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UTILITIES:

Big Rivers Electric Corporation

HEARINGS:

10/22/20	Formal Hearing
03/05/20	Informal Conference
02/27/20	Informal Conference

INDEX OF EVENTS:

12/08/21 Order Entered: 1. BREC's motion for confidential treatment is granted. 2. The designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for five years or until further Order of this Commission. Use of the designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order in any Commission proceeding shall comply with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(9). 4. BREC shall inform the Commission if the designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order becomes publicly available or no longer qualifies for confidential treatment. 5. If a nonparty to this proceeding requests to inspect the material granted confidential treatment by this Order and the period during which the material has been granted confidential treatment has not expired. BREC shall have 30 days from receipt of written notice of the request to demonstrate that the material still falls within the exclusions from disclosure requirements established in KRS 61.878. If BREC is unable to make such demonstration, the requested material shall be made available for inspection. Otherwise, the Commission shall deny the request for inspection. 6. The Commission shall not make the requested material available for inspection for 30 days from the date of service of an Order finding that the material no longer gualifies for confidential treatment in order to allow BREC to seek a remedy afforded by law. 08/02/21 Final Order Entered: 1. BREC's request for an order finding that it correctly performed the calculations contained in the "Interim Accounting Summary" attached to the application, or as updated as of December 31, 2019, is denied. 2. The Commission does find that BREC's Interim Accounting Summary, as updated for costs through December 31, 2019, accurately calculated the amounts due to BREC or Henderson pursuant to the Station Two Contracts, except as follows: a. Any operating and maintenance or other costs in FY 2018/2019, subject to allocation based on Henderson's capacity reservation, shall be allocated based on a reservation of 120 MW, as opposed to the 125 MW proposed by BREC, which results in a reduction in the amount owed to BREC of \$227,045 as indicated above; b. Henderson is not required to pay \$143,400 of the severance costs included in the Interim Accounting Summary due to the difference in the actual and projected costs; and c. Henderson is required, pursuant to the Station Two Contracts, to share in the costs of decommissioning Station Two and joint-use facilities as discussed above, but the Commission currently declines to make a specific finding regarding the amounts owed, including whether the amount in the Interim Accounting Summary is accurate, for the reasons discussed above. 12/08/20 Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Reply Brief of Big Rivers Electric Corporation 12/01/20 RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a Henderson Municipal Power Light Post Hearing Brief and Read First Letter 11/17/20 Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Electric Corporation Brief with Attachment Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Responses to Information Requests from 11/03/20 October 22 Hearing Notice of Filing Hearing Documents 10/29/20 RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a 10/26/20 Henderson Municipal Power Light Henderson-HMPL Post-Hearing Request for Information to BREC Commission Staff's Post-Hearing Request for Information to Big Rivers Electric Corporation 10/26/20 Order Entered: 1. Post-hearing data requests shall be filed in the record on or before Tuesday, 10/22/20 October 27, 2020. 2. Responses to post-hearing data requests shall be filed in the record on or before Tuesday, November 3, 2020. 3. Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") shall file its post-hearing brief on or before Tuesday, November 17, 2020. 4. The City of Henderson, Kentucky and Henderson

