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TO THE HONORABLE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS:

AEP Texas Inc. (AEP Texas or Applicant) files its Application to Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factors and Related Relief pursuant to Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA) §39.905 and 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 25.181(f). In support thereof AEP Texas would show the following:

**I. Applicant**

AEP Texas is a transmission and distribution (T&D) utility that provides T&D service in a service area comprising all or parts of 92 counties in south and west Texas. AEP Texas' business address is 539 North Carancahua Street, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401. Effective December 31, 2016, AEP Texas Central Company (TCC) and AEP Texas North Company (TNC) were merged into their parent company, now called AEP Texas. The merger was approved by the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) in Docket No. 46050 – Application of AEP Texas Central Company, AEP Texas North Company, and AEP Utilities, Inc. for Approval of Merger. The Commission ordered AEP Texas to “maintain separate TCC and TNC divisions, which will continue to charge separate rates and riders, and maintain separate tariffs, unless and until such time as the Commission may consider and approve consolidated rates and tariffs.”<sup>1</sup> Consistent with the Commission’s order, AEP Texas is maintaining two divisions within AEP Texas: AEP Texas Central Division (formerly TCC) and AEP Texas North Division (formerly TNC). Therefore, this EECRF filing for AEP Texas proposes to maintain separate EECRFs for the two divisions of AEP Texas.

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<sup>1</sup> Docket No. 46050, *Application of AEP Texas Central Company, AEP Texas North Company, and AEP Utilities, Inc. for Approval of Merger*, Final Order at Ordering Paragraph No. 2 (Dec. 12, 2016).

## **II. Applicant's Authorized Representatives**

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AEP Texas requests that all pleadings and other documents filed in this proceeding be served on Melissa Gage using the contact information listed above.

## **III. Jurisdiction**

The Commission has jurisdiction over this application pursuant to PURA §39.905 and 16 TAC § 25.181.

## **IV. Affected Persons**

This filing affects all retail electric providers (REPs), serving end-use retail electric customers in AEP Texas' certificated service territory and will affect the retail electric customers of those REPs. There are approximately 1,021,000 end users of electricity in Applicant's service territory, all of whom are customers of REPs. Those end users of electricity who take service at below 69,000 volts, with the exception of industrial distribution customers who filed a notice of intent pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(w) and lighting customers, for whom no energy efficiency programs are available, may be affected by the relief sought by AEP Texas, depending on the actions taken by the REPs who provide them electricity.

## V. Background

In Docket Nos. 45928 and 45929,<sup>1</sup> the Commission authorized AEP Texas to adjust its EECRFs pursuant to PURA §39.905 and 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(1) to recover \$10,761,913 (\$9,003,339 for the Central Division and \$1,758,574 for the North Division) in 2017 for energy efficiency. For AEP Texas, this amount included \$8,659,767 (\$6,869,313 for the Central Division and \$1,790,454 for the North Division) of energy efficiency expenses forecasted for program year 2017 in excess of AEP Texas' projected energy efficiency revenues collected from base rates approved in Docket Nos. 33309 and 33310. It also included \$3,645,793 for AEP Texas' performance bonus achieved by its 2015 energy efficiency results (\$3,459,596 for the Central Division and \$186,197 for the North Division). AEP Texas' approved 2017 EECRFs also included \$1,509,610 returned to customers (\$1,306,003 for the Central Division and \$203,607 for the North Division), the amount of energy efficiency program revenues that were over-recovered by its 2015 EECRF; and recovery of \$9,963 (\$5,433 for the Central Division and \$4,530 for the North Division) for 2015 EECRF proceeding expenses incurred in Docket Nos. 45717 and 45718 by municipalities as authorized by 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(B).

Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(8), a utility such as AEP Texas that serves in an area in which customer choice is offered is required to file an application with the Commission to adjust its EECRF not later than June 1 of each year.

## VI. Request to Adjust the EECRF

By this application, AEP Texas requests the authority to update its EECRF to adjust the cost recovery factors for energy efficiency to collect \$11,618,997 (\$9,488,449 for the Central Division and \$2,130,548 for the North Division) in 2018 to reflect the following components:

- 1) recovery of \$8,650,863 for AEP Texas (\$6,813,091 for the Central Division and \$1,837,772 for the North Division) which is the forecasted 2018 energy efficiency program expenditures in excess of its projected energy efficiency revenues collected from base rates adjusted as outlined in the rule;
- 2) return to customers the amount of \$1,173,691 for the Central Division and \$328,735 for the North Division, representing the over-recovery of \$1,502,426 for AEP Texas actual energy efficiency costs for 2016;
- 3) recovery of \$3,492,251 for the Central Division and \$556,190 for the North Division representing AEP Texas' 2016 performance bonus of \$4,048,441 for achieving demand and energy savings that exceeded its minimum goals to be achieved in 2016; and

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<sup>1</sup> Docket No. 45928, *Application of AEP Texas North Company To Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and Related Relief* (Final Order September 23, 2016); Docket No. 45929, *Application of AEP Texas Central Company To Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and Related Relief* (Final Order September 23, 2016).

- 4) recovery of \$5,713 (\$2,822 for the Central Division and \$2,891 for the North Division) representing 2016 EECRF proceeding expenses incurred in Docket Nos. 45929 and 45928 by municipalities as authorized by 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(B); and
- 5) recovery of \$416,407 for AEP Texas' share of the EM&V costs to evaluate PY 2016 and PY 2017 (\$353,977 for the Central Division and \$62,430 for the North Division).

**VII. Adjusted EECRF Cost Recovery Factors for 2018**

The adjusted Schedule EECRF containing the cost recovery factors for 2018 is attached hereto as Attachment A. AEP Texas requests the Commission to make the adjusted Schedule EECRFs effective as of March 1, 2018. The requested adjusted EECRF cost recovery factors to recover the applicable energy efficiency costs during 2018 are as follows:

<b>Central Division</b>		
Rate Class	Proposed kWh Factor	Billing Unit Per Rate
Residential	\$0.000579	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$0.000128	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$0.000390	kWh
Primary	\$0.000513	kWh
Transmission	(\$0.041636)	kW

<b>North Division</b>		
Rate Class	Proposed kWh Factor	Billing Unit Per Rate
Residential	\$0.000600	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$0.000659	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$0.000664	kWh
Primary	(\$0.000144)	kWh
Transmission	\$0.005563	kW

**VIII. Testimony and Schedules Supporting 2018 EECRF**

Accompanying this application are the direct testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pamela D. Osterloh, Rhonda R. Fahrlander, Brian J. Frantz and Jennifer L. Jackson and Schedules A through S, which support the relief sought by Applicant. The evidence sponsored by Mr. Cavazos, Ms. Osterloh, Ms. Fahrlander, Mr. Frantz, and Ms. Jackson fully supports the relief sought by AEP Texas for 2018 pursuant to PURA §39.905 and 16 TAC § 25.181(f).

**IX. Request for Protective Order**

Schedule J contains a listing of all Energy Efficiency Service Providers (EESPs) who received incentive funds and a listing of EESPs who received more than five percent of incentive funds for 2016 along with their contracts with AEP Texas. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(10)(H) and (K), such information may be provided and treated as confidential. Accordingly, AEP Texas requests entry of the standard Protective Order contained as Attachment B hereto.

**X. Notice**

AEP Texas proposes to provide notice by providing a copy of this application by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to all parties to AEP Texas' most recent completed base rate cases (Docket Nos. 33309 and 33310), AEP Texas' last EECRF cases (Docket Nos. 45928 and 45929), and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

**XI. Proposed Schedule**

AEP Texas proposes the following schedule for this proceeding:

Staff Approval of Notice	June 9, 2017
Notice Completed	June 14, 2017
Proof of Notice	June 16, 2017
Intervention Deadline	July 3, 2017
Request for a Hearing	July 3, 2017
	<b><u>If No Hearing Requested</u></b>
Staff Recommendation	July 21, 2017
Parties' Proposed Order	July 25, 2017
	<b><u>If Hearing Requested</u></b>
End of discovery on AEP Texas Direct (if Hearing Requested)	July 3, 2017
Deadline for Intervenor Direct	July 7, 2017
Objections to AEP Texas and Intervenor Direct	July 14, 2017
Deadline for Staff Direct	July 14, 2017
End of Discovery on Intervenor Direct	July 14, 2017
End of Discovery on Staff Direct	July 19, 2017

Replies to Objections to AEP Texas and Intervenor Direct	July 19, 2017
Objections to Staff Direct	July 19, 2017
Discovery Responses on Intervenor Direct	July 20, 2017
Deadline for AEP Texas Rebuttal and Cross-Rebuttal	July 21, 2017
Discovery Responses on Staff Direct	July 21, 2017
Hearing on the Merits	July 26, 2017

**XII. Conclusion and Prayer for Relief**

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, AEP Texas prays that the Commission:

- (i) approve the proposed Protective Order;
- (ii) approve AEP Texas' proposed notice and method of providing notice;
- (iii) approve AEP Texas' proposed tariff schedule;
- (iv) authorize AEP Texas to begin applying the adjusted Schedule EECRFs attached hereto as Attachment A as of March 1, 2018;
- (v) grant AEP Texas' application; and
- (vi) grant such other and further relief to which AEP Texas may show itself justly entitled.

Dated: June 1, 2017

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DIRECT TESTIMONY OF

ROBERT CAVAZOS

FOR

AEP TEXAS INC.

June 1, 2017



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1 I. INTRODUCTION

2 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, POSITION, AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.

3 A. My name is Robert Cavazos. I am the Energy Efficiency & Consumer Programs  
4 Manager for AEP Texas Inc. My business address is 539 N. Carancahua, Corpus  
5 Christi, Texas 78401.

6 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND.

7 A. I received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Texas A&M  
8 University – Corpus Christi in 1998. From 1986 until 1993, I served as a meter  
9 reader with Central Power and Light Company, the predecessor to AEP Texas. In  
10 1993, I transferred to the Customer Service Center as a Sr. Telephone Representative  
11 and later to the after-hour dispatch center. In 1996, I was appointed to the position of  
12 Lead Telephone Representative and in 1998 became Customer Service Supervisor. In  
13 2002, I held the position of Demand Side Management (DSM) Coordinator and in  
14 2004, transferred to Competitive Retail Relations as a Market Specialist. In 2005, I  
15 transferred to AEP’s Human Resource (HR) department as a HR Field Representative  
16 and prior to my departure; I had held the position as a Senior HR Consultant. In early  
17 2014, I accepted the position of Business Operations Supervisor and by mid-July had  
18 accepted my current position as the Energy Efficiency & Consumer Programs  
19 Manager for the former AEP Texas Central Company (TCC) and AEP Texas North  
20 Company (TNC), now AEP Texas, overseeing the implementation and administration  
21 of energy efficiency programs in compliance with the Public Utility Regulatory Act  
22 and with Public Commission of Texas (PUC or Commission) rules for such  
23 programs.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW TCC AND TNC HAVE BECOME AEP TEXAS AND  
2 HOW THAT MERGER AFFECTS THIS PROCEEDING.

3 A. Effective December 31, 2016, AEP Texas Central Company (TCC) and AEP Texas  
4 North Company (TNC) were merged into their parent company, now called AEP  
5 Texas. The merger was approved by the Public Utility Commission of Texas  
6 (Commission) in Docket No. 46050 – *Application of AEP Texas Central Company,*  
7 *AEP Texas North Company, and AEP Utilities, Inc. for Approval of Merger.* The  
8 Commission ordered AEP Texas to “maintain separate TCC and TNC divisions,  
9 which will continue to charge separate rates and riders, and maintain separate tariffs,  
10 unless and until such time as the Commission may consider and approve consolidated  
11 rates and tariffs.”<sup>1</sup> Consistent with the Commission’s order, AEP Texas is  
12 maintaining two divisions within AEP Texas: AEP Texas Central Division (formerly  
13 TCC) and AEP Texas North Division (formerly TNC). Therefore, this EECRF filing  
14 for AEP Texas proposes to maintain separate EECRFs for the two divisions of AEP  
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1 Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY FILED TESTIMONY BEFORE ANY REGULATORY  
2 AGENCY?

3 A. Yes, I have previously filed testimony before in the following dockets:

- 4 • Docket No. 44717, Application of AEP Texas Central Company for an  
5 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and Related Relief;
- 6 • Docket No. 44718, Application of AEP Texas North Company for an  
7 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and Related Relief;
- 8 • Docket No. 45928, Application of AEP Texas North Company for an  
9 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and Related Relief;  
10 and
- 11 • Docket No. 45929, Application of AEP Texas Central Company for an  
12 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and Related Relief;

13 Q. DO YOU SPONSOR ANY OF THE SCHEDULES THAT ACCOMPANY AEP  
14 TEXAS' FILING?

15 A. Yes, I sponsor Schedule D. In addition, I cosponsor Schedules A, J, P and S with  
16 AEP Texas witnesses Pamela D. Osterloh and Rhonda R. Fahrlander; Schedules A  
17 and C with AEP Texas witness Jennifer L. Jackson; and Schedule K with AEP Texas  
18 witness Brian J. Frantz.

19 Q. DESCRIBE THE AEP TEXAS ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND DEMAND  
20 RESPONSE DEPARTMENT.

21 A. The AEP Texas Energy Efficiency and Demand Response (EE/DR) Department  
22 consists of 10 employee positions, each with certain designated responsibilities for  
23 the design, implementation, and overall administration of energy efficiency and  
24 demand response programs for AEP Texas.

25 The EE/DR employees are responsible for administering standard offer  
26 programs (SOPs) and market transformation programs (MTPs) to achieve the

1 mandated goals for energy efficiency. Program administration includes outreach  
2 activities, application review, contract execution, on-site inspections of work  
3 submitted, invoice review and processing, website maintenance, monitoring of the  
4 programs and energy efficiency expense accounting. In addition, the EE/DR  
5 employees ensure compliance with regulatory rules and statutory requirements by  
6 providing statutorily-mandated energy efficiency opportunities for all eligible  
7 customers through third-party contractors on a non-discriminatory, market-neutral  
8 basis.

9 Q. DOES THE EE/DR DEPARTMENT RECEIVE AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER  
10 SERVICE CORPORATION SUPPORT?

11 A. Yes, the department receives a variety of affiliate services to meet its information  
12 technology, human resources, accounting and other corporate business needs. These  
13 services do not duplicate the activities performed by the EE/DR employees. Please  
14 refer to AEP Texas witness Frantz's testimony for additional detail.

