

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF MEADE)	
COUNTY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE)	CASE NO.
CORPORATION FOR AN ADJUSTMENT OF)	2020-00131
RATES)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO MEADE COUNTY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION

Meade County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation (Meade RECC), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested herein is due on August 18, 2020. The Commission directs Meade RECC to the Commission's March 16, 2020 and March 24, 2020 Orders in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission. The Commission expects the original documents to be filed with the Commission within 30 days of the lifting of the current state of emergency. All responses in paper medium shall be appropriately bound, tabbed, and indexed. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC Mar. 16, 2020), Order at 5–6. Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC Mar. 24, 2020), Order at 1–3.

preparer or the person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Meade RECC shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Meade RECC obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which Meade RECC fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Meade RECC shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Meade RECC shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to Meade RECC's response to Staff's Initial Request for Information (Staff's Initial Request), Item 1.
 - a. Explain whether Meade RECC requested a CPCN for the referenced new AMI system.
 - b. Provide an update to Attachment 1B with current costs. Provide support for all cost estimates.

2. Refer to Meade RECC's response Staff's Initial Request, Item 20. It states that Employee 2 retired on 1/10/2020. Explain why all wages were not excluded and provide the calculation and rational for including part of the wages.

3. Refer to Meade RECC's response to Staff's Initial Request, Item 22. Explain whether any newly hired employees were replacements for any retired employees.

4. Refer to the response to Item 23 of Staff's Initial Request. Explain why overtime hours were not included for employees 4, 6, 8 and 10.

5. Refer to Meade RECC's response to Staff's Initial Request, Item 24. The attachment lists 66 employee numbers that do not correspond to the 23 employee numbers in Tab 1.13 or the 69 employee numbers in Tab 1.10 of the spreadsheet Meade_Rev_Req_FILED_060520.xlsx. Reconcile the employee numbers to match Tab 1.13.

6. According to the 2019 Annual Report to the Public Service Commission filed by Meade RECC, it lists 69 full-time employees and 6 part-time employees. Reconcile this to the 79 employees listed in AG Item 3 Confidential – Compensation and Benefits, Attachment pages 8–10.



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