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	Utility Commission d/b/a Henderson Municipal Power & Light (jointly "Henderson") shall file its post-
	hearing brief on or before Tuesday, December 1, 2020. 5. Big Rivers shall file its reply brief on or
	before Tuesday, December 8, 2020. 6. This case shall stand submitted for decision by the commission
	effective 12:01 a.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, December 9, 2020.
10/21/20	RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Motion to file Second Amended Testimony of Chris Heimgartner
10/20/20	Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Notarized Proof of Publication of Hearing
	Notice including Newspaper Tearsheets
10/19/20	RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Motion to Amend Direct Testimony of Chris Heimgartner and
	Supplement Exhibits
10/16/20	RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Executed Verification of Barbara Moll for Amended Direct
	Testimony
10/15/20	RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Barbara Moll Verification for Amended Direct Testimony
10/15/20	RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Motion to Amend Direct Testimony of Barbara Moll and Exhibits
	Moll-3 and Moll-4
09/29/20	Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Newspaper Notice of Hearing
09/17/20	Order Entered: 1. A hearing in this matter shall be held on Thursday, October 22, 2020, at 9 a.m.
	Eastern Daylight Time, in the Richard Raff Hearing Room (Hearing Room 1) at the offices of the Public
	Service Commission at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.
	2. Big Rivers Electric Corporation (BREC) shall give notice of the hearing in compliance with 807 KAR
	5:001, Section 9(2)(b). In addition, the notice of hearing shall include the following statements: "This
	hearing will be streamed live and may be viewed on the PSC website,
	psc.ky.gov" and "Public comments may be made at the beginning of the hearing. Those wishing to
	make oral public comments may do so by following the instructions listed on the PSC website,
	psc.ky.gov." At the time the notice is mailed or publication is requested, BREC shall forward a
	duplicate of the notice and request to the Commission. 3. Pursuant to KRS 278.360 and 807 KAR
	5:001, Section 9(9), a digital video transcript shall be made of the hearing.
09/01/20	Michael L. Kurtz Big Rivers Electric Corporation Reply of Big Rivers Electric Corporation
08/31/20	SHARON FARMER City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Response to Motion for Evidentiary Hearing
08/28/20	Michael L Kurtz Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Corporations Motion for Evidentiary Hearing
08/25/20	Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Rebuttal Testimony
08/14/20	SHARON FARMER City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Read First Letter for Hend-HMPL Revised Response to Item 36
08/14/20	SHARON FARMER City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Revised Response to Item 36 of Big Rivers Initial RFI
08/11/20	SHARON FARMER City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light City of Henderson, Kentucky and Henderson Utility Commission
	d/b/a Henderson Municipal Power and Light Responses to Big Rivers Request for Information
08/11/20	Sharon W. Farmer King, Deep Branaman City of Henderson, Kentucky, and Henderson Utility
	Commission d/b/a Henderson Municipal Power Lights Responses to Commission Staffs Request for
	Information
07/28/20	Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Information Requests to City of Henderson,
	et. al.
07/27/20	Commission Staff's Initial Request for Information to the City of Henderson, Kentucky, and the City of
	Henderson, Kentucky Utility Commission d/b/a Henderson Municipal Power & Light
07/14/20	Sharon W. Farmer King, Deep Branaman Direct Testimony
07/01/20	Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Correction of Errors in Footers of
	Attachments to Response to Item 1 of Commission Staffs Second Request for Information
06/29/20	Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Responses to Commission Staffs Second
	Information Request and Hendersons Supplemental Information Request
06/18/20	RANDALL REDDING City of Henderson, Kentucky and the Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a
	Henderson Municipal Power Light Henderson Supplemental Data Requests to Big Rivers
06/17/20	Commission Staff's Second Request for Information to Big Rivers Electric Corporation

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- 06/17/20 Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Page Two of Attachment 1 and Attachment 2 to Item 58 of City of Hendersons First Request for Information
 06/11/20 Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers revisions to Item Nos. 7 and 22 of
- 06/11/20 Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers revisions to Item Nos. 7 and 22 of Commission Staffs Initial Request for Information
- 06/08/20 Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Excel files referenced in Big Rivers response to Item 33 of City of Hendersons First Request for Information
- 06/08/20 Roger Hickman Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers responses to Commission Staffs Initial Information Request and to City of Henderson, Henderson Utility Commission d/b/a Henderson Municipal Power Lights First Information Request
- 05/22/20 Sharon W. Farmer King, Deep Branaman Henderson First Requests for Information to Big Rivers Electric Corp.

05/19/20 Commission Staff's Initial Request for Information to Big Rivers Electric Corporation

- 04/28/20 Order Entered: 1. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed. 2. a. Responses to requests for information shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided, with an original in paper medium and an electronic version to the Commission. Documents 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. b. Each response shall be 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 preparer or 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. c. Any party shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. d. For any request to which a party fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, that party shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.
- 04/06/20 Order Entered: 1. BREC's motion for confidential protection for is granted. 2. The designated information contained in the Pullen Testimony and Exhibit Pullen-8 shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for ten years or until further Order of this Commission. 3. Use of the material in question in any Commission proceeding shall be in compliance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(9).

