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**Case Management System - KY Public Service Commission***Regular Cases Before the Commission as of December 21, 2024***2016-00365**

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General Rates

**UTILITIES:**

Farmers R.E.C.C.

**HEARINGS:**

03/29/17

Formal Hearing

03/15/17

Informal Conference

**INDEX OF EVENTS:**

12/16/21

POST CASE: Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation Depreciation Study pursuant to Commission Order

12/05/19

Final Order Entered: 1. This case is opened to address certain outstanding petitions for confidential treatment. 2. The petitions for confidential treatment listed in Appendix B to this Order are granted. 3. The granting of these petitions shall not be cited as precedent in other proceedings before the Commission. 4. All movants shall review the petitions to determine if the material for which confidential treatment was requested still warrants confidential treatment. 5. A movant shall inform the Commission in writing, and filed in the original case file, if it determines that the information contained in a petition that is granted by this Order no longer warrants confidential treatment.

6. The Commission shall make available for inspection, upon request, any materials that a movant determines no longer warrants confidential treatment. 7. This case is closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

08/13/19

Order Entered: 1. Farmers RECC's January 18, 2017 petition for confidential protection is granted. 2. The designated materials shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for an indefinite period, or until further Orders of this Commission. 3. Use of the designated materials in any Commission proceeding shall be in compliance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(9). 4. Farmers RECC shall inform the Commission if the designated materials become publicly available or no longer qualify for confidential treatment. 5. If a non-party to this proceeding requests to inspect the designated materials granted confidential treatment by this Order and the period during which the materials have been granted confidential treatment has not expired, Farmers RECC shall have 30 days from receipt of written notice of the request to demonstrate that the materials still fall within the exclusions from disclosure requirements established in KRS 61.878. If Farmers RECC is unable to make such demonstration, the requested materials shall be made available for inspection. Otherwise, the Commission shall deny the request for inspection. 6. The Commission shall not make the designated materials available for inspection for 30 days following an Order finding that the materials no longer qualify for confidential treatment in order to allow Farmers RECC to seek a remedy afforded by law.

01/04/19

POST CASE: Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation Response to January 2, 2019 Commission Order

01/02/19

Order Entered: 1. Farmers' motion for confidential protection is granted in part and denied in part. 2. Farmers' request for confidential protection for its response to Staff's Third Request, Items No. 1, 4 and 22, is granted, with the exception of the executive officer compensation and the spreadsheet page tabbed as "Totals" contained in the response to Staff's Third Request, Item 1. 3. Farmer's request for confidential protection for the executive officer compensation and the spreadsheet page tabbed as "Totals" contained in the response to Staff's Third Request, Item 1, is denied. 4. The designated materials for which confidential protection was granted shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for an indefinite period, or until further Order of the Commission. 5. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Farmers shall file a revised Response reflecting as unredacted the information that has been denied confidential treatment in accordance with ordering paragraph 3. 6. Use of the materials deemed confidential in any Commission proceeding shall comply with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(9). 7. Farmers shall inform the Commission if the materials deemed confidential become publicly available or no longer qualify for confidential treatment.

06/20/17

Order Entered: 1. Farmers' petition for confidential protection for its response to Staff's First Request, Item 57.a., is granted. 2. The materials set forth in Farmers' response to Staff's First Request, Item

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57.a., shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for a period of ten years, or until further Orders of this Commission. 3. Use of the materials in question in any Commission proceeding shall comply with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(9). 4. Farmers shall inform the Commission if the materials in question become publicly available or no longer qualify for confidential treatment. 5. If a non-party to this proceeding requests to inspect materials granted confidential treatment by this Order and the period during which the materials have been granted confidential treatment has not run, then Farmers shall have 20 days from receipt of written notice of the request to demonstrate that the materials still fall within the exclusions from disclosure requirements established in KRS 61 .878. If Farmers is unable to make such demonstration, the requested materials shall be made available for inspection. Otherwise, the Commission shall deny the request for inspection. 6. The Commission shall not make the requested materials available for inspection for 20 days following an Order finding that the materials no longer qualify for confidential treatment in order to allow Farmers to seek a remedy afforded by law.

06/01/17 Order Entered nunc pro tunc, that: 1. The rates for Schedule NM - Net Metering are stricken from the Appendix to our May 12, 2017 Order. 2. All other provision of the Commission's May 12, 2017 Order not in conflict with this Order shall remain in full force and effect.

