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Tariff Filings

Shipper Imbalance Penalty Assessment (Docket No. RP24-237-000)

On December 11, 2023, Northwest submitted for approval a filing to revise Sections 15-10(a), Assessment of Shipper Imbalance Penalties, and 15.11, Assessment of Charges on Imbalances at Termination of Service Agreement, of the General Terms and Conditions of its Tariff to incentivize shippers to resolve imbalances in kind without incurring penalties. The proposed effective date is January 11, 2024. On January 10, 2024, FERC rejected the tariff records without prejudice.

Operational Sales and Purchases Report (Docket No. RP24-413-000)

On February 22, 2024, Northwest filed its annual report detailing the operational sales and purchases of natural gas made for the twelve-month period ending December 31, 2023.

2024 Summer Fuel Filing (Docket No. RP24-461-000)

On March 21, 2024, the Commission approved Northwest's February 29, 2024 semiannual fuel filing and annual fuel reimbursement filing. Northwest changed the following factors: (1) decrease from 0.96% to 0.84% in the transportation services factor; (2) decrease from 0.49% to 0.38% in the underground storage services factor; (3) decrease from 2.08% to 0.56% in the LNG liquefaction storage service factor; and (4) increase from 0.09% to 0.31% in the LNG vaporization storage service charge. The effective date of the new factors is April 1, 2024.

North Seattle and South Seattle Annual Charges Update Filing 2024 (Docket No. RP24-460-000)

On March 21, 2024, the Commission approved Northwest's February 29, 2024 filing of the annual incremental facility charges for the South Seattle Delivery Lateral Expansion Project and North Seattle Lateral Upgrade Project in compliance with the Commission's orders issued in Docket No. CP12-471 and Docket No. CP17-441. The effective date of the tariff records is April 1, 2024.

Certificates

2024 Line 1400 & 1401 Intermountain Pipe Replacement Project (CP24-87-000)

On March 7, 2024, Northwest filed a Prior Notice Application to remove and replace approximately 3.52 miles of the existing Line 1400 pipeline, 2.02 miles of the existing Line

1401 pipeline, and associated facilities near Boise, Idaho. The public comment period ends on May 17, 2024.