwest Power Pool revenues and expenses, and a true-up amount from the current rate. The increase for a residential customer using 1,000 kWh per month would be \$0.41 per month. The issues to be considered in this proceeding are:

1. Whether the proposed rate adjustment complies with OTP's tariff,
2. Whether the incurred costs for new or modified electric transmission facilities are reasonable and prudent, and
3. Whether the incurred costs are eligible for recovery through the TCRR.

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 hearing must be received by November 20, 2021.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter 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 24 hours in advance.

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