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16 II. PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY AND SUMMARY OF AEP TEXAS' FILING

17 Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

18 A. The purpose of my testimony is to:

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- 20 • provide a summary of the relief sought by AEP Texas in this proceeding and of its filing;
  - 21 • lay out the policy considerations for recovery of AEP Texas' projected  
22 costs for its 2018 energy efficiency programs in its adjusted Energy  
23 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) for 2018, as contemplated  
24 by Public Utility Regulatory Act, Tex. Util. Code Ann. § 39.905  
25 (PURA) and 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 25.181(f) (TAC);

- 1 • provide information regarding the over-recovery of AEP Texas’  
2 energy efficiency program revenues for its 2016 programs to be  
3 included in its adjusted EECRF in 2018;
- 4 • provide information regarding AEP Texas’ performance bonus for its  
5 2016 energy efficiency results, as contemplated in 16 TAC §  
6 25.181(h), to be recovered through its adjusted EECRF in 2018;
- 7 • provide information regarding AEP Texas’ share of costs for  
8 Evaluation, Measurement and Verification (EM&V) activities for  
9 evaluating programs, as contemplated in 16 TAC § 25.181(q)(10), to  
10 be recovered through its adjusted EECRF; and
- 11 • provide information regarding recovery of 2016 EECRF proceeding  
12 expenses incurred in Docket Nos. 45928 and 45929 by municipalities  
13 to be recovered through its adjusted EECRF in 2018.

14 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE AEP TEXAS’ FILING.

15 A. AEP Texas’ filing consists of my direct testimony and the direct testimony of four  
16 other witnesses (Osterloh, Fahlender, Jackson and Frantz). Ms. Osterloh’s and Ms.  
17 Fahlender’s direct testimonies address the energy efficiency costs that Central  
18 Division and North Division, respectively, incurred for their 2016 programs, the  
19 EM&V costs actually incurred in 2016 for the evaluation of program year (PY) 2015,  
20 energy efficiency results from its 2016 programs, energy efficiency goals for 2018 as  
21 established by the Commission’s rule, the impact of the industrial identification  
22 notice as stated in 16 TAC § 25.181(w), the programs that AEP Texas will offer in  
23 2018 to meet its energy efficiency objectives, the costs AEP Texas projects to incur in  
24 2018 in connection with these energy efficiency programs and objectives, and Docket  
25 Nos. 45929 and 45928 EECRF proceeding expenses incurred by and reimbursed to  
26 municipalities pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(B).

27 Ms. Jackson’s direct testimony describes the design of the adjusted EECRF,  
28 the energy efficiency cost assignment among the EECRF rate classes to be recovered

1 through the adjusted EECRF, and the billing determinants used to develop the  
2 adjusted EECRF.

3 Mr. Frantz's direct testimony describes the affiliate costs for AEP Texas'  
4 energy efficiency programs and the reasonableness of these costs.

5 Accompanying the direct testimony of AEP Texas' witnesses are Schedules A  
6 through R that provide the information that the Commission has specified should be  
7 provided in support of a sufficient request for the adjusted EECRF. The  
8 reasonableness of costs incurred in 2016 is included within the schedules of this  
9 filing. AEP Texas has also included Schedule S, AEP Texas' 2017 Energy Efficiency  
10 Plan and Report (EEPR) filed in Docket No. 46907.

11 Q. WHAT RELIEF DOES AEP TEXAS SEEK IN THIS PROCEEDING?

12 A. 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(8) requires a utility in an area in which customer choice is  
13 offered to apply no later than June 1 of each year to adjust its EECRF effective March  
14 1 of the following year, in order to reflect changes in costs, performance bonus, its  
15 share of EM&V costs, and to minimize any over- or under-recovery in prior years'  
16 program costs. Accordingly, by this application AEP Texas requests the Commission  
17 to approve an adjustment the AEP Texas EECRFs to recover \$11,618,997  
18 (\$9,488,449 for the AEP Texas Central Division and \$2,130,548 for the AEP Texas  
19 North Division). As my testimony and the testimony of AEP Texas witnesses  
20 Osterloh, Fahlender, Jackson, and Frantz explain, the amount AEP Texas seeks to  
21 recover through its adjusted 2018 EECRF reflects the following components:

22 EECRF reflects the following components:

- 1 1) recovery of \$8,650,863 for AEP Texas (\$6,813,091 for the Central  
2 Division and \$1,837,772 for the North Division) which is the  
3 forecasted 2018 energy efficiency program expenditures in excess of  
4 its projected energy efficiency revenues collected from base rates  
5 adjusted as outlined in the rule;
- 6 2) return to customers the amount of \$1,173,691 for the Central Division  
7 and \$328,735 for the North Division, representing the over-recovery of  
8 \$1,502,426 for AEP Texas actual energy efficiency costs for 2016;
- 9 3) recovery of \$3,492,251 for the Central Division and \$556,190 for the  
10 North Division representing AEP Texas' 2016 performance bonus of  
11 \$4,048,441 for achieving demand and energy savings that exceeded its  
12 minimum goals to be achieved in 2016;
- 13 4) recovery of \$5,713 (\$2,822 for the Central Division and \$2,891 for the  
14 North Division) representing 2016 EECRF proceeding expenses  
15 incurred in Docket Nos. 45929 and 45928 by municipalities as  
16 authorized by 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(B); and
- 17 5) recovery of \$416,407 for AEP Texas' (\$353,977 for the Central  
18 Division and \$62,430 for the North Division) share of the EM&V cost  
19 to evaluate PY 2016 and PY 2017.

20 Q. WHAT ARE AEP TEXAS' ESTIMATED PY 2018 ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
21 COSTS?

22 A. As shown in Schedule A, PY 2018 projected energy efficiency program cost of  
23 \$14,436,436 for Central Division and \$3,339,430 for North Division is reasonably  
24 necessary for AEP Texas to achieve its energy efficiency objectives for PY 2018  
25 pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1).

26 Q. DOES AEP TEXAS' 2018 EECRF INCLUDE AEP TEXAS' PROJECTED SHARE  
27 OF THE STATEWIDE EM&V COSTS?

28 A. Yes, AEP Texas is including \$416,407 (\$353,977 for Central and \$62,430 for North)  
29 as its apportioned EM&V cost, which includes \$208,245 (\$177,024 for Central and  
30 \$31,221 for North) to be incurred in 2017 for the evaluation of PY 2016 and



1 \$208,162 (\$176,953 for Central and \$31,209 for North) to be incurred in 2018 for the  
2 evaluation of PY 2017.

3 Q. DO AEP TEXAS' CURRENT BASE RATES INCLUDE ANY AMOUNT THAT IS  
4 EXPRESSLY SPECIFIED FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY?

5 A. Yes, in the Commission's Final Order in Docket Nos. 33309 and 33310, the amount  
6 expressly included in base rates for energy efficiency program funding was  
7 \$6,334,949 for Central Division and \$1,294,430 for North Division. This express  
8 amount has been adjusted according to the Commission rule to \$7,269,368 for Central  
9 Division and \$1,439,228 for North Division and is discussed in more detail in AEP  
10 Texas witness Jackson's testimony.

11 Q. DID AEP TEXAS SPEND MORE OR LESS THAN IT PROJECTED FOR ITS 2016  
12 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS AND R&D?

13 A. As shown on Schedule B, Central Division incurred a total of \$13,622,054 in energy  
14 efficiency expenditures for its 2015 programs and R&D, which is \$643,189 less than  
15 its 2016 projection for energy efficiency.

16 As shown on Schedule B, North Division incurred a total of \$2,622,844 in energy  
17 efficiency expenditures for its 2016 programs and R&D, which is \$365,007 less than  
18 its 2016 projection for energy efficiency.

19 Q. DID AEP TEXAS EXCEED ITS GOALS FOR 2016?

20 A. Yes, Central Division exceeded its demand reduction and energy reduction goals for  
21 PY 2016 of 15.73 megawatt (MW) and 27,559 megawatt-hour (MWh) respectively.  
22 North Division exceeded its demand reduction and energy reduction goals for PY  
23 2016 of 4.26 megawatt (MW) and 7,464 megawatt-hour (MWh) respectively.

1 Q. DID AEP TEXAS QUALIFY FOR A PERFORMANCE BONUS FOR ITS 2016  
2 ENERGY EFFICIENCY ACHIEVEMENTS?

3 A. Yes. AEP Texas qualified for a \$4,048,441 performance bonus. Schedule D sets  
4 forth the calculation of the \$3,492,251 and \$556,190 performance bonus that Central  
5 Division and North Division earned, respectively. AEP Texas requests that these  
6 performance bonus amounts of \$3,492,251 and \$556,190 also be included for  
7 recovery through its adjusted EECRF for 2018.

8 Q. WHAT DOES AEP TEXAS REQUEST TO BE THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE  
9 ADJUSTED EECRF FOR 2018?

10 A. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(8), AEP Texas requests that the adjusted EECRF be  
11 made effective March 1, 2018.

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III. POLICY CONSIDERATIONS FOR  
RECOVERY OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY EXPENDITURES

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A. Statutory Policies

16 Q. WHAT ARE THE STATUTORY POLICY CONSIDERATIONS THAT GOVERN  
17 THE RECOVERY OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS?

18 A. In PURA § 39.905, the Texas Legislature established policies that an electric utility  
19 such as AEP Texas annually will provide, through market-based SOPs or targeted  
20 MTPs, incentives sufficient for retail electric providers (REPs) and competitive  
21 energy efficiency service providers (EESPs) to acquire additional cost-effective  
22 energy efficiency, subject to cost ceilings established by the Commission, for the  
23 utility's residential and commercial customers equivalent to:

1 a) not less than 30 percent of the utility’s annual growth in demand of  
2 residential and commercial customers by December 31 of each year  
3 beginning with the 2013 calendar year; however, not less than the  
4 preceding year.

5 b) for an electric utility whose amount of energy efficiency to be acquired  
6 under this subsection is equivalent to at least four-tenths of one percent  
7 of the electric utility’s summer weather-adjusted peak demand for  
8 residential and commercial customers in the previous calendar year,  
9 not less than four-tenths of one percent of the utility’s summer  
10 weather-adjusted peak demand for residential and commercial  
11 customers by December 31 of each subsequent year; however, not less  
12 than the preceding year.

13 The Legislature has also recognized that a utility should have access to a  
14 mechanism to enable it to fully and timely recover the costs of providing these energy  
15 efficiency incentive programs. Additionally, PURA directs the Commission to adopt  
16 rules that establish an incentive and reward utilities that exceed their minimum goals.

17 B. Commission Rule Pertaining to an EECRF Filing

18 Q. WHAT ARE THE MINIMUM ANNUAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY GOALS FOR  
19 PY 2018?

20 A. 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1) provides, in pertinent part, for the following minimum  
21 energy efficiency goals:

22 (B) Beginning with the 2013 program year, until the trigger described in  
23 subparagraph (C) is reached, a 30% reduction of its annual growth in  
24 demand of residential and commercial customers.

25 (C) If the demand reduction goal to be acquired by a utility under  
26 subparagraph (B) is equivalent to at least four-tenths of 1% of its summer  
27 weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and  
28 commercial customers for the previous program year, the utility must meet  
29 the energy efficiency goal described in subparagraph (D) for each  
30 subsequent program year.

31 (D) Once the trigger described in subparagraph (C) is reached, the utility  
32 must acquire four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-adjusted peak  
33 demand for the combined residential and commercial customers for the  
34 previous program year.

1 (E) Except as adjusted in accordance with subsection (w) of the rule, a  
2 utility's demand reduction goal in any year shall not be lower than its goal  
3 for the prior year, unless the Commission establishes a goal for a utility  
4 pursuant to paragraph (2) of 16 TAC § 25.181(e).

5 Q. HOW HAS AEP TEXAS ESTABLISHED ITS GOAL FOR 2018?

6 A. AEP Texas has calculated its goal as determined by 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(D) for  
7 each division.

8 Q. WHY IS AEP TEXAS FILING THIS REQUEST TO ADJUST ITS EECRF FOR  
9 RECOVERY OF ITS PROJECTED PY 2018 ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
10 EXPENDITURES?

11 A. The Commission rule includes provisions for a utility such as AEP Texas to request  
12 that an EECRF be adjusted to recover its annual energy efficiency program  
13 expenditures (16 TAC § 25.181(f)(1)). AEP Texas witness Jackson's testimony  
14 outlines the design of factors to accomplish this. Also, as I stated earlier, 16 TAC §  
15 25.181(f)(8) requires a utility in an area in which customer choice is offered to apply  
16 to adjust its EECRF no later than June 1 of each year, with the adjusted EECRF to be  
17 effective March 1 of the following year, to reflect changes in program costs and  
18 performance bonus and to minimize any over- or under-recovery in prior year  
19 program costs. Finally, 16 TAC § 25.181(q)(10) authorizes recovery of required  
20 EM&V costs that will be incurred for evaluating programs through its adjusted  
21 EECRF.

22 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS INCLUDED EECRF PROCEEDING EXPENSES?

23 A. Yes. According to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3), a proceeding conducted pursuant to this  
24 subsection is a ratemaking proceeding for purposes of PURA § 33.023. EECRF

1 proceeding expenses are to be included in the adjusted EECRF calculated pursuant to  
2 paragraph (1) of this subsection. EECRF proceeding expenses may include only  
3 those expenses for the immediately previous EECRF proceeding conducted under this  
4 subsection pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(A). AEP Texas includes municipal  
5 EECRF proceeding expenses paid for the immediately previous EECRF proceeding  
6 conducted under this subsection for services reimbursable under PURA § 33.023(b).  
7 In this proceeding, AEP Texas is requesting recovery of \$5,713 of municipal  
8 expenses (\$2,822 in municipal expenses paid for Docket No. 45929 and \$2,891 in  
9 municipal expenses paid for Docket No. 45928).

10 Q. WHAT ARE THE REQUIRED ELEMENTS TO BE COVERED WITHIN THE  
11 SCOPE OF THIS PROCEEDING?

12 A. Specifically, a utility is authorized to recover the differential between the costs  
13 expressly included in base rates (if such energy efficiency costs are expressly  
14 included in base rates), adjusted to account for changes in billing determinants from  
15 the test year billing determinants used to set rates in the last base rate proceeding, and  
16 the increased costs it must incur in order to meet the objectives of PURA § 39.905,  
17 including the achievement of additional cost-effective energy efficiency in excess of  
18 the minimum goals set forth in the statute.

19 As outlined in the Commission rule for energy efficiency, an EECRF rate  
20 schedule must be included in the utility's tariff to permit the utility to timely recover  
21 the reasonable costs of providing energy efficiency programs, including prior years'  
22 over- or under-recovery of energy efficiency program costs, any applicable  
23 performance bonus (16 TAC § 25.181(h)), projected EM&V costs and EECRF

1 proceeding expenses incurred by municipalities (16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(B)). The  
2 EECRF is to be calculated to recover the costs associated with the programs from  
3 EECRF classes that receive services under the programs AEP Texas offers (16 TAC  
4 § 25.181(f)(2)). The Commission may approve an energy charge for the EECRF.  
5 The EECRF must be set at a rate that will give AEP Texas the opportunity to earn  
6 revenues equal to the sum of AEP Texas' forecasted energy efficiency program costs,  
7 net of energy efficiency costs included in base rates, applicable prior years' energy  
8 efficiency over- or under-recovery, applicable performance bonus (16 TAC §  
9 25.181(f)(1)), projected EM&V costs, and municipal EECRF proceeding expenses.

