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Col. Thomas Golden (Ret.) Executive Director Nebraska Public Service Commission 1200 N Street, Suite 300 Lincoln, NE 68508

Re: Black Hills Nebraska Gas, LLC, d/b/a Black Hills Energy 2024 Residential and Commercial Annual Report Choice Gas Program Supplier Selections

Dear Mr. Golden:

In accordance with Rule 018.03 of the Commission's Natural Gas and Pipeline Rules and Regulations, published at Nebraska Administrative Code, Title 291, Chapter 9, Black Hills Nebraska Gas, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy hereby transmits for filing with the Commission an original and one copy of its Residential and Commercial Annual Report detailing

- a) a list of the suppliers participating in the Residential and Commercial Choice Gas Program for the 2024-2025 program year; and
- b) the total number of customers that selected each listed supplier for the program year.

The customer selection numbers include customers that defaulted to each supplier pursuant to the terms of the referenced Choice Gas Program rate schedule. This information is reported in Attachment A to this transmittal letter.

In addition, pursuant to the Commission's Progression Order #1 in Commission Application No. NG-102/PI-225 (Entered October 29, 2019) at page 4, the Commission also ordered Black Hills Nebraska Gas to provide the following information as part of its Residential and Commercial Annual Selection Report:

- 1. the number of customers eligible to make a choice during the selection period broken down by residential and commercial class;
- 2. the percentage of customers making an active selection in each class; and
- 3. the number of customers who changed suppliers.

This information is reported in Attachment B to this transmittal letter.

Please contact me at (307) 421-6655 if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Black Hills Nebraska Gas, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy

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And

<u>/s/ Douglas J. Law</u> Douglas J. Law, NE Bar #19436 Associate General Counsel 1731 Windhoek Drive Lincoln, NE 68512 (402) 221-2635

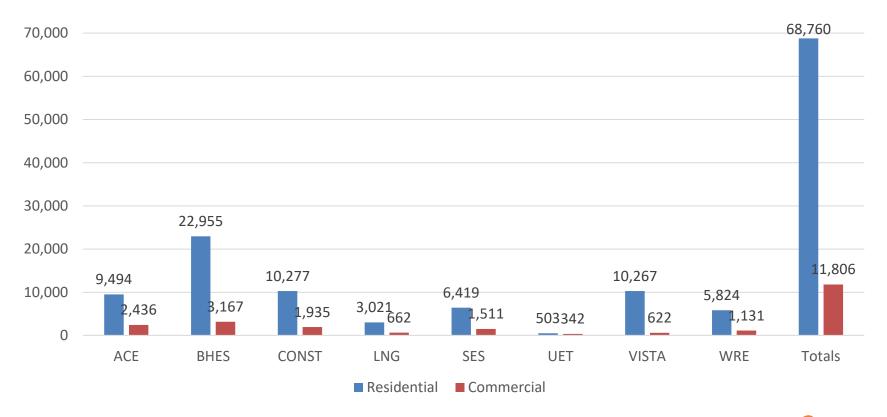
Enclosures

cc: Nichole Mulcahy, Director of Natural Gas Department, NPSC Chris Dibbern, Nebraska Public Advocate Attachment A 2024 Residential & Commercial Annual Report Choice Gas Program Supplier Selections

Suppliers Participating in the Choice Gas Program	2024 Number of Customers*	2023 Number of Customers*
Vista Energy Marketing	10,889	10,999
Constellation Energy	12,212	14,111
Black Hills Energy Services	26,122	27,588
Symmetry Energy	7,930	8,024
WoodRiver Energy, LLC	6,955	5,988
ACE	11,930	12,760
Uncle Frank Energy Marketing	845	938
Legacy Natural Gas	3,683	-

* For purposes of this report, the number of customers is based on the number of premises that either selected, or defaulted to, the respective Choice Gas Program Supplier.

Balloted Numbers by Supplier & Customer Class

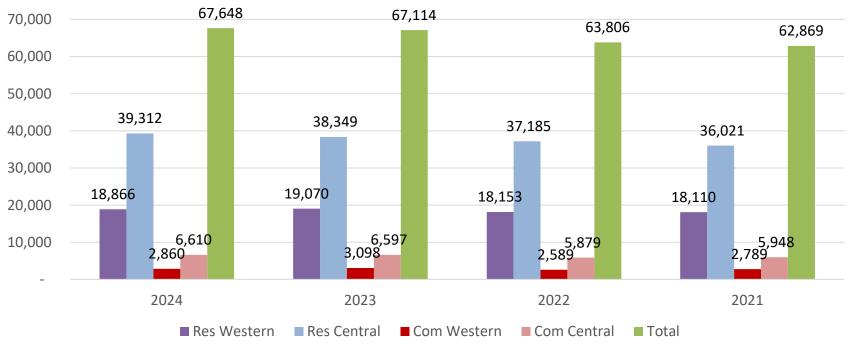




Black Hills Nebraska Gas, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy 2024 Residential and Commercial Annual Report Choice Gas Program Supplier Selections Attachment B

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QUESTION 1: The number of customers eligible to make a choice during the selection period broken down by residential and commercial class

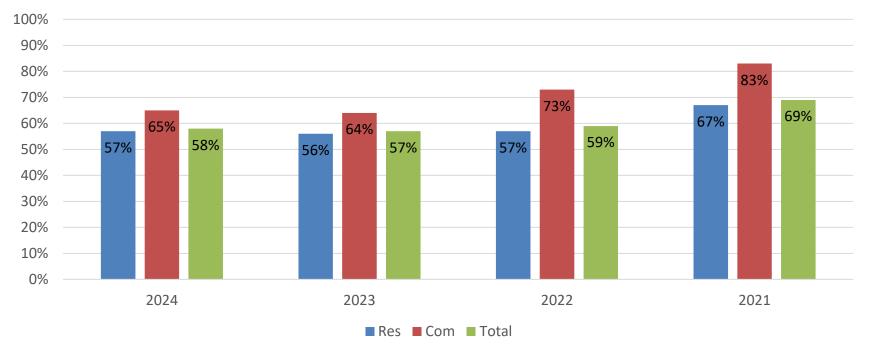


2021-2024 Nebraska Eligible by Area

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QUESTION 2: The percentage of customers making an active selection in each class

2021-2024 Nebraska Active Ballots by Class





QUESTION 3: The number of customers who changed suppliers

2021-2024 Comparison of Selections for Same Supplier vs Changing Suppliers

