

To PNM Customers:

The enclosed document is required by the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission ("NMPRC"). The purpose of the document is to provide notice for PNM's proposed renewable energy filing.

The notice:

- describes the Public Regulation Commission process to consider this request.
- describes how you can participate in this process if you choose to do so.

If you **do** wish to participate in the regulatory process, the attachment provides details on how to take part.
If you **do not** wish to participate in the regulatory process, you are not required to do anything.

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF PUBLIC SERVICE)	
COMPANY OF NEW MEXICO'S)	
RENEWABLE ENERGY ACT PLAN)	
FOR 2021 AND PROPOSED 2021 RIDER)	
RATE UNDER RATE RIDER NO. 36,)	Case No. 20-00124-UT
)	
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW)	
MEXICO,)	
)	
Applicant.)	
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NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

NOTICE is hereby given of the following matters pertaining to the above-captioned case pending before the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission ("NMPRC" or "Commission"):

On June 1, 2020, Public Service Company of New Mexico ("PNM") filed its Application for Approval of its Renewable Energy Act Plan for 2021 ("2021 Plan") pursuant to the Renewable Energy Act, NMSA 1978, Sections 62-16-1 to -10 ("REA"), and the Commission's Renewable Energy Rule, 17.9.572 NMAC ("Rule 572").

PNM's Application asks the Commission to approve its 2021 Plan, including the following new or continued approvals:

- Approval of the 2021 Plan, which proposes no new renewable procurements;
- Approval to reset the Renewable Energy Rider, Rider No. 36 ("Rider 36") rate from \$0.0076413 per kWh to \$0.0085525 per kWh effective January 1, 2021;
- Approval to begin collecting the balance as of December 31, 2020 of the regulatory asset that was approved by the Commission in Case No. 10-00018-UT for PNM's Sky Blue voluntary renewable program ("Sky Blue") through Rider 36;
- Approval of variances from the requirements of 17.9.572 NMAC ("Rule 572") that are inconsistent with the 2019 amendments to the REA; and
- To the extent necessary, a variance from the data filing requirements of 17.9.530 NMAC.

As part of the Application, PNM proposes to recover \$67,769,085 through Rider 36, as compared with \$60,137,846 that will be recovered in 2020, an increase of \$7,631,239 or 13%.

PNM is proposing that the following Revised Rider No. 36 rates become effective January 1, 2021, and be collected through a line item charge on customers' bills.

Affected Electric Rate Classes	Tariff Applied	Current Rate (as of April 28, 2020)	Proposed Rate
(To be Effective January 1, 2021)			
Residential Service 1A & 1B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Small Power Service 2A & 2B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
General Power Service 3B & 3C	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Large Power Service 4B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Large Power Service for Customers >=8,000kW 5B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Private Area Lighting Service 6	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Irrigation Service 10A & 10B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Water & Sewage Pumping 11B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Large Service for Public Universities 15B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Streetlighting and Floodlighting Service 20	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Large Service, Manufacturing – Distribution Level 30B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Large Service for Station Power 33B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Large Power Service >=3,000kW 35B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh
Special Service -Renw. Energy Res. 36B	PNM Rider No. 36	\$0.0076413 per kWh	\$0.0085525 per kWh

For PNM residential customers on Rate Schedule 1A without demand meters, the present average monthly bill and the anticipated bill for each of the following levels of consumption are as follows:

Consumption (kWh)	Present Bill	Anticipated bill
0	\$7.11	\$7.11
250	\$32.69	\$32.91
500	\$59.93	\$60.39
750	\$93.84	\$94.52
1000	\$129.49	\$130.40
2000	\$282.52	\$284.34

The proposed rate changes stated by customer rate class are for informational purposes. The final rates approved by the Commission in this proceeding may vary from the rates proposed by PNM.

On June 10, 2020, the Commission entered an Order designating the undersigned to preside over this proceeding and to issue a Recommended Decision.

The Commission has assigned Case No. 20-00124-UT to this proceeding and all inquiries or written comments concerning this matter should refer to that case number. Interested persons may examine the Application and the prefiled testimonies, exhibits, pleadings and other documents filed in the public record online at <http://nmprc.state.nm.us> under "Case Lookup EdoCKET."

The present procedural schedule for this case is as follows:

- a. On or before August 28, 2020, any person desiring to intervene to become a party ("intervenor") in this case must file a motion for leave to intervene in conformity with NMPRC Rules of Procedure, 1.2.2.23(A) and (B) NMAC.
- b. Staff and any Intervenor testimony shall be filed by August 28, 2020.
- c. Rebuttal testimony shall be filed by September 16, 2020.
- d. A public hearing shall be held beginning on September 24, 2020, commencing at 9:00 a.m. MDT, and shall continue as necessary through September 25, 2020. The hearing will be held either (i) at the Commission's offices in the P.E.R.A. Building, 1120 Paseo de Peralta, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 4th Floor Hearing Room; or (ii) via the Zoom platform in whole or in part depending on potential COVID-19 restrictions and guidelines and related safety concerns.

The procedural dates and requirements of this case are subject to further order of the Commission or Hearing Examiner. Interested persons should contact the Commission at 505-690-4191 for confirmation of the hearing date, time and place since hearings are occasionally rescheduled.

The Commission's Rules of Procedure at 1.2.2 NMAC shall apply to this case except as modified by order of the Commission or Hearing Examiner. A copy of such Rules are available at the official NMAC website, <http://www.nmprc.state.nm.us/nmac/>.

Any person whose testimony has been filed shall attend the hearing and submit to examination under oath.

Any interested person may submit written or oral comment during the hearing pursuant to 1.2.2.23(F) NMAC without becoming an intervenor. All such comments shall not be considered as evidence in this case. Written comments, which shall reference NMPRC Case No. 20-00124-UT, also may be sent to the Commission at the following address:

New Mexico Public Regulation Commission

ATTN: Records Division

PERA Building

P.O. Box 1269

1120 Paseo de Peralta

Santa Fe, NM 87501-1269

Anyone filing pleadings, testimony and other documents shall follow the Commission's Temporary NMPRC Filing Policy, available at <http://nmprc.state.nm.us>, toward the top of the page and to the right of "NEW!" Pleadings, testimony and other documents shall also be served on all parties of record and Staff in the way or ways specified in the most recent Certificate of Service issued by the Hearing Examiner. Copies of all filings shall also be emailed on the date of filing and service to the Hearing Examiner at Carolyn.glick@state.nm.us.

Any person with a disability requiring special assistance to participate in this proceeding should contact the Commission at 505-827-4500 at least 24 hours before the hearing..

ISSUED at Santa Fe, New Mexico this 22nd day of June, 2020.

NEW MEXICO PUBLIC REGULATION COMMISSION

/s/ Carolyn R. Glick

Carolyn R. Glick
Hearing Examiner