10 According to the Commission rule regarding a proceeding to change an  
11 EECRF, a utility must show that the costs to be recovered through the EECRF are  
12 reasonable estimates of the costs necessary to provide energy efficiency programs and  
13 to meet the utility's goals (16 TAC § 25.181(f)(12)(A)); the costs assigned or  
14 allocated to rate classes are reasonable and consistent (16 TAC § 25.181(f)(12)(D));  
15 the estimate of billing determinants for the period for which the EECRF is to be in  
16 effect is reasonable (16 TAC § 25.181(f)(12)(E)); and any calculations or estimates of  
17 system losses and line losses used in calculating the charges are reasonable (16 TAC  
18 § 25.181(f)(12)(F)).

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20 IV. AEP TEXAS' APPLICATION

21 Q. WHAT ARE THE ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS CONTAINED WITHIN AEP TEXAS'  
22 APPLICATION REQUESTING EECRF RECOVERY OF ITS PROGRAM COSTS?

1 A. According to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(10), a utility’s application to change an EECRF  
2 must include testimony and schedules. AEP Texas’ application includes testimony  
3 and schedules providing the information in compliance with 16 TAC § 25.181(f) for  
4 approval of an adjusted EECRF that show:

- 5 1. the forecasted energy efficiency program costs for PY 2018;
- 6 2. the actual base rate recovery of energy efficiency program costs,  
7 adjusted for changes in load subsequent to the last base rate proceeding;
- 8 3. the performance bonus based on AEP Texas’ PY 2016 energy  
9 efficiency achievements;
- 10 4. the amount of AEP Texas’ PY 2016 actual energy efficiency costs that  
11 exceeded the amount recovered in base rates;
- 12 5. any adjustment for past over- or under-recovery of energy efficiency  
13 revenues;
- 14 6. information concerning the calculation of billing determinants for 2016  
15 and 2018;
- 16 7. the direct assignment and allocation of energy efficiency costs to  
17 eligible rate classes, including any portion of energy efficiency costs  
18 included in base rates;
- 19 8. information concerning calculations related to the cost cap  
20 requirements;
- 21 9. incentive payments by program, including a list of each EESP receiving  
22 more than 5% of 2016 overall incentive payments and the percentage  
23 of 2016 incentives received by those EESPs;
- 24 10. administrative costs, including any affiliate costs and EECRF  
25 proceeding expenses for 2016;
- 26 11. actual EECRF revenues by rate class, for the period of over-recovery of  
27 2016 EECRF costs;
- 28 12. AEP Texas’ bidding and engagement process for contracting with  
29 EESPs, including a list of all EESPs that received incentive payments  
30 during 2016;
- 31 13. the estimated useful life for each measure in each program and
- 32 14. the actual energy efficiency program costs for PY 2016.

33 All of these elements in AEP Texas’ application for approval of its adjusted EECRF  
34 for 2018 are required by virtue of 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(10) and (11).

A. Achievement of Objectives that Exceed the  
Minimum Goals of the Statute and Rule

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3 Q. WHAT DEMAND REDUCTION AND ENERGY SAVINGS DOES AEP TEXAS  
4 PROPOSE TO ACHIEVE THROUGH ITS PY 2018 PROGRAMS?

5 A. AEP Texas' PY 2018 minimum demand reduction goals are 15.99 MW and 4.26 MW  
6 for Central Division and North Division, respectively, as calculated in accordance  
7 with 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(E)(D) and (E). AEP Texas' PY 2018 energy savings  
8 goals are 28,014 MWh and 7,464 MWh for Central Division and North Division,  
9 respectively, as calculated in accordance with 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(4).

10 The energy efficiency objectives AEP Texas seeks to achieve through its proposed  
11 PY 2018 energy efficiency expenditures include a peak demand reduction of as much  
12 as 43.78 MW for AEP Texas Central Division and 6.15 MW for North Division and  
13 energy savings of as much as 65,693 MWh for Central Division and 12,795 MWh for  
14 AEP Texas North Division.

15 Q. DO YOU BELIEVE IT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE COMMISSION RULE TO  
16 PURSUE THE OBJECTIVES AEP TEXAS HAS ESTABLISHED FOR ITS PY  
17 2018 PROGRAM?

18 A. Yes, I believe the intent of the Commission rule is for AEP Texas to achieve as much  
19 cost-effective energy efficiency as is reasonably possible. This intent is manifested in  
20 PURA § 39.905(b)(2), wherein the Legislature authorized the Commission to provide  
21 a performance bonus to reward a utility for "administering programs under this  
22 section that exceed the minimum goals established by this section." The express  
23 characterization of the goals in PURA § 39.905 as "minimum goals" clearly indicates



1 the Legislature's desire that utilities be encouraged to exceed these goals where  
2 additional cost-effective energy efficiency is reasonably possible.

3 B. Industrial Notice Customers

4 Q. HAVE ANY OF AEP TEXAS' INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS PROVIDED NOTICE  
5 PURSUANT TO 16 TAC § 25.181(w)?

6 A. Yes. Please see the testimonies of witnesses Osterloh and Fahrlender for discussion  
7 regarding such notice.

8 Q. ARE THESE INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS WHO HAVE PROVIDED NOTICE  
9 EXEMPT FROM PAYING CHARGES IN THE ADJUSTED EECRF FOR 2018?

10 A. Yes. 16 TAC § 25.181(w) states that if an identification notice was submitted to the  
11 utility no later than February 1 to be effective the following program year, the  
12 identified industrial customer(s) shall not be charged any EECRF costs for a period of  
13 three years.

14 C. Research and Development (R&D) Costs

15 Q. DID AEP TEXAS' PY 2016 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM COSTS  
16 INCLUDE R&D EXPENDITURES?

17 A. Yes. Please see the testimonies of witnesses Osterloh and Fahrlender for discussion  
18 regarding R&D expenditures.

19 Q. DOES AEP TEXAS' PY 2018 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM COST  
20 INCLUDE R&D EXPENDITURES?

21 A. Yes, it does.

1 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS PROJECTED ITS PY 2018 R&D EXPENDITURES?

2 A. Yes. Central Division has projected \$365,125 for R&D expenditures in PY 2018.

3 North Division has projected \$200,000 for R&D expenditures in PY 2018.

4 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS INCLUDED THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT IN PY 2018 FOR  
5 ENERGY EFFICIENCY R&D EXPENDITURES ALLOWED BY THE  
6 COMMISSION RULE?

7 A. No, 16 TAC § 25.181(i) specifies that the maximum amount of energy efficiency  
8 R&D costs that AEP Texas could incur is 10% of its total program costs for the  
9 previous program year, for PY 2018. However, AEP Texas has projected the amount  
10 it considers to be reasonable for projected R&D expenditures to be \$365,125 for  
11 Central Division and \$200,000 North Division, considering the whole of its energy  
12 efficiency program offerings and the magnitude of its required demand reduction goal  
13 to be achieved in PY 2018.

14 D. Over-Recovery of PY 2016 Costs

15 Q. IS AEP TEXAS SEEKING TO RETURN TO CUSTOMERS THE AMOUNT OF  
16 OVER-RECOVERED ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM REVENUES  
17 COLLECTED THROUGH ITS 2016 EECRF IN EXCESS OF THE AMOUNT OF  
18 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM COSTS ACTUALLY INCURRED IN PY  
19 2016?

20 A. Yes. In addition to collecting its projected total PY 2018 energy efficiency program  
21 expenditures that exceed the amount recovered through its base rates, AEP Texas is  
22 requesting to return within its adjusted 2018 EECRF the amount of its actual 2016

1 EECRF program revenues that exceeded the amount of its energy efficiency program  
2 expenditures in PY 2016.

3 Q. PLEASE EXPLAIN THE BASIS FOR AEP TEXAS' INCLUSION OF THE 2016  
4 OVER-RECOVERY AMOUNT WITHIN ITS ADJUSTED 2017 EECRF.

5 A. PURA § 39.905(b-1) provides that:

6 The energy efficiency cost recovery factor under Subsection (b)(1) may  
7 not result in an over-recovery of costs but may be adjusted each year to  
8 change rates to enable utilities to match revenues against energy efficiency  
9 costs and any incentives to which they are granted. The factor shall be  
10 adjusted to reflect any over-collection or under-collection of energy  
11 efficiency cost recovery revenues in previous years.

12 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(1)(B) further states that the "EECRF shall be calculated to  
13 recover...the preceding year's over- or under-recovery."

14 E. 2016 Performance Bonus

15 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS CALCULATED THE PERFORMANCE BONUS IT SEEKS TO  
16 RECOVER IN CONNECTION WITH ITS PY 2016 ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
17 ACHIEVEMENTS?

18 A. Yes. Please refer to Schedule D for each division, which I sponsor. This schedule  
19 demonstrates the calculation of the \$3,492,251 and \$556,160 performance bonus that  
20 Central Division and North Division, respectively, seek to be awarded based upon its  
21 PY 2016 energy efficiency results.

22 Central Division achieved a peak demand reduction of 39.30 MW and energy  
23 savings of 67,714 MWh from its PY 2016 portfolio of energy efficiency programs.  
24 Central Division's minimum demand reduction goal to be achieved in 2016 was  
25 15.73 MW, and the calculated energy reduction goal to be achieved in 2016 was

1 27,559 MWh. Central Division exceeded both its PY 2016 demand reduction and  
2 energy reduction goals. These achievements qualify Central Division for a  
3 performance bonus per the Commission rule. All of the calculations and  
4 requirements regarding the \$3,492,251 performance bonus Central Division now  
5 seeks are as outlined in 16 TAC § 25.181(h).

6 North Division achieved a peak demand reduction of 6.38 MW and energy savings of  
7 10,817 MWh from its PY 2016 portfolio of energy efficiency programs. North  
8 Division's minimum demand reduction goal to be achieved in 2016 was 4.26 MW,  
9 and the calculated energy reduction goal to be achieved in 2016 was 7,464 MWh.  
10 North Division exceeded both its PY 2016 demand reduction and energy reduction  
11 goals. These achievements qualify North Division for a performance bonus per the  
12 Commission rule. All of the calculations and requirements regarding the \$556,190  
13 performance bonus North Division now seeks are as outlined in 16 TAC § 25.181(h).

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15 V. 2016 SUMMARY

16 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS PROVIDED INFORMATION REGARDING PY 2016?

17 A. Yes. Information demonstrating the reasonableness of the energy efficiency costs  
18 incurred and revenues received for PY 2016 is included in this filing.

19 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS INCURRED ANY 2016 AFFILIATE COSTS?

20 A. Yes. In 2016, Central Division incurred \$274,956 in affiliate costs, which is 2% of  
21 Central Division's actual 2016 energy efficiency costs as addressed in witness  
22 Frantz's testimony. In 2016, North Division incurred \$66,850 in affiliate costs, which

1 is 3% of North Division's actual 2016 energy efficiency costs as addressed in witness  
2 Frantz's testimony. Please refer to Schedule K for additional information.

3 Q. ARE THE 2016 AFFILIATE EXPENSES REASONABLE AND NECESSARY?

4 A. Yes, these affiliate services are reasonable and necessary costs for AEP Texas'  
5 provision of energy efficiency programs.

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7 VI. CONCLUSION

8 Q. PLEASE BRIEFLY SUMMARIZE YOUR TESTIMONY.

9 A. The components AEP Texas includes in its request to adjust its 2018 EECRF have  
10 been properly calculated in accordance with the applicable standards and criteria.

- 11 1. The energy efficiency costs projected by AEP Texas for its PY 2018  
12 programs represent reasonable estimates of the costs necessary to  
13 provide energy efficiency programs to meet AEP Texas' energy  
14 efficiency objectives for PY 2018.
- 15 2. The portion of those projected PY 2018 program costs that exceeds the  
16 amount of energy efficiency funding included in AEP Texas' base  
17 rates is appropriately included in the requested 2018 EECRF.
- 18 3. AEP Texas' PY 2016 performance bonus calculation comports fully  
19 with the applicable provisions of the Commission rule.
- 20 4. The PY 2016 energy efficiency program expenditures were reasonable  
21 and necessary costs to provide energy efficiency programs for PY  
22 2016. It is reasonable and in accordance with the applicable  
23 Commission rule to include the portion of those costs that exceeds the  
24 amount of energy efficiency funding collected through AEP Texas'  
25 base rates, and that revenues that were over-recovered in its 2016  
26 EECRF be returned in the adjusted 2018 EECRF.
- 27 5. Municipal proceeding expenses for the previous year's EECRF  
28 proceeding are included in this filing for recovery in the adjusted 2018  
29 EECRF.

1 Q. DOES AEP TEXAS' APPLICATION MEET ALL OF THE REQUIREMENTS FOR  
2 ADJUSTMENT TO A UTILITY'S EECRF AS SET FORTH IN 16 TAC  
3 § 25.181(f)?

4 A. Yes, AEP Texas' application meets all of the requirements for approval of the  
5 requested adjustment to its 2018 EECRF to recover all of the components described  
6 in my direct testimony and fully supported by AEP Texas' other witnesses.

7 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

8 A. Yes, it does.

PUC DOCKET NO. \_\_\_\_\_

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

APPLICATION OF

AEP TEXAS INC.

TO ADJUST

ENERGY EFFICIENCY COST RECOVERY FACTORS AND RELATED RELIEF

DIRECT TESTIMONY OF

PAMELA D. OSTERLOH

FOR

AEP TEXAS INC.

JUNE 1, 2017

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1 I. INTRODUCTION

2 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, POSITION IN THE COMPANY, AND  
3 BUSINESS ADDRESS.

4 A. My name is Pamela D. Osterloh. I am Energy Efficiency and Consumer Programs  
5 Compliance Coordinator Principal for AEP Texas Inc. My business address is 539 N.  
6 Carancahua, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401.

7 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND.

