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STATE OF INDIANA
INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF AN ORDER)
APPROVING UTILITY ARTICLES)
PURSUANT TO 170 IAC 1-6.)

APPROVED: FEB 17 2014

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

The Indiana Administrative Code provides for Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines pursuant to the authority of Ind. Code 8-1-1-3 and Ind. Code 8-1-2-42. The thirty-day filing process is available for certain routine and non-controversial requests to facilitate expedited consideration of these matters by the Commission. The rule sets forth the requirements for the thirty-day administrative filings.

The thirty-day filings received pursuant to 170 IAC 1-6 and ripe for Commission action are attached hereto and collectively referred to as the Utility Articles. There are no controversial filings in the Utility Articles approved today.


Pursuant to the rule, the Commission Technical Divisions have submitted their recommendations to the Commission. Therefore, the Commission finds that the requirements of 170 IAC 1-6 have been met and that the Utility Articles attached are hereby approved.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

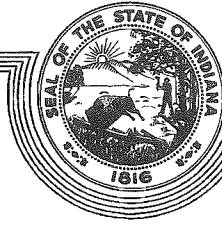
ATTERHOLT, MAYS AND ZIEGNER CONCUR:

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I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Order as approved.



Shala M. Coe, Acting
Secretary to the Commission



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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chairman James D. Atterholt
 Commissioners Ziegner, and Mays

FROM: Commission Technical Divisions

DATE: February 11, 2014

RE: 30-Day Utility Articles for Conference on *FRIDAY, February 14, 2014 @ 9:00 A.M.*

The following thirty-day filings have been submitted to the Commission. Each item was reviewed by the appropriate Commission Technical Divisions and all regulations were met in accordance with 170 IAC 1-6 Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines. Therefore, the following filings listed below and attached hereto are recommended to be considered by the Commission at the next conference:

<u>Attachment Number</u>	<u>30-Day Filing No.</u>	<u>Name of Utility Company</u>	<u>Type of Request</u>	<u>Date Received</u>
1	3140	Pioneer Water, LLC	Rules and Regulations	03/01/2013
2	3215	Tipton Municipal Electric Utility	1 st Quarter Purchase Power Tracker 2014	01/14/2014

Submitted By: E. Curtis Gassert
Director, Water/Sewer Division

Filing Party: Pioneer Water, LLC
30-Day Filing ID No.: 3140
Date Filed: March 1, 2013
Filed Pursuant To: 170 IAC 1-6
Request: The utility is proposing to revise and update its rules and regulations.
Customer Impact: No rate impact.
Rule Page(s) Affected: Pages 1 through 6 were replaced with pages 1 through 29.
Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.

Submitted By: *Bradley K. Borum* *BKB*
Director, Electric Division

Filing Party: Tipton Municipal Electric Utility

30-Day Filing ID No.: 3215

Date Filed: January 14, 2014

Filed Pursuant To: Commission Order No. 43554, dated November 6, 2008

Request: A revision to Rate LIP – Large Industrial Power Service. Tipton Municipal Electric Utility wishes to lower the minimum threshold level of capacity for customers to be eligible to receive service under Rate LIP. The current minimum projected capacity a customer must have for service under Rate LIP is 10,000 kW. Tipton Municipal Electric Utility wishes to lower that to 4,000 kW.

Also, there are some minor additions to the language in the tariff. “If any” was added in two sections; one referencing the “Facilities Charge” and the other referencing the “Equipment Adjustment.”

Customer Impact: There are no current customers under Rate LIP.

Tariff Page(s) Affected: Tariff Rate LIP, under “Availability” on Page 1 of 4 and under “Billing Maximum Load” on Page 2 of 4, the eligibility threshold is changed from 10,000 kilowatts to 4,000 kilowatts. The words “if any” are added to the reference to a “Facilities Charge” on Page 2 of 4 and the reference to an “Equipment Adjustment” on Page 3 of 4. The Chrysler facility will not involve a “Facility Charge” or “Equipment Adjustment.”

Staff Recommendations: In Cause No. 43554, this rate was approved with the notion that a new automobile transmission plant owned by, Getrag, would begin its operation in Tipton Municipal Electric’s service area. Because the Getrag plant would bring jobs to Indiana and help spur economic growth, Tipton Municipal Electric worked with stakeholders to develop a rate for this type of service that would help attract and retain Getrag and similar types of businesses.

The recession was a large factor in the already built plant (including substation) never going into service, and Getrag’s subsequent bankruptcy.

Chrysler Group, LLC has recently announced that they will occupy the plant to build transmissions. Their initial minimum capacity will not meet the 10,000 kW threshold; but is projected to be able to meet a capacity of 4,000 kW.

This will not adversely impact the service or rates and charges to other customers.

Staff recommends approval.