

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20426

OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

Northern Natural Gas Company
Docket No. RP25-229-000

Issued: December 16, 2024

On November 27, 2024, Northern Natural Gas Company filed tariff records¹ to reflect four amended negotiated rate agreements with various shippers and to remove an expired negotiated rate agreement with Tenaska Marketing Ventures. 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 December 1, 2024, 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 See Appendix.

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Northern Natural Gas Company
FERC Gas Tariffs

Tariff Records Accepted Effective December 1, 2024:

[Part 5, Negotiated Rates \(3.0.0\)](#)

[Section 46, \(2.0.0\)](#)

[Section 47, \(2.0.0\)](#)

[Section 49, \(2.0.0\)](#)

[Section 50, \(2.0.0\)](#)

[Section 51, \(4.0.0\)](#)

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>	Eco-Energy Natural Gas, LLC
<u>Contract No.:</u>	141380
<u>Rate Schedule:</u>	TFX
<u>Term of Negotiated Rate:</u>	12/01/2024 through 12/31/2024
<u>Non-conforming Agreement:</u>	No
<u>Winter Quantity Dth/day:</u>	15,000
<u>Summer Quantity Dth/day:</u>	0
<u>Receipt Points:</u>	Oneok Westex Seagraves, All Field Area MID 1 – MID 7 Receipt Points
<u>Delivery Points:</u>	El Paso/NNG Plains 26 Del, Agua Blanca Pecos Co, El Paso/NNG Waha, Oneok Westex Reeves

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 minus ((R plus I) divided by F)) times S times P] where (D) = the Index price from "Gas Daily" ICE El Paso, Plains Pool; (R) = the Midpoint price from "Gas Daily" Waha; (I) = \$0.05; (F) = 1.0 less the applicable fuel percentage for deliveries to El Paso/NNG Plains 26 Del (POI 2618) from fuel Section 1; (S) = 0.90; and (P) = the actual % of MDQ scheduled on this Agreement. However, when calculating the "Rate," in no event will [(D minus ((R plus I) divided by F)) times S] be less than \$0.02. The monthly charge will be the sum of all daily charges from the formula above.

In the event component (D) in the formula above (Index price from "Gas Daily" ICE El Paso, Plains Pool) is not published on a day; Northern and Shipper may mutually agree on a daily price to be used in place of the index associated with (D) above. In the event Northern and Shipper are unable to agree on the daily price, in place of the index associated with (D) above, (D) will be equal to the greater of the Midpoint price of "Gas Daily" El Paso, San Juan; "Gas Daily" ANR, Okla.; or "Gas Daily" Panhandle, Tx.-Okla.

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. For any delivered quantities on any day from receipt points 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 16B and (ii) charge equal to the higher of \$0.40/Dth/day or the Platts "Gas Daily" spread between Midpoints for Demarc and Waha for any delivered quantities to Demarc or Demarc Deferred Delivery. 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 any Field Area receipt point located in MIDs 8 through 16A for delivery to El Paso Plains Del. 26, or any receipt point located in MIDs 1 through 7 for delivery to any Field Area delivery point not located in MIDs 1-16A.

Northern shall have the unilateral right upon providing 48 hours advance written notice (Conversion Notice) to convert the Rate for this entitlement to \$0.75/Dth/day. If Northern provides such notice, Shipper shall have the unilateral right to reduce the MDQ of this Agreement to 50 Dth/day by providing Northern written notice within 6 hours of the Conversion Notice. Any such reduction will be effective at Shipper's election as of the date of Shipper's written notice. Northern and Shipper may agree to realign rather than reduce the MDQ at an agreed upon rate.

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 7. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, the rate for such agreed upon realignment will be the Rate set forth above.

