

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Otter Tail Power Company**  
**Metering & Distribution Tech Cost Recovery Rider**  
**Tariff and Rates**

**Case No. PU-24-307**

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED AND ELECTRONIC MAIL**

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**COUNTY OF BURLEIGH**

**Erica J. Getz** deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **30th day of September 2024**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **three** 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:

Cary Stephenson  
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215 S Cascade Street  
Fergus Falls, MN 56538-0496  
**Cert. No. 9589 0710 5270 1582 7558 11**

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Otter Tail Power Company  
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**Erica J. Getz** further deposes and says that on the **30th day of September 2024**, she sent an electronic message to **two** addresses, each including an electronic copy in portable document format of the same document.

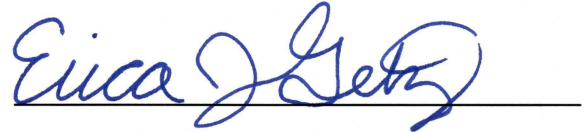
The electronic mail was addressed as follows:

Regulatory Filing Coordinators  
Otter Tail Power Company  
[Regulatory Filing Coordinators@otpco.com](mailto:Regulatory_Filing_Coordinators@otpco.com)

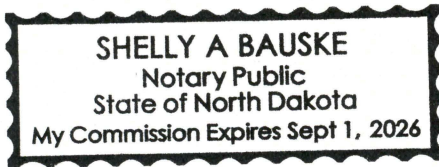
Amber Grenier  
Manager, Regulatory Economics  
[agrenier@otpco.com](mailto:agrenier@otpco.com)

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this **30th day of September 2024**.



Erica J Letz



Shelly A Bauske  
Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

On August 1, 2024, Otter Tail Power Company (OTP) filed a request for approval of its Metering & Distribution Tech Cost Recovery Rider (AMDT Rider) Rate for 2025. The purpose of the AMDT Rider is to recover the costs associated with advanced metering infrastructure, demand response, and the outage management system not presently reflected in retail rates from OTP North Dakota customers.

OTP proposes to recover approximately \$1,689,187 during the recovery period from January 1, 2025, through December 31, 2025, through a per meter charge for each customer class. The proposed residential rate will increase from \$0.73 per meter per month to \$1.07 and the Large General Service rate will increase from \$21.07 per meter per month to \$59.03.

The issues to be considered in this proceeding are:

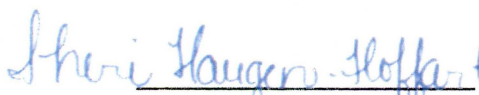
1. Do the investments and associated costs qualify for recovery?
2. Whether the rate adjustments are consistent with the terms of OTP's tariff.
3. Are the proposed rates just and reasonable?

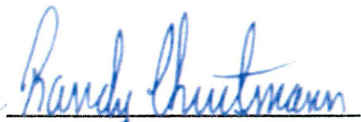
Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearings must be received by November 11, 2024.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a formal hearing.

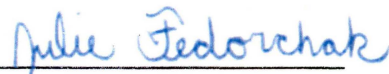
For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or Braille materials please notify the Commission.

Issued: September 27, 2024

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

  
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