8 A. I received a Bachelor of Science degree from Texas A&M University in 1986. I was  
9 first employed by and worked in various capacities and locations for Central Power  
10 and Light Company (the predecessor of AEP Texas Central Company (TCC)) from  
11 November 1991 through May 1992. In June 1992, I accepted the position of Market  
12 Research Analyst with West Texas Utilities Company (the predecessor of AEP Texas  
13 North Company (TNC)). In September 1997, I was appointed Demand Side  
14 Management (DSM) Resource Evaluation Coordinator with Central and South West  
15 Services, Inc. (the corporate service affiliate of Central and South West Corporation  
16 or CSW) located in Austin, Texas. In that role, I was responsible for energy  
17 efficiency regulatory activities and compliance for DSM activities for CSW in Texas.  
18 In April 1999, I transferred to Corpus Christi with CSW and began work in my  
19 current role as Energy Efficiency and Consumer Program Compliance Coordinator  
20 Principal for TCC (now the Central Division of AEP Texas)<sup>1</sup>. In my current position,  
21 I am responsible for implementing and administering energy efficiency programs in

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<sup>1</sup> As explained in the testimony of Robert Cavazos, TNC and AEP Texas Central Company (TCC) have now merged into the single entity, AEP Texas Inc. However, the Commission has required AEP Texas to maintain separate TCC and TNC divisions, now the AEP Texas Central Division and AEP Texas North Division.

1 compliance with the Public Utility Regulatory Act provisions and the Public Utility  
2 Commission of Texas (PUC or Commission) rules for such energy efficiency  
3 programs. I hold professional certification from the Association of Energy Engineers  
4 (AEE) as a Certified Energy Manager.

5 Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY FILED TESTIMONY BEFORE ANY REGULATORY  
6 AGENCY?

7 A. Yes, I have previously filed testimony before the Commission before the PUC in the  
8 following dockets:

- 9 • Docket No. 35627, Application of AEP Texas Central Company for  
10 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF);
- 11 • Docket No. 36960, Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
12 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor;
- 13 • Docket No. 38208, Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
14 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 15 • Docket No. 39360, Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
16 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 17 • Docket No. 40359, Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
18 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 19 • Docket No. 41538, Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
20 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 21 • Docket No. 42508, Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
22 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 23 • Docket No. 44717 Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
24 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief:  
25 and
- 26 • Docket No. 45929 Application of AEP Texas Central Company to  
27 Adjust Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief.

28 Q. DO YOU SPONSOR ANY OF THE SCHEDULES ACCOMPANYING AEP  
29 TEXAS' FILING?

1 A. Yes, I sponsor Central Division Schedules L through O and Central Division  
2 Schedule R. In addition, I cosponsor Central Division Schedule A with witnesses  
3 Robert Cavazos and Jennifer L. Jackson. I also cosponsor Central Division Schedule  
4 B with witness Jackson and Central Division Schedules J, P and S with witness  
5 Cavazos.

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7 II. PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY

8 Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

9 A. The purpose of my testimony is to present information supporting the request to  
10 adjust the AEP Texas Central Division EECRF for 2018. The corresponding  
11 information to support AEP Texas' request to adjust its AEP Texas North Division's  
12 EECRF is addressed in the direct testimony of Rhonda Fahlender. As Mr. Cavazos  
13 discusses in his direct testimony, AEP Texas seeks an adjustment in 2018 to reflect:

- 14 • recovery of \$6,813,091, which is the amount of projected 2018 energy  
15 efficiency program costs that exceed the energy efficiency costs  
16 expressly included in the Central Division's prior base rate order  
17 adjusted for 2016 revenue according to 16 Tex. Admin. Code (TAC)  
18 § 25.181(f)(1)(B);
- 19 • return to customers of \$1,173,691, which is the amount of the Central  
20 Division's over-recovered energy efficiency costs in 2016;
- 21 • recovery of \$3,492,251, which is the amount of performance bonus  
22 earned from actual energy efficiency achievements in Program Year  
23 (PY) 2016 results;
- 24 • recovery of \$2,822, which is the amount of municipal EECRF  
25 proceeding expenses incurred in 2016 pursuant to 16 TAC  
26 § 25.181(f)(3)(B); and
- 27 • recovery of \$353,977 representing Central Division's share of the  
28 Evaluation, Measurement and Verification cost to evaluate PY 2106  
29 (\$176,953) and PY 2017 (\$177,024).

1 The total amount that AEP Texas requests to be recovered through its Central  
2 Division adjusted 2018 EECRF is \$9,488,449.

3 In my direct testimony, I first outline the energy efficiency goal established by  
4 Public Utility Regulatory Act, Tex. Util. Code Ann. § 39.905 (PURA). I also discuss  
5 the impact of the identification notice referenced in 16 TAC § 25.181(w). I then  
6 present the actual energy efficiency expenditures incurred by the Central Division for  
7 its 2016 programs, 2016 municipal EECRF proceeding expenses, and Evaluation,  
8 Measurement, and Verification (EM&V) costs incurred in PY 2016. I also present  
9 AEP Texas' plans and projected costs to achieve its energy efficiency objectives for  
10 the Central Division for PY 2018. I describe each of the programs the Central  
11 Division implemented during 2016. I also present the projected costs and the plans  
12 and programs the Central Division will implement to achieve its energy efficiency  
13 objectives for 2018.

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15 III. ENERGY EFFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS AND OBJECTIVES

16 A. Statutory and Regulatory Requirements

17 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE BASIC REQUIREMENTS OF PURA § 39.905 AS  
18 RELEVANT TO YOUR TESTIMONY.

19 A. As discussed by Mr. Cavazos in his testimony, the requirements of PURA § 39.905 as  
20 relevant to my testimony are:

- 21
- A utility must administer energy efficiency programs.
  - A utility must provide incentives adequate for the purpose of acquiring cost-effective energy efficiency equivalent to at least 30% of the electric utility's annual growth in demand of residential and
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1 commercial customers beginning with the 2013 program year; but not  
2 less than the previous year.

- 3 • Once the utility's demand reduction goal is equivalent to at least four-  
4 tenths of one percent of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for  
5 the combined residential and commercial customers for the previous  
6 calendar year, the utility's goal shall be four-tenths of one percent of  
7 its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined  
8 residential and commercial customers but not less than the previous  
9 year.

- 10 • A utility must provide incentives through market-based standard offer  
11 programs (SOPs) or targeted market transformation programs (MTPs).

- 12 • A utility must provide incentives in such a manner that retail electric  
13 providers (REPs) and competitive energy efficiency service providers  
14 (EESPs) install the measures that produce the energy efficiency  
15 necessary to meet the utility's mandated annual goal.

16 Q. HAS THE COMMISSION ADOPTED RULES TO IMPLEMENT PURA § 39.905?

17 A. Yes, 16 TAC § 25.181 has been adopted to implement PURA § 39.905.

18 Q. WHAT ARE SOME OF THE KEY COMPONENTS OF 16 TAC § 25.181?

19 A. Some of the key components of 16 TAC § 25.181 are:

- 20 • An electric utility shall administer energy efficiency programs to  
21 acquire at a minimum 30% reduction of its annual growth in demand  
22 of residential and commercial customers until the demand reduction  
23 goal to be acquired is at least four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-  
24 adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial  
25 customers for the previous program year.

- 26 • Once the demand reduction goal to be acquired is equivalent to at least  
27 four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the  
28 combined residential and commercial customers for the previous  
29 program year, the utility shall acquire four-tenths of 1% of its summer  
30 weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and  
31 commercial customers for the previous program year.

- 32 • A utility's demand goal in any year shall not be lower than its goal for  
33 the prior year.

- 34 • Utilities are encouraged to achieve demand reduction and energy  
35 savings through a portfolio of cost-effective programs that exceed each

1 utility's energy efficiency goals while staying within the required cost  
2 caps.

- 3 • A utility shall adjust an EECRF to timely recover forecasted annual  
4 energy efficiency program costs in excess of the actual energy  
5 efficiency revenues collected from base rates, the preceding year's  
6 over- or under-recovery including municipal and utility EECRF  
7 proceeding expenses, any performance bonus earned, and EM&V  
8 costs assigned to the utility.
- 9 • 16 TAC § 25.181(h) allows a utility exceeding the minimum goal to  
10 earn a performance bonus.
- 11 • A utility may use up to 15% of its total program costs for  
12 administration of its energy efficiency programs.
- 13 • A utility may use up to 10% of the previous program year's costs to  
14 perform necessary energy efficiency research and development (R&D)  
15 to foster continuous improvement and innovation in the application of  
16 energy efficiency technology and energy efficiency program design  
17 and implementation.
- 18 • The cumulative cost of administration and R&D shall not exceed 20%  
19 of a utility's total program costs.
- 20 • An EM&V framework is included to evaluate program portfolio  
21 performance and to measure and verify estimated demand and energy  
22 impacts reported for those programs.
- 23 • Qualifying industrial customers taking electric service at distribution  
24 voltage may submit a notice to identify metering points for their  
25 industrial processes, which allows those metering points to not be  
26 charged for any costs associated with programs provided through the  
27 EECRF nor shall the identified facilities be eligible to participate or  
28 receive incentives for a three year period.

29 Q. HOW DOES THE CENTRAL DIVISION IMPLEMENT THESE  
30 REQUIREMENTS?

31 A. AEP Texas develops and offers cost-effective energy efficiency programs to third-  
32 party EESPs as defined in 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(17), who in turn market their services  
33 to end-use retail residential and commercial customers. These programs offer  
34 incentives to encourage third-party EESPs, REPs and/or eligible commercial  
35 customers to participate as project sponsors of energy efficiency measures. The

1 Commission's energy efficiency rule allows commercial customers with a peak  
2 demand of 50 kilowatts (kW) or greater to act as their own EESP for measures they  
3 install for themselves. The EESPs or project sponsors then supply and install the  
4 measures at homes or businesses that produce the energy efficiency savings that the  
5 Central Division reports to satisfy the energy efficiency objectives of its programs.  
6 Energy efficiency objectives and goals are established annually, so that each year the  
7 Central Division must procure the necessary demand reduction and energy savings  
8 from participating project sponsors to meet the Central Division's objectives for that  
9 year. The energy efficiency savings may be in the form of reduction in summer or  
10 winter peak demand (kW), energy usage (kWh), or both. The Central Division pays  
11 incentives to the project sponsors for peak demand and energy savings resulting from  
12 the energy efficiency measures installed according to program guidelines.

13 Q. PLEASE DEFINE THE TERM SOP.

14 A. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(56) an SOP is defined as a program under which a  
15 utility administers standard offer contracts between the utility and the EESP. A  
16 standard offer contract specifies standard payments based upon the amount of energy  
17 and peak demand savings achieved through energy efficiency measures, the  
18 applicable measurement and verification (M&V) protocols, and other terms and  
19 conditions, consistent with 16 TAC § 25.181.

20 Q. PLEASE DEFINE THE TERM MTP.

21 A. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(37) an MTP is defined as a strategic program  
22 intended to induce lasting structural or behavioral changes in a market that result in  
23 the increased adoption of energy efficiency technologies, services, and practices.

1 B. Annual Demand Reduction Goal

2 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL REQUIREMENT FOR  
3 THE CENTRAL DIVISION.

4 A. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1), the Central Division is required to acquire a 30%  
5 reduction of its annual growth in demand of residential and commercial customers  
6 until that goal is equivalent to at least four-tenths of 1% (the trigger) of the Central  
7 Division's summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and  
8 commercial customers for the previous program year. Once that trigger is reached,  
9 the Central Division shall acquire four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-adjusted  
10 peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers for the previous  
11 program year. In addition, 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(E) also states that, except as  
12 adjusted in accordance with subsection (w) of the rule, a utility's demand reduction  
13 goal in any year shall not be lower than its goal for the prior year, unless the  
14 Commission establishes a goal for a utility pursuant to paragraph (2) of 16 TAC  
15 § 25.181(e).

16 Q. HAS THE CENTRAL DIVISION MET THE TRIGGER DESCRIBED IN 16 TAC  
17 § 25.181(e)(1)(C)?

18 A. Yes. The Central Division met the trigger when calculating its goal for PY 2016.

19 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S FOUR-TENTHS OF 1%  
20 DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL IS CALCULATED.

21 A. The Central Division's four-tenths of 1% demand reduction goal was calculated by  
22 taking the average of the 2012 – 2016 weather adjusted peak demand at the meter  
23 adjusted for line losses. The resulting peak demand average for this time period was



1 3,998 MW; therefore, the Central Division's four-tenths of 1% goal for PY 2018 is  
2 15.99 MW.

3 Q. COULD THE IDENTIFICATION NOTICE REQUIREMENT, AFFECT THE  
4 UTILITY'S CALCULATED GOAL FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY?

5 A. Yes. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(w) the utility's demand reduction goal is required  
6 to be adjusted to remove any load identified as a result of the identification notice  
7 provision.

8 Q. ARE ANY SUCH NOTICES TO BE EFFECTIVE IN PY 2018?

9 A. Yes. The Central Division received identification notices prior to February 1, 2017  
10 for 298 ESIDs representing 55,894 kW.

11 Q. WHAT IS THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL TO BE  
12 ACHIEVED IN PY 2018?

13 A. The demand reduction goal for the Central Division to achieve in PY 2018 is 15.99  
14 MW, based on the requirements in 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(E) and as adjusted in  
15 accordance with subsection (w). The minimum PY 2018 demand reduction goal is  
16 set forth in Schedule N that I sponsor. The Central Division, however, projects it will  
17 achieve as much as 43.78 MW of demand reduction from the programs it will  
18 implement in PY 2018. As Mr. Cavazos explains in his testimony, AEP Texas  
19 interprets PURA §39.905 and 16 TAC § 25.181 as intended to encourage as much  
20 cost-effective energy efficiency as can reasonably be achieved under the limits set  
21 forth in the statute and rule.

22 Q. WERE LINE LOSSES INCORPORATED IN THE CALCULATION OF THE  
23 DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL?

1 A. Yes. Calculation of the demand reduction goal used the line loss numbers referenced  
2 in Table 5 of its 2017 Energy Efficiency Plan and Report. Line losses are derived  
3 from the loss factors determined in the Central Division's most recent line loss study.

4 C. Annual Energy Savings Goal

5 Q. HOW IS THE ENERGY SAVINGS GOAL CALCULATED UNDER 16 TAC  
6 § 25.181?

7 A. The minimum energy savings goal is calculated from the utility's calculated demand  
8 goal, using a 20% conservation load factor, as set forth in 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(4).

9 Q. WHAT IS THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S ENERGY SAVINGS GOAL TO BE  
10 ACHIEVED IN PY 2018?

11 A. The energy savings goal for the Central Division to achieve in PY 2018 is 28,014  
12 megawatt-hour (MWh). The 2018 energy savings goal is set forth in Schedule N.  
13 However, the Central Division projects to achieve as much as 65,692 MWh of energy  
14 savings from the programs it will implement in PY 2018. As I mentioned above and  
15 as Mr. Cavazos explains in his testimony, AEP Texas interprets PURA § 39.905 and  
16 16 TAC § 25.181 as intended to encourage utilities to achieve as much cost-effective  
17 energy efficiency as can reasonably be achieved under the limits set forth in the  
18 statute and rule.