Shipper Name: EDF Trading North America, LLC
Contract No.: 143045
Rate Schedule: TFX
Term of Negotiated Rate: 12/01/2024 through 12/31/2024
Non-conforming Agreement: No
Winter Quantity Dth/day: 50,000
Summer Quantity Dth/day: 0
Receipt Points: NBPL/NNG Ventura, NBPL/NNG Grundy Center, Ventura Pooling Point (MID 17-192)
Delivery Points: ANR/NNG Janesville, Nicor-East Dubuque

The daily charge for the Contract MDQ shall be the MDQ multiplied by the "Rate." The "Rate" is \$0.02 plus the arithmetic value obtained from the formula $[(D \text{ minus } (R \text{ divided by } F)) \text{ times } S \text{ times } V]$ where (D) = the Midpoint price from "Gas Daily" Alliance, into interstates; (R) = the Midpoint price from "Gas Daily" Northern, Ventura; (F) = 1.0 less the applicable Section 3 Market Area fuel percentage for deliveries to ANR/NNG Janesville (POI 180) and NICOR-EAST DUBUQUE (POI 234); (S) = 0.9; and (V) = the actual % of MDQ scheduled on this contract. However, in no event will $[(D \text{ minus } (R \text{ divided by } F))]$ be less than \$0.02. The monthly charge will be the sum of all daily Rates.

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. Shipper agrees that if any Market Area receipt or delivery points not listed are used either on a primary or alternate basis, Shipper shall pay the Rate set forth above plus \$0.40/Dth for each day for any quantity received or delivered at any point not listed.

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. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, the rate for such agreed upon realignment will be the Rate set forth above.

<u>Shipper Name:</u>	Freepoint Commodities LLC
<u>Contract No.:</u>	139181
<u>Rate Schedule:</u>	TFX
<u>Term of Negotiated Rate:</u>	12/01/2024 through 12/31/2024
<u>Non-conforming Agreement:</u>	No
<u>Winter Quantity Dth/day:</u>	32,385
<u>Summer Quantity Dth/day:</u>	0
<u>Receipt Points:</u>	Pampa Pooling Point, All Field Area MID 1 – MID 7 Receipt Points
<u>Delivery Points:</u>	Pampa Pooling Point, 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) = \$0.04; (F) = 1.0 less the applicable fuel percentage for deliveries to NNG Field MKT Demarcation - 16B (POI 37654) (Demarc) from Fuel Section 1; (S) = 0.9; and (P) = the actual % of MDQ scheduled on this Agreement, excluding any deliveries to the Pampa Pooling Point that are ultimately redelivered to Demarc 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.

Northern shall have the unilateral right upon providing 48 hours advance written notice to convert (Conversion Notice) this entitlement to maximum tariff rates. If Northern provides such notice, Shipper shall have the unilateral right to reduce the MDQ of this Agreement to 50 Dth/day by providing Northern written notice within 6 hours of the Conversion Notice. Any such reduction will be effective at Shipper's election as of the date of Shipper's written notice. Northern and Shipper may agree to realign rather than reduce the MDQ at an agreed upon rate.

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, including any affected contiguous path, 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. For any delivered quantities on any day from receipt points not listed 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, except quantities may be delivered to the Pampa Pooling Point at the Rate set forth above provided the quantities are ultimately redelivered to Demarc on this Agreement. 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; and (ii) charge equal to the higher of Northern's maximum tariff rate or the Platts "Gas Daily" spread between Midpoints for Northern, demarc and Waha, for any delivered quantities to Demarc or Demarc Def.-Delivery that in aggregate exceed the MDQ at Demarc. 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, any quantity that does not exceed the Demarc MDQ less any quantities delivered to Demarc or Demarc Def.-Delivery 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 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 16B provided the MDQ at MID 16B does not exceed 16,000 Dth/day. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, the rate for such agreed upon realignment will be the Rate set forth above.

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Shipper Name: Citadel Energy Marketing LLC
Contract No.: 143942
Rate Schedule: TFX
Term of Negotiated Rate: 12/01/2024 through 12/31/2024
Non-conforming Agreement: No
Winter Quantity Dth/day: 4,100
Summer Quantity Dth/day: 0
Receipt Points: Agua Blanca Pecos Co, All Field Area MID 1 – MID 7 Receipt Points
Delivery Points: Oneok Westex Seagraves

Shipper shall pay a daily charge equal to (i) the Contract MDQ multiplied by \$0.02/Dth; and (ii) an incremental \$0.30/Dth for any quantities delivered to ONEOK WESTEX SEAGRAVES (POI 1504) (Rate). The Rate includes all applicable surcharges. The total charge is the sum of the daily charges in (i) and (ii) above.

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. Shipper agrees that if any receipt or delivery points not listed are used either on a primary or alternate basis, shipper shall pay an additional \$0.30/Dth for the entire contract MDQ for the day that any points not listed are used.

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 7. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, the rate for such agreed upon realignment will be the Rate set forth above.