

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of) Application No. NG-128
NorthWestern Energy Public Service)
Corporation, Black Hills Corporation, and) REQUEST FOR HEARING ON MOTION
NorthWestern Energy Group, Inc. for) FOR CONTINUANCE BY THE
Approval of Merger.) NEBRASKA PUBLIC ADVOCATE

The Nebraska Public Advocate, Intervenor in the above matter (hereinafter "Public Advocate"), hereby requests a hearing on her motion for continuance. In support thereof, the Public Advocate states and alleges as follows:

1. On or about December 30, 2025, the Public Advocate filed her motion for continuance with the Commission.
2. On or about January 14, 2026, the Applicants filed their response with the Commission.
3. The Public Advocate and the Applicants have not resolved the issues that are the basis of the Public Advocate's motion for continuance.

WHEREFORE, the Public Advocate respectfully requests that the Commission Hearing Officer set a hearing for the Public Advocate's motion for continuance.

DATED this 16th day of January, 2026

NEBRASKA PUBLIC ADVOCATE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the Public Advocate's Request for Hearing on Motion for Continuance was served electronically on this 16th day of January 2026 upon the following:

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