19 D. Process to Achieve Savings

20 Q. WILL THE CENTRAL DIVISION OFFER PROGRAMS TO ACHIEVE THESE PY  
21 2018 SAVINGS?

1 A. Yes, I discuss the programs that the Central Division will offer in Section V of my  
2 testimony. The Central Division's energy efficiency program portfolio is designed to  
3 achieve both its demand reduction and energy savings objectives for PY 2018.

4 Q. WILL ALL ELIGIBLE CUSTOMERS HAVE ACCESS TO ENERGY  
5 EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS OFFERED BY THE CENTRAL DIVISION?

6 A. Yes, except for industrial customers who have submitted an identification notice, all  
7 customers in the residential and commercial customer classes will have access to the  
8 energy efficiency programs offered by the Central Division.

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#### IV. ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS

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##### A. PY 2016

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Q. WHAT COSTS DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION INCUR WITH ITS PY 2016  
13 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS?

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A. The costs incurred by the Central Division to implement its PY 2016 energy  
15 efficiency programs totaled \$13,622,054, as shown in Schedule B.

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Q. WERE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S ACTUAL PY 2016 ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
17 COSTS LESS THAN THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AMOUNT PROJECTED FOR  
18 PY 2016?

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A. Yes. The Central Division's energy efficiency costs were about 4.5% (\$643,189) less  
20 than the projected amount in 2016.

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Q. WERE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S PY 2016 PROGRAM PORTFOLIO COSTS  
22 LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO THE BENEFITS OF THE PROGRAMS?

1 A. Yes. The Central Division's program portfolio costs were less than or equal to the  
2 benefits of the program. The benefit-cost ratio for the Central Division's entire PY  
3 2016 program portfolio is shown in Schedule P. The estimated useful life for each  
4 measure is provided in Schedule M.

5 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S PY 2016 ADMINISTRATIVE  
6 COSTS.

7 A. The Central Division's PY 2016 administrative costs included costs to conduct  
8 outreach and workshops to explain programs to EESPs and REPs and costs to review  
9 incentive reports and conduct site inspections of installed measures. Administrative  
10 duties also include continuous review and monitoring of programs for successful  
11 program implementation. Costs associated with work activities regarding regulatory  
12 reporting and special projects are also considered administrative costs and are  
13 included in the Central Division's administrative costs.

14 Q. DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S PY 2016 ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS  
15 INCLUDE ANY AFFILIATE COSTS?

16 A. Yes. Affiliate costs are discussed by witnesses Cavazos and Brian J. Frantz.

17 Q. DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION HAVE ANY EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH  
18 R&D IN PY 2016?

19 A. Yes. The Central Division expended \$327,306 for R&D in PY 2016 as detailed in  
20 Schedule B.

21 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S R&D EFFORTS.

22 A. The Central Division's PY 2016 R&D projects included costs related to identifying,  
23 developing and implementing necessary enhancements to its electronic data

1 collection and management systems to incorporate updates for new program  
2 requirements, regulatory requirements, and deemed savings values; and costs  
3 associated with researching new technologies and energy efficiency program  
4 ideas. The Central Division also participated with the Electric Utility Marketing  
5 Managers of Texas (EUMMOT) in research activities that included providing  
6 technical support for the Texas Technical Reference Manual. All of the R&D  
7 expenditures incurred in PY 2016 were for the purpose of fostering continuous  
8 improvement and innovation in the application of energy efficiency technology and  
9 energy efficiency program design and implementation.

10 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S PY 2016 EXPENDITURES  
11 FOR ITS TARGETED LOW-INCOME PROGRAM.

12 A. As required by 16 TAC § 25.181(r), the Central Division expended \$1,368,497 in PY  
13 2016 for the targeted low-income energy efficiency program, which is 9.6% of the  
14 Central Division's PY 2016 energy efficiency budget.

15 Q. HAS THE CENTRAL DIVISION PROVIDED INFORMATION ON THE  
16 BIDDING AND ENGAGEMENT PROCESS USED FOR CONTRACTING WITH  
17 EESPS?

18 A. Yes. Schedule L describes the process used to select and contract with EESPs.

19 Q. DID ANY SINGLE EESP RECEIVE MORE THAN 5% OF THE CENTRAL  
20 DIVISION'S OVERALL INCENTIVE PAYMENTS?

21 A. Yes. Please see Confidential Schedule J for a list of EESPs receiving more than 5%  
22 of the Central Division's PY 2016 overall incentive payments.

1 B. EECRF Proceeding Expenses

2 Q. DOES THE CENTRAL DIVISION REQUEST RECOVERY OF ANY COSTS  
3 RELATED TO THE EECRF PROCEEDING EXPENSES IN 2016?

4 A. Yes. The Central Division requests recovery of \$2,822 for municipal rate case  
5 expenses incurred as a result of its EECRF proceeding in Docket No. 49529.

6 Q. WHY DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION INCLUDE MUNICIPAL RATE CASE  
7 EXPENSES?

8 A. 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3) states that an EECRF proceeding is a ratemaking proceeding  
9 for the purposes of PURA § 33.023 and that a utility's EECRF proceeding expenses  
10 shall be included in the EECRF. The Central Division has included municipal  
11 expenses incurred for the EECRF proceeding, as allowed by 16 TAC §  
12 25.181(f)(3)(B).

13 C. 2016 EM&V Costs

14 Q. DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION INCUR ANY COSTS IN 2016 FOR EM&V FOR  
15 THE EVALUATION OF PY 2015?

16 A. Yes. The Central Division incurred \$161,054 in costs paid to the statewide EM&V  
17 contractor during 2016 for the evaluation of PY 2015.

18 D. 2018 Projected Energy Efficiency Costs

19 Q. WHAT ARE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S ENERGY EFFICIENCY PLANS FOR  
20 PY 2018?

21 A. As shown in Schedule A, the Central Division will implement 12 energy efficiency  
22 programs in PY 2018 for a total projected cost of \$14,436,436, which includes R&D  
23 and EM&V activities. The 12 energy efficiency programs are described in

1 Schedule R and are designed to allow the Central Division to achieve its energy  
2 efficiency objectives for PY 2018. This portfolio of programs will continue to  
3 encourage EESPs and REPs to provide energy efficiency services to all qualifying  
4 residential and commercial customers. Each year the Central Division reviews the  
5 programs and activities that have taken place to improve its plan for the upcoming  
6 year. The Central Division has selected the programs that it believes will achieve its  
7 PY 2018 objectives and comply with PURA provisions and the PUC rule.

8 Q. HOW DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION DETERMINE ITS PY 2018 ENERGY  
9 EFFICIENCY OBJECTIVES?

10 A. The Central Division first determined to achieve even greater cost-effective energy  
11 efficiency savings than required. The Central Division then allocated portions of its  
12 PY 2018 projected program costs among customer classes using criteria such as  
13 customer counts, historical cost allocation, and previous program success. The Hard-  
14 to-Reach SOP and the Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program were  
15 designed to comply with PURA provisions and the Commission rule. The Central  
16 Division then estimated projected impacts from each program based on historical  
17 results and previous years' experience. Projected impacts from all programs within  
18 each customer class were then combined to formulate customer class projected  
19 savings. Finally, all projected customer class savings were added together to produce  
20 the Central Division's PY 2018 energy efficiency objectives as shown in Schedule O.

21 Q. ARE THERE SPECIFIC TYPES OF ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS ASSOCIATED  
22 WITH THE PY 2018 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS?

1 A. Yes. Administrative costs for PY 2018 include conducting workshops to explain  
2 programs to EESPs and REPs, conducting program outreach and marketing,  
3 reviewing project applications, awarding contracts, reviewing M&V plans for some  
4 projects that do not utilize deemed savings measures, performing field inspections of  
5 installed measures, processing incentive payments, and interacting with project  
6 sponsors. Administrative costs also include development, review and selection of  
7 new or revised programs that may be considered for successful program  
8 implementation. Costs associated with work activities regarding regulatory reporting  
9 and special projects are also considered administrative costs and are included as  
10 shown in Schedule A.

11 Q. DOES THE CENTRAL DIVISION INCLUDE ANY PROPOSED R&D  
12 ACTIVITIES IN ITS PROJECTED COSTS FOR PY 2018?

13 A. Yes, the Central Division's PY 2018 projected R&D costs include \$365,125 or about  
14 2.6% of its total projected program costs as shown in Schedule A.

15 E. EM&V Costs

16 Q. DOES THE CENTRAL DIVISION INCLUDE ANY EM&V COSTS IN THIS  
17 FILING?

18 A. Yes. The Central Division is including \$353,977 as it's apportioned EM&V costs,  
19 which includes \$177,024 to be incurred in 2017 to evaluate PY 2016 and \$176,953 to  
20 be incurred in 2018 for the evaluation of PY 2017.



1 V. ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS

2 A. PY 2016 Programs

3 Q. WHAT PROGRAMS DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION OFFER IN PY 2016 TO  
4 ACHIEVE ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY OBJECTIVES?

5 A. The Central Division offered the following programs in PY 2016:

- 6 • Commercial Solutions MTP
- 7 • Commercial SOP
- 8 • CoolSaver<sup>®</sup> A/C Tune-up MTP
- 9 • Earth Networks Residential Demand Response Pilot MTP
- 10 • Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP
- 11 • Hard-to-Reach SOP
- 12 • High Performance New Homes MTP
- 13 • Load Management SOP
- 14 • Open MTP
- 15 • Reliant Residential Demand Response Pilot MTP
- 16 • Residential SOP
- 17 • SCORE/CitySmart MTP
- 18 • SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP
- 19 • Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program

20 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE COMMERCIAL SOLUTIONS MTP.

21 A. The Commercial Solutions MTP identifies a variety of commercial customers having  
22 a high likelihood of installing energy efficiency measures within their facilities.  
23 These customers may have delayed making such improvements for a number of  
24 reasons, including an inability to identify appropriate actions to take or lack of  
25 understanding of energy efficiency project funding. The Commercial Solutions  
26 MTP provides education and information to such customers, and provides monetary

1 incentives to encourage them to take action to improve their facilities' energy  
2 efficiency.

3 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE COMMERCIAL SOP.

4 A. The Commercial SOP provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of  
5 measures that reduce customer energy costs and reduce peak demand and/or save  
6 energy in non-residential facilities. Examples of eligible customer sites include  
7 hotels, schools, manufacturing facilities, restaurants, and larger grocery and retail  
8 stores. These types of customers have installed eligible measures such as lighting  
9 systems, new or replacement chiller systems, high-efficiency pumping systems, and  
10 other similar efficient technologies. Incentives are paid to project sponsors on the  
11 basis of deemed savings or, if deemed savings have not been established for a  
12 particular qualifying energy efficiency measure, incentives may be paid on the basis  
13 of verified peak demand and/or energy savings using the International Performance  
14 Measurement & Verification Protocol.

15 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE COOLSAVER<sup>®</sup> A/C TUNE-UP MTP.

16 A. The CoolSaver<sup>®</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP is designed to overcome market barriers that  
17 prevent residential and small business customers from receiving high-performance  
18 A/C system tune-ups. This program works with local A/C distributor networks to  
19 train and certify A/C technicians on tune-up and air flow correction services and  
20 protocols.

21 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE EARTH NETWORKS RESIDENTIAL DEMAND  
22 RESPONSE PILOT MTP.

1 A. The Earth Networks Residential Demand Response Pilot MTP is an Integrated  
2 Demand Side Management aggregation program designed to provide residential  
3 demand savings.

4 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE EFFICIENCY CONNECTION MTP.

5 A. The Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP is a partnership with Retail Electric Providers  
6 (REPs) to help promote energy efficiency to the Central Division residential  
7 customers by offering discounted LED lamps via an online marketplace. A third-  
8 party implementer facilitates customer/REP participation and aids in the selection and  
9 management of an online retailer/vendor for the program website and order  
10 fulfillment.

11 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE HARD-TO-REACH SOP.

12 A. The Hard-to-Reach SOP targets a specific subset of residential customers defined by  
13 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(27). The hard-to-reach customer is one whose total household  
14 income is less than 200% of federal poverty guidelines. The program provides  
15 incentives for the installation of a wide range of measures that reduce residential  
16 customer energy costs and reduce peak demand. It is designed to  
17 cost-effectively provide energy efficiency improvements to individual households at  
18 no or very low cost. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible measures  
19 installed in retrofit applications on the basis of deemed savings. Eligible measures  
20 include replacement air conditioners, wall and ceiling insulation, and air distribution  
21 duct improvements, among others.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE HIGH PERFORMANCE NEW HOMES MTP.

2 A. The High Performance New Homes MTP targets homebuilders and residential  
3 consumers. The program's goal is to create conditions where consumers demand  
4 high performance built homes, and homebuilders supply these energy-efficient  
5 homes. Incentives are paid to homebuilders who construct high performance built  
6 homes in the Central Division service area and independent home energy raters who  
7 verify the energy efficiency of the homes.

8 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE LOAD MANAGEMENT SOP.

9 A. The Load Management SOP targets commercial customers that have a minimum  
10 demand of 500 kW or more. Incentives are paid to project sponsors that identify  
11 interruptible load and provide curtailment of this electric load on short notice. These  
12 payments are based on the delivery of metered demand reduction.

13 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE OPEN MTP.

14 A. The Open MTP targets traditionally underserved small commercial customers who  
15 may not employ knowledgeable personnel with a focus on energy efficiency, who are  
16 limited in the ability to implement energy efficiency measures, and/or who typically  
17 do not actively seek the help of a professional EESP. Small commercial customers  
18 with a peak demand not exceeding 100 kW in the previous 12 consecutive billing  
19 months may qualify to participate in the program. The program is intended to  
20 overcome market barriers for participating contractors by providing technical support  
21 and incentives to implement energy efficiency upgrades and produce demand and  
22 energy savings.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE RELIANT RESIDENTIAL DEMAND RESPONSE  
2 PILOT MTP.

3 A. The Reliant Residential Demand Response Pilot MTP will leverage an existing  
4 industry-recognized program from a Retail Electric Provider (REP) to reduce demand  
5 consumption. The REP will utilize its existing customer base from their thermostat-  
6 based peak time program, Degrees of Difference.

7 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE RESIDENTIAL SOP.

8 A. The Residential SOP provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of  
9 measures that reduce residential customer energy costs and reduce peak demand. It is  
10 also designed to encourage private sector delivery of energy efficiency products and  
11 services. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible measures installed in  
12 retrofit applications on the basis of deemed savings. Eligible measures include  
13 replacement air conditioners, wall and ceiling insulation, and air distribution duct  
14 improvements, among others.

15 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE SCORE/CITYSMART MTP.

