



November 1, 2024

Mr. Thomas Golden, Executive Director
Nebraska Public Service Commission
1200 N Street, Suite 300
Lincoln, NE, 68508

Mr. Golden:

Enclosed herein are an original and redline copy of 48th Revised Sheet No. 7.1 of NorthWestern's Gas Tariff.

Sheet No. 7.1 reflects changes in the costs of purchased gas to be effective November 1, 2024. This price change includes the interim rate increase that became effective October 1, 2024. It also includes a price increase from Tallgrass for No Notice Storage. Shown below are the bill impacts to an annual average usage of 60 therms, as well as a winter benchmark usage of 150 therms:

<u>Monthly Usage</u>	<u>November 2024</u>	<u>April 2024</u>	<u>November 2023</u>
60 therms	\$64.86	\$39.56	\$57.01
150 therms	\$139.11	\$79.81	\$123.42

The \$15.69 increase in a winter bill from 2023 to 2024 is primarily due to the following: \$6.62 from interim rates, \$8.72 from the Tallgrass rate increase, and \$0.35 from purchased gas costs.

Please contact me at the number below with any questions regarding the above changes.

Sincerely,

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**NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
NATURAL GAS RATE SCHEDULE
for
NORTHWESTERN CORPORATION d/b/a NORTHWESTERN ENERGY**

Section No. 3
48th Revised Sheet No. 7.1
Canceling 47th Revised Sheet No. 7.1

Purchased Gas Cost Adjustment

	<u>Per Therm Per Month</u>
Rate No. 91 – Residential Gas Service – Firm Gas Commodity Charge	\$0. <u>7007534954</u>
Rate No. 92 – General Gas Service – Firm Gas Commodity Charge	\$0. <u>7007534954</u>
Rate No. 93 – Irrigation – Interruptible Sales Service Gas Commodity Charge	\$0. <u>4726719957</u>
Rate No. 94 – Commercial and Industrial – Firm Sales Service Gas Demand Charge – Standard Service (all contract therms)	<u>\$1.0071</u> \$0.80820
Gas Commodity Charge	\$0. <u>4626718957</u>
Rate No. 95 – Commercial & Industrial – Interruptible Sales Service Gas Commodity Charge	\$0. <u>4726719957</u>
Rate No. 97 – Commercial and Industrial – Firm Sales Service Fuel Retention Percent Adjustment	0.00%

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Rate No. 92 – General Gas Service – Firm Gas Commodity Charge	\$0.70075
Rate No. 93 – Irrigation – Interruptible Sales Service Gas Commodity Charge	\$0.47267
Rate No. 94 – Commercial and Industrial – Firm Sales Service Gas Demand Charge – Standard Service (all contract therms)	\$1.0071
Gas Commodity Charge	\$0.46267
Rate No. 95 – Commercial & Industrial – Interruptible Sales Service Gas Commodity Charge	\$0.47267
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