

June 1, 2020

*Via ePUC and First Class Mail*

Ms. Judith Whitney, Clerk  
Vermont Public Utility Commission  
112 State Street, Drawer 20  
Montpelier, VT 05620-2701

**Re: Case No. 20-\_\_\_\_-TF – Tariff filing of Green Mountain Power for approval of its FY21 Annual Base Rate, which requests no change to base rates for October 1, 2020 to September 30, 2021**

Dear Ms. Whitney:

Green Mountain Power (“GMP”) hereby files its Annual Base Rate Tariff Filing for Fiscal Year 2021 (“FY21”) pursuant to GMP’s Multi-Year Regulation Plan (“MYRP” or the “Plan”), approved by the Public Utility Commission (“PUC” or the “Commission”) in Case No. 18-1633-PET on May 24, 2019.

As outlined in the attached supporting material, GMP is proposing no base rate change for customers for FY 2021. As filed, the FY21 Base Rate calculation results in a small revenue surplus (\$346,000), equating to a 0.06% downward adjustment. Simultaneous with this filing, GMP has filed a Petition to seek Commission authorization to change the methodology for collection or return for certain adjustors, and also to apply any final revenue surplus that may result after Department and Commission review to offset owed adjustors. If approved, this would result in no base rate change for customers in FY21 and would help reduce owed adjustor collections, all in order to provide customers greater rate stability during the present COVID-19 crisis and the resulting period of economic hardship. GMP encloses clean and redlined versions of the tariffs, presently reflecting the calculated small revenue surplus, though in the event the PUC approves GMP’s Petition to implement no base rate change these would be withdrawn and an updated Record of Filing would be submitted.

GMP also encloses a proposed on-bill customer notice for PUC review and approval. GMP would like to start the on-bill notice as soon as possible. GMP’s bi-annual public forum will take place virtually in mid-July and will be advertised through various channels, including this on-bill notice once the language is finalized and the PUC approves it.

The Plan provides for a sixty-day review period. As required by the Plan, GMP has previously provided information to the Department to facilitate its review. GMP is also providing an electronic copy of this filing and all supporting materials in native format to the PUC and Department via USB drive. As set forth in the Plan, GMP respectfully requests that the Commission authorize the proposed rate change by September 1, 2020, thirty days before the October 1, 2020 effective date of the revised tariffs.

Please let us know if we can provide the Commission any additional information to aid in its review of the proposed tariff change, and don't hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Geoffrey H. Hand". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

Geoffrey H. Hand, Esq.

Enclosures

cc: Department of Public Service (via ePUC)