16 A. The Schools COnserving RESources/CitySmart MTP (SCORE/CitySmart) provides  
17 energy efficiency and demand reduction solutions for cities and public schools.  
18 SCORE/CitySmart facilitates the examination of actual demand and energy savings,  
19 operating characteristics, program design, long-range energy efficiency planning and  
20 overall measure and program acceptance by the targeted cities and schools. This  
21 program is designed to help educate and assist these customers to lower energy use by  
22 integrating energy efficiency into their short- and long-term planning, budgeting and  
23 operational practices. Incentives are paid to participants for certain qualifying

1 measures installed in new or retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and  
2 energy savings.

3 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE SMART SOURCE<sup>SM</sup> SOLAR PV MTP.

4 A. The SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP offers residential and commercial installations  
5 a financial incentive for installations of solar electric (photovoltaic) systems  
6 interconnected on the customer's side of the electric service meter. The goal of this  
7 program is to transform the market by increasing the number of qualified companies  
8 offering installation services and by decreasing the average installed cost of systems,  
9 creating economies of scale.

10 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE TARGETED LOW-INCOME ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
11 PROGRAM.

12 A. The Central Division's Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program is designed  
13 to cost-effectively reduce the energy consumption and energy costs of the Central  
14 Division's low-income residential customers. The program provides eligible  
15 residential customers with appropriate weatherization measures and basic on-site  
16 energy education.

17 B. PY 2016 Achievements

18 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S REQUIRED DEMAND  
19 REDUCTION GOAL FOR PY 2016 AND THE RESULTS THAT WERE  
20 ACHIEVED IN 2016.

21 A. The Central Division's required demand reduction goal to be achieved in PY 2016  
22 was 15.73 MW. The Central Division's actual demand reduction achieved was 39.30  
23 MW of peak demand savings from its PY 2016 energy efficiency programs.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S REQUIRED ENERGY  
2 REDUCTION GOAL FOR PY 2016 AND THE RESULTS THAT WERE  
3 ACHIEVED IN PY 2016.

4 A. The Central Division's required energy reduction goal to be achieved in PY 2016 was  
5 27,559 MWh. The Central Division's actual energy reduction achieved was 67,714  
6 MWh from its PY 2016 energy efficiency programs.

7 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE AMOUNT OF DEMAND REDUCTION THAT THE  
8 CENTRAL DIVISION ACHIEVED FROM ITS HARD-TO-REACH PROGRAMS.

9 A. The Central Division achieved demand reductions of 1.56 MW from its  
10 Hard-To-Reach SOP and 0.78 MW from its Targeted Low Income Energy Efficiency  
11 Program. The total from both hard-to-reach programs was 2.34 MW in demand  
12 reduction.

13 Q. DID THE CENTRAL DIVISION ACHIEVE MORE THAN 5% OF ITS  
14 STATUTORY DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL FROM ITS HARD-TO-REACH  
15 PROGRAMS?

16 A. Yes, the Central Division achieved 15% of its PY 2016 statutory demand reduction  
17 goal from its hard-to-reach programs.

18 Q. DOES THE CENTRAL DIVISION REQUEST A PERFORMANCE BONUS FOR  
19 PY 2016?

20 A. Yes, it does. Mr. Cavazos discusses the \$3,492,251 performance bonus requested by  
21 the Central Division for its PY 2016 results.

22 Q. SHOULD THE CENTRAL DIVISION BE GRANTED ITS REQUESTED  
23 PERFORMANCE BONUS?

1 A. Yes, the Central Division should be granted its requested performance bonus set forth  
2 in Schedule D.

3 C. PY 2018 Programs

4 Q. WHAT PROGRAMS WILL THE CENTRAL DIVISION OFFER IN PY 2018 TO  
5 ACHIEVE THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY OBJECTIVES?

6 A. The Central Division will offer the following programs in PY 2018:

- 7 • Commercial Solutions MTP
- 8 • Commercial SOP
- 9 • CoolSaver<sup>®</sup> A/C Tune-up MTP
- 10 • Earth Networks Residential DR Pilot MTP
- 11 • Hard-to-Reach SOP
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- 13 • Load Management SOP
- 14 • Open MTP
- 15 • Residential SOP
- 16 • SCORE/CitySmart MTP
- 17 • SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP
- 18 • Targeted Low Income Energy Efficiency Program
- 19 • Whisker Labs Residential Thermostat Demand Response Pilot Program  
20 (previously known as Earth Networks Residential Demand Response Pilot  
21 Program)

22 Q. WHAT IS THE PY 2018 PROJECTED COST FOR EACH PROGRAM?

23 A. Schedule A contains details of the PY 2018 projected cost for each of the Central  
24 Division's programs.

25 Q. WHAT ARE THE PROJECTED SAVINGS FROM EACH PROGRAM?

26 A. Schedule O contains the PY 2018 projected savings from each program.



1 VI. CONCLUSION

2 Q. DO THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS INCURRED IN  
3 PY 2016 COMPLY WITH THE COMMISSION RULE?

4 A. Yes. The costs incurred in connection with the PY 2016 energy efficiency programs  
5 were reasonable and necessary to provide energy efficiency to residential and  
6 commercial customers and were properly incurred consistent with 16 TAC  
7 § 25.181(f).

8 Q. DO THE CENTRAL DIVISION'S CALCULATIONS OF ITS ENERGY  
9 EFFICIENCY GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND THE PROJECTED COSTS TO BE  
10 INCURRED IN PY 2018 AND INCLUDED IN THE ADJUSTED 2018 EECRF  
11 COMPLY WITH THE COMMISSION RULE?

12 A. Yes. The Central Division's statutory minimum goals to be achieved in PY 2018 are  
13 15.99 MW of demand reduction and 28,014 MWh of energy reduction, and are in  
14 compliance with the Commission rule. As discussed above and in Mr. Cavazos'  
15 testimony, in order to satisfy PURA §39.905 and the Commission rule that utilities  
16 achieve as much energy efficiency savings as reasonably possible within the  
17 limitations in the statute and the rule, the Central Division has established energy  
18 efficiency objectives for PY 2018 above the minimum goals in the statute and rule.  
19 The \$14,436,436 that the Central Division projects it will incur in PY 2018 to achieve  
20 its energy efficiency objectives is a reasonable estimate of the costs necessary to  
21 provide energy efficiency programs to meet the Central Division's energy efficiency  
22 objectives for PY 2018 in furtherance of PURA § 39.905 and 16 TAC § 25.181.

1 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

2 A. Yes, it does.

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I. INTRODUCTION

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Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, POSITION IN THE COMPANY, AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.

A. My name is Rhonda R. Fahrlander. I am an Energy Efficiency and Consumer Programs Coordinator Senior for AEP Texas Inc. My business address is 910 Energy Drive, Abilene, Texas 79602.

Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND.

A. I received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from McMurry University in 1997. I was first employed by West Texas Utilities Company (the predecessor of AEP Texas North Company (TNC)) in December 1979 in Clyde, Texas as Bookkeeper/Cashier. I then held the position of Customer Service Representative before transferring to Abilene in June 1994. In November of 1996, I transferred to the Customer Accounting department as a Staff Associate and then Senior Staff Associate. In August 2000, I assumed my current duties as Energy Efficiency and Consumer Programs Coordinator Senior for TNC (now the North Division of AEP Texas).<sup>1</sup> In my current position, I am responsible for administering programs in compliance with the Public Utility Regulatory Act provisions and the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC or Commission) rules for energy efficiency. I hold professional certifications with the Association of Energy Engineers (AEE) as a Certified Energy Manager, Certified Energy Auditor, Certified Measurement and Verification Professional, and Certified Demand-Side Management Professional.

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<sup>1</sup> As explained in the testimony of Robert Cavazos, TNC and AEP Texas Central Company (TCC) have now merged into the single entity, AEP Texas Inc. However, the Commission has required AEP Texas to maintain separate TCC and TNC divisions, now the AEP Texas Central Division and AEP Texas North Division.

1 Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY FILED TESTIMONY BEFORE ANY REGULATORY  
2 AGENCY?

3 A. Yes, I have previously filed testimony before the PUC in the following dockets:

- 4 • Docket No. 39361, Application of AEP Texas North Company to Adjust Energy  
5 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF) and Related Relief;
- 6 • Docket No. 40358, Application of AEP Texas North Company to Adjust Energy  
7 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 8 • Docket No. 41539, Application of AEP Texas North Company to Adjust Energy  
9 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 10 • Docket No. 42509, Application of AEP Texas North Company to Adjust Energy  
11 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief;
- 12 • Docket No. 44718, Application of AEP Texas North Company to Adjust Energy  
13 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief; and
- 14 • Docket No. 45928, Application of AEP Texas North Company to Adjust Energy  
15 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor and Related Relief.

16 Q. DO YOU SPONSOR ANY OF THE SCHEDULES ACCOMPANYING AEP  
17 TEXAS' FILING?

18 A. Yes, I sponsor North Division Schedules L through O and North Division Schedule  
19 R. In addition, I cosponsor North Division Schedule A with witnesses Robert  
20 Cavazos and Jennifer L. Jackson. I also cosponsor North Division Schedule B with  
21 witness Jackson and North Division Schedules J, P and S with witness Cavazos.

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23 II. PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY

24 Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

25 A. The purpose of my testimony is to present information supporting the request to  
26 adjust the AEP Texas North Division EECRF for 2018. The corresponding  
27 information to support AEP Texas' request to adjust its AEP Texas Central Division

1 EECRF for 2018 is addressed in the direct testimony of Pamela Osterloh. As Mr.  
2 Cavazos discusses in his direct testimony, AEP Texas seeks an adjustment in 2018 to  
3 reflect the following for its North Division:

- 4 • recovery of \$1,837,772, which is the amount of projected 2018 energy  
5 efficiency program costs that exceeds the energy efficiency costs expressly  
6 included in the North Division's prior base rate order adjusted for 2016  
7 revenue according to 16 Tex. Admin. Code (TAC) § 25.181(f)(1)(B);
- 8 • recovery of \$62,430, the North Division's projected share of the statewide  
9 Evaluation, Measurement, and Verification (EM&V) costs for evaluation of  
10 Program Year (PY) 2016 (\$31,221) and PY 2017 (\$31,209);
- 11 • return to customers of \$328,735, which is the amount of the North Division's  
12 over-recovered energy efficiency costs in 2016;
- 13 • recovery of \$2,891, which is the amount of municipal EECRF proceeding  
14 expenses incurred as a result of Docket No. 45928, as allowed by 16 TAC  
15 § 25.181(f)(3)(B); and
- 16 • recovery of \$556,190, which is the amount of the performance bonus earned  
17 from actual energy efficiency achievements in PY 2016.

18 The total amount that AEP Texas requests be recovered through its adjusted North  
19 Division 2018 EECRF is \$2,130,548.

20 In my direct testimony, I first outline the energy efficiency goals established  
21 by Public Utility Regulatory Act, Tex. Util. Code Ann. § 39.905 (West 2007 & Supp.  
22 2014) (PURA). I also discuss the impact of the identification notice referenced in 16  
23 TAC § 25.181(w). I then present the actual energy efficiency expenditures incurred  
24 by the North Division for its 2016 programs, 2016 municipal EECRF proceeding  
25 expenses, and EM&V costs incurred in PY 2016. I also present AEP Texas' plans  
26 and projected costs to achieve its energy efficiency objectives for the North Division  
27 for PY 2018. Finally, I describe the programs the North Division implemented

1 during PY 2016 and the plans and programs it will implement to achieve its energy  
2 efficiency objectives for PY 2018.

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4 III. ENERGY EFFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS AND OBJECTIVES

5 A. Statutory and Regulatory Requirements

6 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE BASIC REQUIREMENTS OF PURA §39.905 AS  
7 RELEVANT TO YOUR TESTIMONY.

8 A. As discussed by Mr. Cavazos in his testimony, the requirements of PURA §39.905 as  
9 relevant to my testimony are:

- 10 • A utility must administer energy efficiency programs.
- 11 • A utility must provide incentives adequate for the purpose of acquiring cost-  
12 effective energy efficiency equivalent to at least 30% of the utility's annual  
13 growth in demand of residential and commercial customers beginning with the  
14 2013 program year, but not less than the previous year.
- 15 • Once the utility's demand reduction goal is equivalent to at least four-tenths of  
16 one percent of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined  
17 residential and commercial customers for the previous calendar year, the  
18 utility's goal shall be four-tenths of one percent of its summer  
19 weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial  
20 customers, but not less than the previous year.
- 21 • A utility must provide incentives through market-based standard offer  
22 programs (SOPs) or targeted market transformation programs (MTPs).
- 23 • A utility must provide incentives in such a manner that retail electric providers  
24 (REPs) and competitive energy efficiency service providers (EESPs) install  
25 the measures that produce the energy efficiency necessary to meet the utility's  
26 mandated annual goal.

27 Q. HAS THE COMMISSION ADOPTED RULES TO IMPLEMENT PURA §39.905?

28 A. Yes, 16 TAC § 25.181 has been adopted to implement PURA §39.905.



1 Q. WHAT ARE SOME OF THE KEY COMPONENTS OF 16 TAC § 25.181?

2 A. Some of the key components of 16 TAC § 25.181 are:

- 3 • An electric utility shall administer energy efficiency programs to acquire, at a  
4 minimum, a 30% reduction of its annual growth in demand of residential and  
5 commercial customers until the demand reduction goal to be acquired is at  
6 least four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the  
7 combined residential and commercial customers for the previous program  
8 year.
- 9 • Once the demand reduction goal to be acquired is equivalent to at least  
10 four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the  
11 combined residential and commercial customers for the previous program  
12 year, the utility shall acquire four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-  
13 adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers  
14 for the previous program year.
- 15 • A utility's demand goal in any year shall not be lower than its goal for the  
16 prior year.
- 17 • Utilities are encouraged to achieve demand reduction and energy savings  
18 through a portfolio of cost-effective programs that exceed each utility's  
19 energy efficiency goals while staying within the required cost caps.
- 20 • A utility shall adjust an EECRF to timely recover forecasted annual energy  
21 efficiency program costs in excess of the actual energy efficiency revenues  
22 collected from base rates, the preceding year's over- or under-recovery  
23 including municipal and utility EECRF proceeding expenses, any  
24 performance bonus earned, and EM&V costs assigned to the utility.
- 25 • 16 TAC § 25.181(h) allows a utility exceeding its minimum demand and  
26 energy reduction goals to earn a performance bonus.
- 27 • A utility may use up to 15% of its total program costs for administration of its  
28 energy efficiency programs.
- 29 • A utility may use up to 10% of the previous program year's costs to perform  
30 necessary energy efficiency research and development (R&D) to foster  
31 continuous improvement and innovation in the application of energy  
32 efficiency technology and energy efficiency program design and  
33 implementation.
- 34 • The cumulative cost of administration and R&D shall not exceed 20% of a  
35 utility's total program costs.
- 36 • An EM&V framework is included to evaluate program portfolio performance  
37 and to measure and verify estimated demand and energy impacts reported for  
38 those programs.