05/12/17 Final Order Entered: 1. The rates proposed by Farmers are denied. 2. The rates set forth in the Appendix to this Order are approved for services rendered by Farmers on and after the date of this Order. 3. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Farmers shall file with this Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, new tariff sheets setting forth the rates and charges approved herein and reflecting their effective date and that they were authorized by this Order. 4. Farmers shall perform a depreciation study within five years from the date of this Order, or with the filing of its next rate case, whichever is earlier.

04/17/17 Farmers RECC Response to Second Post Hearing Data Request

04/12/17 Commission Staff's Second Post-Hearing Request for Information to Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation

04/10/17 Farmers RECC Response to Post Hearing Data Requests w/CD

04/07/17 Notice of Filing Hearing Documents

03/31/17 Commission Staff's Post-Hearing Request for Information to Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation

03/24/17 Farmers RECC Response to Fourth Request for Information, Supplemental Data Request and Motion for Confidential Treatment

03/24/17 Farmers RECC Notice of Publication

03/20/17 Memorandum dated 3/20/2017 for Informal Conference of 3/15/2017; Comments, if any, due within five days of receipt

03/17/17 Commission Staff's Fourth Request for Information to Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation

03/13/17 Order Entered: 1. Farmers' motion to schedule an informal conference is granted. 2. An informal conference is scheduled in this matter for Wednesday, March 15, 2017, at 1 :30 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, at the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of discussing the issues in this case.

02/28/17 Memo Filing Document into the Record

02/13/17 Farmers RECC Motion for Confidential Treatment

02/13/17 Farmers RECC Response to Third Request for Information

02/13/17 Farmers RECC Response to Supplemental Request for Information

02/13/17 Farmers RECC Motion for IC

02/09/17 Order Entered: 1. A hearing in this matter shall be held on Wednesday, March 29, 2017, at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, at the offices of the Public Service Commission at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky. 2. Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation, ("Farmers RECC") 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 statement: "This hearing will be streamed live and may be viewed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov." At the time the notice is mailed or publication is requested, Farmers RECC 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), the record of the formal hearing in this matter shall be by digital video recording.

01/31/17 Commission Staff's Third Request for Information to Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation

01/24/17 Order Entered: Farmers' motion to schedule an informal conference is denied without prejudice.

01/18/17 Farmers RECC response to PSC staff second request for info

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01/18/17	Farmers RECC motion for confidential treatment
01/18/17	Farmers RECC motion to schedule an informal conference
01/05/17	Commission Staff's Second Request for Information to Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation
12/29/16	Farmers RECC Notice of Publication
12/15/16	Farmers RECC Response to Request for Information w/Flash drive and Motion for Confidential Treatment
12/13/16	Order Entered: 1. Farmers' proposed rates are suspended for five months from December 15, 2016, up to and including May 14, 2017. 2. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, shall be followed. 3. a. Responses to requests for information shall be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to questions related to the information provided, with copies to all parties of record and ten copies to the Commission. b. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or an 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.
12/09/16	Order Entered: 1. Farmers' motion for extension of time is granted. 2. Farmers' responses to the information requested in Staff's First Request shall be filed on or before December 15, 2016.
12/02/16	No Deficiency Upon Further Review
11/28/16	Deficiency letter, information due 12/08
11/21/16	Farmers RECC Motion for Extension of Time
11/16/16	Acknowledge Receipt of Filing
11/15/16	Farmers RECC Application for an Increase in Retail Rates
11/10/16	Commission Staff's First Request for Information to Farmers Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation
11/10/16	Order Entered: 1. Farmers R.E.C.C's motion to utilize paper filing procedures is granted. 2. The Commission's Order entered October 14, 2016, is amended to the extent that from today forward this case shall be processed utilizing paper filing procedures. 3. The style of this case is revised to remove the reference to "Electronic."
10/26/16	David S. Samford Farmers RECC Motion to convert case from an electronic case to a traditional case
10/14/16	Order Entered: 1. All future correspondence or filings in connection with this case shall reference the above case number. 2. All documents submitted in this proceeding shall comply with the Commission's rules of procedure as set forth in 807 KAR 5:001 and any deviation from these rules shall be submitted in writing to the Commission for consideration. 3. Any party filing a paper shall upload an electronic version using the Commission's E-Filing System and shall file an original and six copies in paper medium, except that only two copies in paper medium shall be filed of maps, plans, specifications, and drawings pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 15(2)(d). 4. Any request for confidential treatment of material submitted shall conform to the requirements in 807 KAR 5:001(13). 5. Materials submitted to the Commission which do not comply with the rules of procedure or that do not have an approved deviation are subject to rejection pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 3.
10/14/16	Farmers RECC Notice of Intent to File Application for Increase in Retail Rates Using Electronic Filing Procedures

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Total Number of Cases: 1