Interruptible & Curtailable Program

December 1, 2014 – November 30, 2015

The Interruptible & Curtailable program includes the SWCE rates of CT-01, CT-02, CT-03, CT-04, IR-01, IR-02 and IR-03. Control periods could total up to 300 hours for the calendar year. However members that are part of the IR-01, IR-2 and IR-03 rates will be eligible for a reimbursement of fuel costs incurred for GRE-initiated control that exceeds 80 hours in a calendar year. Members part of the CT-01, CT-02, CT-03 and CT-04 rates are not eligible for the fuel credit.

Predetermined Base Demand

The Predetermined Base Demand (PDL) billing demand shall be the maximum one hour demand of the member agreed to in November of each year for the following 12 month effective December of that year or as adjusted throughout the 12 consecutive months. The PDL elected in November will go into effect December of that same year. Accounts that are part of IR-01, IR-02 and IR-03 rates will automatically have an initial PDL of 0 kW unless specified otherwise.

Failure to control to the PDL during any control period will result in a $5.00/kW demand penalty per month. The demand penalty will be determined using the maximum uncontrolled kW demand, defined as the highest hourly interval above the PDL recorded during all control periods in the billing month.

Failure to control over the monthly billing peak demand hour during a GRE-control period will result in billing of monthly demand charges and:

1) First occurrence during calendar year – No automatic adjustments;
2) Second occurrence during calendar year – PDL automatically increases to equal the highest metered demand during billing peak demand hour (with GRE control) until next January 1st; and
3) Third occurrence during calendar year – PDL automatically increases to equal the highest metered demand during billing peak demand hour (with GRE control) until next June 1st.
4) Automatic adjustments will remain in effect after the dates specified above until readjusted by the member.

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**Opt-Out Option**

Cooperative members may choose to leave the Interruptible & Curtailable Program. Member’s termination from the program must coincide with the conclusion of a GRE season. The GRE seasons are as follows:

1) **Winter Season:** December, January and February
2) **Spring Season:** March, April and May
3) **Summer Season:** June, July and August
4) **Fall Season:** September, October and November

Restrictions exist on how soon a Cooperative member may rejoin the Interruptible & Curtailable Program. These restrictions are as follows:

1) **Opt-out during Spring or Fall season** – cannot rejoin program until the next subsequent season (i.e. June 1st or December 1st.)

2) **Opt-out during Winter season** – cannot rejoin the program until the subsequent Summer season (i.e. June 1st.)

3) **Opt-out during the Summer season** – cannot rejoin the program until the subsequent calendar year (i.e. January 1st.)
   a) Pre-approval is required for any load >1 MW that requests to temporary opt-out of the program.
   b) After January 1st, participating loads must remain available for control for at least one year.