- Qualifying industrial customers taking electric service at distribution voltage may submit a notice to identify metering points for their industrial processes, which allows those metering points to not be charged for any costs associated with programs provided through the EECRF nor shall the identified facilities be eligible to participate or receive incentives for a three year period.

Q. HOW DOES THE NORTH DIVISION IMPLEMENT THESE REQUIREMENTS?

A. AEP Texas develops and offers cost-effective energy efficiency programs to third-party EESPs as defined in 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(17), who in turn market their services to end-use retail residential and commercial customers. These programs offer incentives to encourage third-party EESPs, REPs and/or eligible commercial customers to participate as project sponsors of energy efficiency measures. The Commission's energy efficiency rule allows commercial customers with a peak demand of 50 kilowatts (kW) or greater to act as their own project sponsor for measures they install for themselves. The EESPs, or project sponsors, then supply and install the measures at homes or businesses that produce the energy efficiency savings that the North Division reports to satisfy the energy efficiency objectives of its programs. The energy efficiency objectives and goals are established annually, so that each year the North Division must procure the necessary demand reduction and energy savings from participating project sponsors to meet the North Division's objectives for that year. Energy efficiency savings may be in the form of reduction in summer or winter peak demand (kW), energy usage (kWh), or both. The North Division pays incentives to the project sponsors for peak demand and energy savings resulting from the energy efficiency measures installed according to program guidelines.

1 Q. PLEASE DEFINE THE TERM SOP.

2 A. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(56), an SOP is defined as a program under which a  
3 utility administers standard offer contracts between the utility and the EESP. A  
4 standard offer contract specifies standard payments based upon the amount of energy  
5 and peak demand savings achieved through energy efficiency measures, the  
6 measurement and verification (M&V) protocols, and other terms and conditions,  
7 consistent with 16 TAC § 25.181.

8 Q. PLEASE DEFINE THE TERM MTP.

9 A. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(37), an MTP is defined as a strategic program  
10 intended to induce lasting structural or behavioral changes in a market that result in  
11 increased adoption of energy efficiency technologies, services, and practices.

12 B. Annual Demand Reduction Goal

13 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL REQUIREMENT FOR  
14 THE NORTH DIVISION.

15 A. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1) the North Division is required to acquire a 30%  
16 reduction of its annual growth in demand of residential and commercial customers  
17 until that goal is equivalent to at least four-tenths of 1% (the trigger) of the North  
18 Division's summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and  
19 commercial customers for the previous program year. Once that trigger is reached,  
20 the North Division shall acquire four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-adjusted  
21 peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers for the previous  
22 program year. In addition, 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(E) also states that, except as  
23 adjusted in accordance with subsection (w) of the rule, a utility's demand reduction

1 goal in any year shall not be lower than its goal for the prior year, unless the  
2 Commission establishes a goal for a utility pursuant to paragraph (2) of 16 TAC  
3 § 25.181(e).

4 Q. HAS THE NORTH DIVISION MET THE TRIGGER DESCRIBED IN 16 TAC  
5 § 25.181(e)(1)(C)?

6 A. Yes. The North Division met the trigger when calculating its goal for PY 2015.

7 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW THE NORTH DIVISION'S FOUR-TENTHS OF 1%  
8 DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL IS CALCULATED.

9 A. The North Division's four-tenths of 1% demand reduction goal was calculated by  
10 taking the average of the 2012 – 2016 weather adjusted peak demand at the meter  
11 adjusted for line losses. The resulting peak demand average for this time period was  
12 1,004 MW; therefore, the North Division's four-tenths of 1% goal for PY 2018 is  
13 4.02 MW.

14 Q. COULD THE IDENTIFICATION NOTICE REQUIREMENT AFFECT THE  
15 UTILITY'S CALCULATED GOAL FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY?

16 A. Yes. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(w) the utility's demand reduction goal is required  
17 to be adjusted to remove any load identified as a result of the identification notice  
18 provision.

19 Q. ARE ANY SUCH NOTICES TO BE EFFECTIVE IN PY 2018?

20 A. Yes. The North Division received identification notices prior to February 1, 2017 for  
21 541 ESIDs representing 32,454 kW.

22 Q. WHAT IS THE NORTH DIVISION'S DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL TO BE  
23 ACHIEVED IN PY 2018?

1 A. The demand reduction goal for the North Division to achieve in PY 2018 is 4.26  
2 MW, based on the requirements in 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(E) and as adjusted in  
3 accordance with subsection (w). The minimum PY 2018 demand reduction goal is  
4 set forth in Schedule N that I sponsor. The North Division, however, projects it will  
5 achieve as much as 6.15 MW of demand reduction from the programs it will  
6 implement in PY 2018. As Mr. Cavazos explains in his testimony, AEP Texas  
7 interprets PURA §39.905 and 16 TAC § 25.181 as intended to encourage as much  
8 cost-effective energy efficiency as can reasonably be achieved under the limits set  
9 forth in the statute and rule.

10 Q. WERE LINE LOSSES INCORPORATED IN THE CALCULATION OF THE  
11 DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL?

12 A. Yes. Calculation of the demand reduction goal used the line loss numbers referenced  
13 in Table 16 of Schedule S. Line losses are derived from the loss factors determined  
14 in the North Division's most recent line loss study.

15 C. Annual Energy Savings Goal

16 Q. HOW IS THE ENERGY SAVINGS GOAL CALCULATED UNDER 16 TAC  
17 § 25.181?

18 A. The minimum energy savings goal is calculated from the utility's calculated demand  
19 goal, using a 20% conservation load factor, as set forth in 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(4).

20 Q. WHAT IS THE NORTH DIVISION'S ENERGY SAVINGS GOAL TO BE  
21 ACHIEVED IN PY 2018?

22 A. The energy savings goal for the North Division to achieve in PY 2018 is 7,464  
23 Megawatt-hour (MWh). The PY 2018 energy savings goal is set forth in Schedule N.



1 A. The costs incurred by the North Division to implement its PY 2016 energy efficiency  
2 programs totaled \$2,622,844, as shown in Schedule B.

3 Q. WERE THE NORTH DIVISION'S ACTUAL PY 2016 ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
4 COSTS LESS THAN THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AMOUNT PROJECTED FOR  
5 PY 2016?

6 A. Yes. The North Division's total energy efficiency costs for PY 2016 were about 12%  
7 (\$365,007) less than the \$2,987,851 projected amount.

8 Q. WERE THE NORTH DIVISION'S PY 2016 PROGRAM PORTFOLIO COSTS  
9 LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO THE BENEFITS OF THE PROGRAMS?

10 A. Yes. The North Division's program portfolio costs were less than or equal to the  
11 benefits of the programs. The benefit-cost ratio for the North Division's entire PY  
12 2016 program portfolio is shown in Schedule P. The estimated useful life for each  
13 measure in each program is provided in Schedule M.

14 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE NORTH DIVISION'S PY 2016 ADMINISTRATIVE  
15 COSTS.

16 A. The North Division's PY 2016 administrative costs included costs to conduct  
17 outreach and workshops to explain programs to EESPs and REPs and costs to review  
18 incentive reports and conduct field site inspections of installed measures.  
19 Administrative duties also included continuous review and monitoring of all  
20 programs for successful program implementation. Costs associated with work  
21 activities regarding regulatory reporting and special projects are considered  
22 administrative costs and are included in the North Division's administrative costs.

1 Q. DID THE NORTH DIVISION PY 2016 ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS INCLUDE  
2 ANY AFFILIATE COSTS?

3 A. Yes. Affiliate costs are discussed by witnesses Cavazos and Brian Frantz.

4 Q. DID THE NORTH DIVISION HAVE ANY EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH  
5 R&D IN PY 2016?

6 A. Yes. The North Division expended \$82,694 for R&D in PY 2016, as shown in  
7 Schedule B.

8 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE NORTH DIVISION'S R&D EFFORTS.

9 A. The North Division's PY 2016 R&D projects included costs related to identifying,  
10 developing and implementing necessary enhancements to its electronic data  
11 collection and management systems to incorporate updates for new program  
12 requirements, regulatory requirements, and deemed savings values; and costs  
13 associated with researching new technologies and energy efficiency program ideas.  
14 The North Division also participated with the Electric Utility Marketing Managers of  
15 Texas (EUMMOT) in research activities that included providing technical support for  
16 the Texas Technical Reference Manual.

17 All of the R&D expenditures incurred in PY 2016 were for the purpose of fostering  
18 continuous improvement and innovation in the application of energy efficiency  
19 technology and energy efficiency program design and implementation.

20 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE NORTH DIVISION'S PY 2016 EXPENDITURES FOR  
21 ITS TARGETED LOW-INCOME PROGRAM.



1 A. As required by 16 TAC § 25.181(r), the North Division expended \$288,338 in PY  
2 2016 for the targeted low-income energy efficiency program, which is 9.7% of the  
3 North Division's PY 2016 energy efficiency budget.

4 Q. HAS THE NORTH DIVISION PROVIDED INFORMATION REGARDING THE  
5 BIDDING AND ENGAGEMENT PROCESS USED FOR CONTRACTING WITH  
6 EESPs?

7 A. Yes. Schedule L describes the process the North Division used to select and contract  
8 with EESPs.

9 Q. DID ANY SINGLE EESP RECEIVE MORE THAN 5% OF THE NORTH  
10 DIVISION'S OVERALL PY 2016 INCENTIVE PAYMENTS?

11 A. Yes. Please see Confidential Schedule J for a list of EESPs receiving more than 5%  
12 of the North Division's PY 2016 overall incentive payments.

13 B. 2016 EECRF Proceeding Expenses

14 Q. DOES THE NORTH DIVISION REQUEST RECOVERY OF ANY COSTS  
15 RELATED TO THE 2016 EECRF PROCEEDING?

16 A. Yes. The North Division requests recovery of \$2,891 for municipal rate case  
17 expenses incurred as a result of its 2016 EECRF proceeding, Docket No. 45928.

18 Q. WHY DID THE NORTH DIVISION INCLUDE MUNICIPAL RATE CASE  
19 EXPENSES?

20 A. 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3) states that an EECRF proceeding is a ratemaking proceeding  
21 for the purposes of PURA §33.023 and that EECRF proceeding expenses are to be  
22 included in the EECRF. The North Division has included municipal expenses  
23 incurred for the 2016 EECRF proceeding, as allowed by 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(B).

1 C. 2016 EM&V Costs

2 Q. DID THE NORTH DIVISION INCUR ANY COSTS IN 2016 FOR EM&V FOR  
3 THE EVALUATION OF PY 2015?

4 A. Yes. The North Division incurred \$28,413 in costs paid to the statewide EM&V  
5 contractor for the evaluation of PY 2015.

6 D. 2018 Projected Energy Efficiency Costs

7 Q. WHAT ARE THE NORTH DIVISION'S ENERGY EFFICIENCY PLANS FOR PY  
8 2018?

9 A. As shown in Schedule A, the North Division will implement 10 energy efficiency  
10 programs in PY 2018 with a total projected program cost of \$3,339,430, which  
11 includes R&D and EM&V activities. The 10 energy efficiency programs are  
12 described in Schedule R and are designed to allow the North Division to achieve its  
13 energy efficiency objectives for PY 2018. This portfolio of programs will continue to  
14 encourage EESPs and REPs to provide energy efficiency services to all qualifying  
15 residential and commercial customers. Each year the North Division reviews the  
16 programs and activities that have taken place to improve its plan for the upcoming  
17 year. The North Division has selected the programs that it believes will achieve its  
18 PY 2018 objectives and comply with PURA provisions and the PUC rule.

19 Q. HOW DID THE NORTH DIVISION DETERMINE ITS PY 2018 ENERGY  
20 EFFICIENCY OBJECTIVES?

21 A. The North Division first determined to achieve even greater cost-effective energy  
22 efficiency savings than required. The North Division then allocated portions of its  
23 PY 2018 projected program costs among customer classes using criteria such as

1 customer counts, historical cost allocation, and previous program success. The  
2 Hard-to-Reach SOP and the Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program were  
3 designed to comply with PURA provisions and the Commission rule. The North  
4 Division then estimated projected impacts from each program based on historical  
5 results and previous years' experience. Projected impacts from all programs within  
6 each customer class were then combined to formulate customer class projected  
7 savings. Finally, all projected customer class savings were added together to produce  
8 the North Division's PY 2018 energy efficiency objectives, as shown in Schedule O.

9 Q. ARE THERE SPECIFIC TYPES OF ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS ASSOCIATED  
10 WITH THE PY 2018 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS?

11 A. Yes. Administrative costs for PY 2018 will include conducting workshops to explain  
12 programs to EESPs and REPs, conducting program outreach and marketing,  
13 reviewing project applications, awarding contracts, reviewing M&V plans for some  
14 projects that do not utilize deemed savings measures, performing field site inspections  
15 of installed measures, processing incentive payments, and interacting with project  
16 sponsors. Administrative costs also include the development, review and selection of  
17 new or revised programs that may be considered for successful program  
18 implementation. Costs associated with work activities regarding energy efficiency  
19 regulatory reporting, EECRF filing, and other energy efficiency-related projects are  
20 also considered administrative costs and are included as shown in Schedule A.

21 Q. DOES THE NORTH DIVISION INCLUDE ANY R&D ACTIVITIES IN ITS  
22 PROJECTED COSTS FOR PY 2018?

1 A. Yes. The North Division's PY 2018 projected costs include \$200,000, or about 6%  
2 of its total projected program costs, for R&D activities, as referenced in Schedule A.

3 E. EM&V Costs

4 Q. DOES THE NORTH DIVISION INCLUDE ANY EM&V COSTS IN THIS  
5 FILING?

6 A. Yes. The North Division is including \$62,430 as its apportioned EM&V costs, which  
7 includes \$31,221 to be incurred in 2017 for the evaluation of PY 2016 and \$31,209 to  
8 be incurred in 2018 for the evaluation of PY 2017.

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10 V. ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS

11 A. PY 2016 Programs

12 Q. WHAT PROGRAMS DID THE NORTH DIVISION OFFER IN PY 2016 TO  
13 ACHIEVE ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY OBJECTIVES?

14 A. The North Division offered the following programs in PY 2016:

- 15 • Commercial Solutions MTP
- 16 • Commercial SOP
- 17 • Earth Networks Residential Demand Response Pilot MTP
- 18 • Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP
- 19 • Hard-to-Reach SOP
- 20 • Load Management SOP
- 21 • Open MTP
- 22 • Residential SOP
- 23 • SCORE/CitySmart MTP
- 24 • SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP
- 25 • Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE COMMERCIAL SOLUTIONS MTP.

