DATA REQUEST

SWVA 2_1 Refer to the Company's response to QUESTION SWVA-1-1, please provide the per unit credit (for example, in \$/kW or \$/kWh), that a customer participating directly in PJM's demand response programs as a capacity resource would receive for interruptibility/interruptions (i.e., in comparison to firm service) in 2012-2025. Provide all supporting documentation.

RESPONSE

Compensation for PJM DR Participants in the capacity market is based on a combination of PJM's Base Residual Auction and the three Incremental Auctions as well as the participant's PJM region. The basic calculation for revenue is:

Total Nominated MW x Market Clearing Price(\$/MW-day) x 365

Please refer to the table below for BRA market prices. Compensation for interruptions or reducing load is equal to the measured reduction adjusted for losses multiplied by the time appropriate Location Marginal Price (LMP). Again, the resource's location and choice of CSP will greatly factor into their compensation.

Delivery Year Clearing Price 2012/2013 \$16.46 2013/2014 \$27.73 \$125.99 2014/2015 2015/2016 \$136.00 2016/2017 \$59.37 2017/2018 \$120.00 2018/2019 \$164.77 2019/2020 \$100.00 \$76.53 2020/2021 2021/2022 \$140.00 2022/2023 \$50.00 2023/2024 \$34.13 2024/2025 \$28.92

Compensation for interruptions or reducing load is equal to the measured energy reduction in kWh adjusted for losses multiplied by the time appropriate Location

Marginal Price (LMP). Again, the resource's location and PJM's auction prices will greatly factor into the compensation received.

Table Source: PJM Markets & Operations

Witness: Michael M. Spaeth

DATA REQUEST

SWVA 2_2 Please explain how the Company accounts for interruptible retail load in its cost of service study.

RESPONSE

The demand allocator utilized in the jurisdictional cost of service study reflects the coincident demand of the Company's retail customers at the time of Kentucky Power's monthly peak, averaged over the test year (12 months-ended March 2023). The demand allocator relies on the actual demand imposed by all customers at the time of Kentucky Power's monthly peak. The actual monthly peak demand may or may not be impacted by interruptions called during the test year.

Witness: Katharine I. Walsh

Witness: Jaclyn N. Cost

DATA REQUEST

SWVA 2_3 Please explain whether and how the Company accounts for a class' interruptible load when allocating fixed costs in its cost of service study.

RESPONSE

Consistent with the jurisdictional cost of service study (JCOS) demand allocation, the class cost of service study (CCOS) reflects the coincident demand of the Company's retail customers at the time of Kentucky Power's monthly peak, averaged over the test year (12 months-ended March 2023). The demand allocators rely on the actual demand imposed by all customers at the time of Kentucky Power's monthly peak. The actual monthly peak demand may or may not be impacted by interruptions called during the test year.

Witness: Katharine I. Walsh

Witness: Jaclyn N. Cost

DATA REQUEST

SWVA 2_4 Regarding the class relative RORs reflected in Figure JNC-2, please provide the relative RORs that result from the Company's proposed revenue allocation/rate design. Provide all supporting documentation.

RESPONSE

Please see attachment KPCO_R_SWVA_2_4_Attachment1.

Witness: Jaclyn N. Cost

Witness: Michael M. Spaeth

DATA REQUEST

SWVA 2_5 Please provide the class relative RORs by subclass (i.e., primary, subtransmission, etc.) under present and proposed rates. Provide all supporting documentation.

RESPONSE

Please see attachment KPCO_R_SWVA_2_4_Attachment1.

Witness: Jaclyn N. Cost

Witness: Michael M. Spaeth

DATA REQUEST

SWVA 2_6 Please explain how customers, and customer classes, would receive and/or experience the benefit(s) of the approximately \$74 million in net present value ("NPV") allegedly associated with securitization.

RESPONSE

As stated in the Direct Testimony of Company Witness Niehaus, with the appropriate statutory framework and a carefully crafted financing order, securitizations benefit from a significantly lower cost of capital compared to traditional investor-owned utility rate mechanisms. Typically, traditional rate mechanisms set customer rates based upon a utility's weighted cost of capital, which includes an average corporate debt cost along with a generally higher allowed return on 50 percent or more equity capital in the calculation. Utility securitization customer charges are based upon a capital cost comprised of 99.5 percent AAA-rated debt and 0.5 percent equity. By significantly increasing the percentage of debt and virtually eliminating the equity return component of these transactions, utility ratepayers can save millions of dollars in carrying costs associated with the recovery of these legitimate utility expenses.

Witness: Katrina Niehaus





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The undersigned, Jaclyn N. Cost, being duly sworn, deposes and says she is a Regulatory Consultant Principal for American Electric Power Service Corporation, that she has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the foregoing responses and the information contained therein is true and correct to the best of her information, knowledge, and belief.

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The undersigned, Katrina T. Niehaus, being duly sworn, deposes and says she is the Managing Director, Head of Corporate Asset Backed Securities Finance Group, for Goldman, Sachs and Company, that she has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the foregoing responses and the information contained therein is true and correct to the best of her information, knowledge, and belief.

Katrina T. Niehaus

State of New York

County of New York

Case No. 2023-00159

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and before said County and State, by <u>Katrina T. Niehaus</u>, on ______.

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The undersigned, Michael M. Spaeth, being duly sworn, deposes and says he is the Regulatory Pricing and Analysis Manager for American Electric Power Service Corporation, that he has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the foregoing responses and the information contained therein is true and correct to the best of his information, knowledge, and belief.

Michael M. Spaeth

Case No. 2023-00159

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and State, by Michael M. Spaeth, on 9/2012-3

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