

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
NATURAL GAS RATE SCHEDULE
for
NORTHWESTERN ENERGY PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION d/b/a NORTHWESTERN ENERGY

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CLASS OF SERVICE: Commercial and Industrial **Rate No. 94**
RATE DESIGNATION: Firm Sales

1. Applicability

This rate is available for firm gas volumes, to commercial and industrial customers who may also require volumes of interruptible gas in excess of firm daily demand volumes .

2. Territory

The area served with natural gas by the Company in Nebraska.

3. Rates

Monthly Charges:

Customer Charge per Meter: \$ 100.00

Non-Gas Commodity Charge:

All use, per therm \$ 0.07683

City Approved Economic Development Surcharge \$ 0.00461

Minimum Monthly Bill - Amount for therms of demand billed and the customer charge

Adjustment Clauses:

- a. Purchased Gas Cost Adjustment Clause shall apply. (Sheet Nos. 7, 7.1)
- b. BTU Adjustment Clause shall apply. (Sheet Nos. 8, 8.1)

4. Penalty Provision

If the customer takes unauthorized gas during the periods of curtailment, a penalty of \$3.00 per therm shall be paid to the Company in addition to the commodity rate specified herein. In addition, the new daily use may then become the daily firm demand in place of the previous demand determined by the customer and cannot be reduced by the customer for a period of twelve months.

5. Other Provisions

Service will be furnished under the Company's General Terms and Conditions and the following provisions:

1. Daily firm demand shall be assigned by the Company based on 1) a 24 hour cold day read or 2) if a 24 hour cold day read is not available, the daily average of the customer's highest usage month, or 3) in the instance of a customer new to the system, the firm demand will be established based on an agreed upon connected load between the Company and the customer, and will be updated with items 1) or 2) as the information becomes available.

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