

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20426

OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

Northern Natural Gas Company
Docket No. RP25-561-000

Issued: February 27, 2025

On February 12, 2025, Northern Natural Gas Company filed tariff records¹ reflecting a new negotiated rate agreement with J. Aron & Company. Waiver of the Commission's 30-day notice requirement is granted. Pursuant to authority delegated to the Director, Division of Pipeline Regulation, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307, the tariff records are accepted, effective February 13, 2025, as requested.

The filing was publicly noticed. No protests or adverse comments were filed. Pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 385.214), notices of intervention, timely-filed motions to intervene, and any unopposed motions to intervene out-of-time filed before the issuance date of this order are granted.

This action shall not be construed as a waiver of the requirements of section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended; nor shall it be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such rate or service contained in the applicant's tariff; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against the applicant.

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Issued by: Marsha K. Palazzi, Director, Division of Pipeline Regulation

¹ Northern Natural Gas Company, FERC Gas Tariffs, [Part 5, Negotiated Rates \(5.0.0\)](#); [Section 50, \(3.0.0\)](#).

Tariff record(s) to be inserted into your copy of
Northern Natural Gas Company's FERC Gas Tariff,
Seventh Revised Volume No. 1

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<u>Shipper Name:</u>	J. Aron & Company
<u>Contract No.:</u>	144300
<u>Rate Schedule:</u>	TFX
<u>Term of Negotiated Rate:</u>	02/13/2025 through 03/31/2025
<u>Non-conforming Agreement:</u>	No
<u>Winter Quantity Dth/day:</u>	20,000
<u>Summer Quantity Dth/day:</u>	20,000
<u>Receipt Points:</u>	All Field Area MID 1 – MID 7 Receipt Points
<u>Delivery Points:</u>	NNG Field/Mkt Demarcation-16B, Demarc Def. Delivery

The daily charge for the Contract MDQ shall be the MDQ multiplied by the "Rate." The "Rate" is the arithmetic value obtained from the formula $[(D \text{ minus } ((R \text{ plus } I) \text{ divided by } F)) \text{ times } S \text{ times } P]$, where (D) = the Midpoint price from Platts "Gas Daily" Northern, demarc; (R) = the Midpoint price from Platts "Gas Daily" Waha; (I) = \$0.00; (F) = 1.0 less the applicable fuel percentage for deliveries to NNG Field MKT Demarcation - 16B (POI 37654) (Demarc) from Fuel Section 1; (S) = 0.85; and (P) = the actual % of MDQ scheduled on this agreement. However, when calculating the "Rate," in no event will $[(D \text{ minus } ((R \text{ plus } I) \text{ divided by } F)) \text{ times } S]$ be less than \$0.05. The monthly charge will be the sum of all daily charges from the formula above.

Shipper's charges above shall be reduced, in Northern's sole discretion, for any quantity that is unable to be delivered up to the MDQ. In the event of an outage on Northern's pipeline system that impacts the Shipper's ability to flow the primary receipt and delivery points, Shipper's rate will be reduced to zero for any primary quantity allocated in the Timely cycle or curtailed. Shipper's rate will not be reduced for any quantity that is ultimately rescheduled.

In addition to the above rates, Shipper shall provide any applicable fuel use and unaccounted for.

The Rate set forth above is applicable to the receipt and delivery points (POI) listed above. For any delivered quantities on any day from receipt points not listed above located in MIDs 8 through 16B, Shipper shall pay an additional \$0.40/Dth/day charge. In addition to the foregoing, for quantities delivered to non-primary delivery points, Shipper shall pay an additional (i) \$0.40/Dth/day charge for deliveries to points located in MIDs 1 through 16A. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, in the event of an outage on Northern's pipeline system that impacts the Shipper's ability to schedule any primary receipt and delivery points, Shipper may use, at the Rate set forth above, for either (1) any Field Area receipt point located in MIDs 8 through 16A for delivery to Demarc or Demarc Def. - Delivery, or (2) any receipt point located in MIDs 1 through 7 for delivery to any Field Area delivery point not listed above located in MIDs 1 through 16A.

If any primary points are realigned, Shipper shall pay an additional \$0.30/Dth/day for the entire contract MDQ for the remaining term of the Agreement; however, Shipper and Northern may mutually agree to a realignment between points located in MIDs 1 through 16A. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, the rate for such agreed upon realignment will be the Rate set forth above.