4. BREC shall inform the Commission if the material in question becomes publicly available or no longer qualifies for confidential treatment. 5. If a non-party to this proceeding requests to inspect the material granted confidential treatment by this Order and the period during which the material has been granted confidential treatment has not expired, BREC shall have 30 days from receipt of written notice of the request to demonstrate that the material still falls within the exclusions from disclosure requirements established in KRS 61.878. If BREC is unable to make such demonstration, the requested material shall be made available for inspection. Otherwise, the Commission shall deny the request for inspection. 6. The Commission shall not make the requested material available for inspection for 30 days following an Order finding that the material no longer qualifies for confidential treatment in order to allow BREC to seek a remedy afforded by law.

- 03/26/20 John Hughes Henderson Municipal Power and Light Waiver
- 03/25/20 Michael L. Kurtz Big Rivers Electric Corporation Big Rivers Electric Corporations Written Statement of Mail Waiver
- 03/20/20 Order Entered:1. Henderson's motion to convert this proceeding to an electronic case is granted. 2. Electronic filing procedures shall be followed pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, for all filings in this case. 3. Parties shall upload an electronic version using the Commission's electronic Filing System. 4. Pursuant to the March 16, 2020 Order in Case No. 2020-00085, parties shall not file an original paper copy of any documents in this proceeding until further order of the Commission. Upon an order lifting the current state of emergency, parties shall file original paper copies of electronic documents filed in this proceeding within 30 days of the lifting of the current state of emergency. 5. The style of this case is revised to read, "Electronic Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for Enforcement of Rate and Service Standards."
- 03/19/20 City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Reply to Big Rivers Electric Corporation Response to Proposed Procedural Schedule
- 03/18/20 Big Rivers Electric Response to Proposed Procedural Schedule
- 03/17/20 City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Motion to Convert Case to Electronic

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03/13/20	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Proposed Procedural Schedule pursuant to Commission Staff Memo
03/09/20	Memorandum dated 3/09/2020 for Informal Conference of 3/05/2020; Comments, if any, due within five days of receipt
02/28/20	Order Entered: 1. The motion of Henderson to reschedule the informal conference is granted. 2. The informal conference originally scheduled for February 27, 2020, shall be rescheduled to March 5, 2020, at 1 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, at the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.
02/19/20	Big Rivers Electric Corporation Response to Motion to Reschedule Conference
02/14/20	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Motion to Reschedule Conference
02/04/20	Order Entered: 1. Henderson's motion to dismiss is denied. 2. Henderson's alternate motion to hold this the matter in abeyance pending
	adjudication of identical issues before the Franklin Circuit Court is denied as moot. 3. Henderson's
	motion for leave to file out of time its response to BREC's motion for an informal conference is granted.
	 BREC's motion for an informal conference is granted. An informal conference shall be held on February 27, 2020, at 1 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, at the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.
01/30/20	Big Rivers Electric Corporation Reply to the Response and Objection of Henderson Utility Commission
01/27/20	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Response and Objection to Motion of Big Rivers
01/21/20	Electric Corporation to Amend Exhibits
01/22/20	Big Rivers Electric Corporation Motion to Amend Exhibits
09/12/19	Big Rivers Electric Corporation Response to City of Henderson
09/10/19	Big Rivers Electric Corporation Reply to City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission
09/05/19	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Motion to File Out of Time
09/05/19	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Response to Big Rivers Electric Corporation
	Motion for Informal Conference
09/05/19	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Motion to Dismiss or Alternatively to Hold in Abeyance
09/04/19	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Response to Commission Order
08/29/19	Order Entered: 1. The motion of Henderson to intervene is granted. 2. Henderson shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this
	Order. 3. Henderson shall comply with all provisions of the Commission's regulations, 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, related to the service and fi ling of documents. 4. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8(9), within seven days of entry of this Order, Henderson shall file a written statement with the Commission
	that: a. Certifies that it, or its agent, possesses the facilities to receive
	electronic transmissions; and b. Sets forth the electronic mail address to which all electronic notices and messages related to this proceeding should be served.
08/27/19	Big Rivers Electric Corporation Motion for Informal Conference
08/19/19	City of Henderson and Henderson Utility Commission Motion to Intervene
07/31/19	Acknowledge Receipt of Filing
07/31/19	Big Rivers Electric Corporation Application for Enforcement of Rate and Service Standards

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