2 A. The Commercial Solutions MTP identifies a variety of commercial customers having  
3 a high likelihood of needing energy efficiency improvements within their facilities.  
4 These customers may have delayed making such improvements for a number of  
5 reasons including an inability to identify appropriate actions to take, or a lack of  
6 understanding of energy efficiency project funding. The Commercial Solutions MTP  
7 provides education and information to such customers, and provides monetary  
8 incentives to encourage them to take action to improve the energy efficiency of their  
9 facilities.

10 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE COMMERCIAL SOP.

11 A. The Commercial SOP provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of  
12 measures that reduce customer energy costs and reduce peak demand and/or save  
13 energy in non-residential facilities. Examples of eligible customer sites include  
14 hotels, schools, manufacturing facilities, restaurants, and larger grocery and retail  
15 stores. These types of customers install eligible measures such as lighting systems,  
16 new or replacement chiller systems, high efficiency pumping systems, and other  
17 energy efficiency technologies. Incentives are paid to project sponsors on the basis of  
18 deemed savings, or if deemed savings have not been established for a particular  
19 qualifying energy efficiency measure, incentives are paid on the basis of verified peak  
20 demand and/or energy savings using the International Performance Measurement and  
21 Verification Protocol.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE EARTH NETWORKS RESIDENTIAL DEMAND  
2 RESPONSE PILOT MTP.

3 A. The Earth Networks Residential Demand Response Pilot MTP is an Integrated  
4 Demand Side Management aggregation program designed to provide residential  
5 demand savings.

6 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE EFFICIENCY CONNECTION PILOT MTP.

7 A. The Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP is a partnership with Retail Electric Providers  
8 (REPs) to help promote energy efficiency to North Division residential customers by  
9 offering discounted LED lamps via an online marketplace. A third-party implementer  
10 facilitates customer/REP participation and aids in the selection and management of an  
11 online retailer/vendor for the program website and order fulfillment.

12 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE HARD-TO-REACH SOP.

13 A. The Hard-to-Reach SOP targets a specific subset of residential customers defined by  
14 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(27). The hard-to-reach customer is one whose total annual  
15 household income is at or below 200% of the federal poverty guidelines. The  
16 program provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of measures that  
17 reduce residential customer energy costs and peak demand. It is designed to  
18 cost-effectively provide energy efficiency improvements to individual households at  
19 no or very low cost. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible measures  
20 installed in retrofit applications on the basis of deemed savings. Eligible measures  
21 include replacement air conditioners, wall and ceiling insulation, and air distribution  
22 duct improvements, among others.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE LOAD MANAGEMENT SOP.

2 A. The Load Management SOP targets commercial customers that have a minimum  
3 demand of 500 kW. Incentives are paid to project sponsors that can identify  
4 interruptible load and provide curtailment of this electric load on short notice. These  
5 payments are based on the delivery of metered demand reduction.

6 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE OPEN MTP.

7 A. The Open MTP targets traditionally underserved small commercial customers who  
8 may not employ knowledgeable personnel with a focus on energy efficiency, who are  
9 limited in the ability to implement energy efficiency measures, and/or who typically  
10 do not actively seek the help of a professional EESP. Small commercial customers  
11 with a peak demand not exceeding 100 kW in the previous 12 consecutive billing  
12 months may qualify to participate in the program. The program is intended to  
13 overcome market barriers for participating contractors by providing technical support  
14 and incentives to implement energy efficiency upgrades and produce demand and  
15 energy savings.

16 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE RESIDENTIAL SOP.

17 A. The Residential SOP provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of  
18 measures that reduce residential customer energy costs and reduce peak demand. It is  
19 also designed to encourage private sector delivery of energy efficiency products and  
20 services by REPs and EESPs. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible  
21 measures installed in retrofit applications on the basis of deemed savings. Eligible  
22 measures include replacement air conditioners, wall and ceiling insulation and air  
23 distribution duct improvements, among others.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE SCORE/CITYSMART MTP.

2 A. The Schools COnserving RESources/CitySmart (SCORE/CitySmart) MTP provides  
3 energy efficiency and demand reduction solutions for cities and public schools.  
4 SCORE/CitySmart facilitates the examination of actual demand and energy savings,  
5 operating characteristics, program design, long-range energy efficiency planning and  
6 overall measure and program acceptance by the targeted cities and schools. This  
7 program is designed to help educate and assist these customers to lower energy use by  
8 integrating energy efficiency into their short- and long-term planning, budgeting and  
9 operational practices. Incentives are paid to participants for certain qualifying  
10 measures installed in new or retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and  
11 energy savings.

12 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE SMART SOURCE<sup>SM</sup> SOLAR PV MTP.

13 A. The SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP offers a financial incentive for residential and  
14 commercial installations of solar electric (photovoltaic) systems interconnected on the  
15 customer's side of the electric service meter. The goal of this program is to transform  
16 the market by increasing the number of qualified companies offering installation  
17 services and by decreasing the average installed cost of systems, creating economies  
18 of scale.

19 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE TARGETED LOW-INCOME ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
20 PROGRAM.

21 A. The North Division's Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program is designed  
22 to cost-effectively reduce the energy consumption and energy costs of the North  
23 Division's low-income customers. The program provides eligible residential



1 customers with appropriate weatherization measures and basic on-site energy  
2 education.

3 B. PY 2016 Achievements

4 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE NORTH DIVISION'S REQUIRED DEMAND  
5 REDUCTION GOAL AND THE RESULTS THAT WERE ACHIEVED IN PY  
6 2016.

7 A. The North Division's required demand reduction goal to be achieved in PY 2016 was  
8 4.26 MW. The North Division's actual 2016 demand reduction achieved was 6.38  
9 MW of peak demand savings.

10 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE NORTH DIVISION'S REQUIRED ENERGY  
11 REDUCTION GOAL AND THE RESULTS THAT WERE ACHIEVED IN PY  
12 2016.

13 A. The North Division's required energy reduction goal to be achieved in PY 2016 was  
14 7,464 MWh. The North Division's actual energy reduction achieved was 10,817  
15 MWh.

16 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE AMOUNT OF DEMAND REDUCTION THAT THE  
17 NORTH DIVISION ACHIEVED FROM ITS HARD-TO-REACH PROGRAMS.

18 A. The North Division achieved demand reductions of 230 kW (0.230 MW) from its  
19 Hard-to-Reach SOP and 95 kW (0.095 MW) from its Targeted Low-Income Energy  
20 Efficiency Program. The total demand reduction from both hard-to-reach programs  
21 was 325 kW (0.33 MW).

1 Q. DID THE NORTH DIVISION ACHIEVE MORE THAN 5% OF ITS 2016  
2 STATUTORY DEMAND REDUCTION GOAL FROM ITS HARD-TO-REACH  
3 PROGRAMS?

4 A. Yes, the North Division achieved 8% of its PY 2016 statutory demand reduction goal  
5 from its hard-to-reach programs.

6 Q. DOES THE NORTH DIVISION REQUEST A PERFORMANCE BONUS FOR PY  
7 2016?

8 A. Yes, it does. Mr. Cavazos discusses in more detail the \$556,190 performance bonus  
9 requested by the North Division for its PY 2016 results.

10 Q. SHOULD THE NORTH DIVISION BE GRANTED ITS REQUESTED  
11 PERFORMANCE BONUS?

12 A. Yes, the North Division should be granted its performance bonus set forth in  
13 Schedule D.

14 C. PY 2018 Programs

15 Q. WHAT PROGRAMS WILL THE NORTH DIVISION OFFER IN PY 2018 TO  
16 ACHIEVE ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY OBJECTIVES?

17 A. The North Division will offer the following programs in PY 2018:

- 18 • Commercial Solutions MTP
- 19 • Commercial SOP
- 20 • Hard-to-Reach SOP
- 21 • Load Management SOP
- 22 • Open MTP
- 23 • Residential SOP
- 24 • SCORE/CitySmart MTP

- 1 • SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP
- 2 • Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program
- 3 • Whisker Labs Residential Thermostat Demand Response Pilot Program
- 4 (previously known as Earth Networks Residential Demand Response Pilot
- 5 Program)

6 Q. WHAT IS THE PY 2018 PROJECTED COST FOR EACH PROGRAM?

7 A. Please refer to Schedule A, which details the PY 2018 projected cost for each of the  
8 North Division's programs.

9 Q. WHAT ARE THE PROJECTED SAVINGS FROM EACH PROGRAM?

10 A. Please refer to Schedule O, which contains the PY 2018 projected savings to be  
11 achieved by each program.

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13 VI. CONCLUSION

14 Q. DO THE NORTH DIVISION'S ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS INCURRED IN  
15 PY 2016 COMPLY WITH THE COMMISSION RULE?

16 A. Yes. The costs incurred in connection with the PY 2016 energy efficiency programs  
17 were reasonable and necessary to provide energy efficiency to residential and  
18 commercial customers and were properly incurred consistent with 16 TAC §  
19 25.181(f).

20 Q. DO THE NORTH DIVISION'S CALCULATIONS OF ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
21 GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND PROJECTED COSTS TO BE INCURRED IN PY  
22 2018 AND INCLUDED IN THE ADJUSTED 2018 EECRF COMPLY WITH THE  
23 COMMISSION RULE?

1 A. Yes. The North Division's statutory minimum goals to be achieved in PY 2018 are  
2 4.26 MW of demand reduction and 7,464 MWh of energy reduction, and are in  
3 compliance with the Commission rule. As discussed above and in Mr. Cavazos'  
4 testimony, in order to satisfy PURA §39.905 and the Commission rule that utilities  
5 achieve as much energy efficiency savings as reasonably possible within the  
6 limitations in the statute and the rule, the North Division has established energy  
7 efficiency objectives for PY 2018 above the minimum goals in the statute and rule.  
8 The \$3,339,430 that the North Division projects it will incur in PY 2018 is a  
9 reasonable estimate of the costs (including EM&V) necessary to provide energy  
10 efficiency programs to meet the North Division's energy efficiency objectives for PY  
11 2018 in furtherance of PURA §39.905 and 16 TAC § 25.181.

12 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

13 A. Yes, it does.

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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

APPLICATION OF  
AEP TEXAS INC.  
TO ADJUST  
ENERGY EFFICIENCY COST RECOVERY FACTORS AND RELATED RELIEF

DIRECT TESTIMONY OF

BRIAN J. FRANTZ

FOR

AEP TEXAS INC.

JUNE 1, 2017

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EXHIBITS

<u>EXHIBIT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
EXHIBIT BJF-1	Central Division Affiliate Costs – 2016
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- Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, BUSINESS ADDRESS AND POSITION.
- A. My name is Brian J. Frantz. My business address is 1 Riverside Plaza, Columbus, Ohio 43215. I am currently Manager, Regulated Accounting, of American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEPSC), a wholly-owned subsidiary of American Electric Power, Inc. (AEP).
- Q. WHAT ARE YOUR PRINCIPAL AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY WITH AEPSC?
- A. I am responsible for maintaining the accounting books and records, and regulatory reporting for AEPSC. I am also responsible for AEPSC's monthly service billings to its affiliates. My responsibilities for AEPSC also include compliance with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (FERC) Uniform System of Accounts accounting and reporting requirements.
- Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND.
- A. I attended Ohio University and received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree, with an emphasis in Accounting in 1999. I have been employed by AEPSC since March 2005, when I was hired as a Staff Accountant in the Wholesale Commodity Accounting group. In May 2010, I was promoted to Supervisor of the Fuel and Contract Accounting group. In August 2013, I was promoted to Administrator of Regulated Accounting. In December 2013, I was promoted to Manager Regulated Accounting where I was responsible for the books and records for four operating companies (Indiana Michigan Power Company, Kentucky Power

1 Company, Kingsport Power Company and AEP Generating Company). I moved to  
2 my present position in November 2014. Prior to my employment with AEP, I spent  
3 approximately 1 year in financial reporting role and 5 years in various roles in public  
4 accounting.

5 Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY TESTIFIED BEFORE ANY REGULATORY  
6 COMMISSIONS?

7 A. Yes, I have testified before the Corporation Commission of the State of Oklahoma  
8 (OCC) in Cause No. PUD 201500208. In addition, I submitted written testimony  
9 with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC or Commission) in Docket Nos.  
10 44717, 44718, 45928, 45929, and 46449.

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12 II. PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY

13 Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY?

14 A. My testimony addresses several areas relating to the affiliate services provided in  
15 support of AEP Texas' energy efficiency programs, including:

- 16 • An explanation of how affiliate services related to energy efficiency  
17 activities are assigned to AEP Texas;
- 18 • A discussion of the workings of the affiliate billing systems for the  
19 services provided to AEP Texas and the other AEP utility operating  
20 companies;
- 21 • A demonstration that the work order billing system ensures that AEP  
22 Texas charges are no higher than those of other AEP affiliates for the  
23 same services or types of services;
- 24 • The Texas standards governing recovery of affiliate costs; and
- 25 • A review of the affiliate costs included in this filing.

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1 As explained in the testimony of Robert Cavazos, AEP Texas Central Company  
2 (TCC) and AEP Texas North Company (TNC) have now merged into the single  
3 entity, AEP Texas Inc. (AEP Texas or Company) However, the Commission has  
4 required AEP Texas to maintain separate TCC and TNC divisions, now the AEP  
5 Texas Central Division and AEP Texas North Division.

6 Q. DO YOU SPONSOR ANY SCHEDULES IN THE FILING?

7 A. Yes, I co-sponsor Schedule K for each division with witness Robert Cavazos.

8 Q. WHAT EXHIBITS DO YOU SPONSOR?

9 A. I sponsor EXHIBITs BJT-1, BJT-2, BJT-3, and BJT-4 as listed in the index to my  
10 testimony.

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12 III. AFFILIATE COST ACCOUNTING AND OVERSIGHT

13 A. Assignment of Affiliate Costs to AEP Texas

14 Q. HOW ARE AFFILIATE SERVICES RELATED TO ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
15 ACTIVITIES ASSIGNED TO AEP TEXAS?

16 A. AEPSC uses a work order system designed for the express purpose of meeting the  
17 FERC requirements to fairly allocate common charges among AEP affiliates and to  
18 do so at cost. By using a work order system, the expenses for specific projects are  
19 identified and the work orders are assigned specific and approved benefiting locations  
20 and allocation factors. Common costs are allocated based on the factor that best  
21 matches the charge with the cost driver related to the service, and that same factor is  
22 applied to all companies in proportion to the benefit they receive from the service.

1           The costs for services benefiting only one company are directly assigned and  
2           are billed 100% to that company. AEPSC and operating company employees directly  
3           assign costs to the maximum extent practicable by coding their time to unique work  
4           orders. Unique work orders have also been established for billing of certain affiliate  
5           support services exclusively performed for the AEP Texas energy efficiency  
6           programs, which allow the associated costs billed to energy efficiency programs to be  
7           tracked and readily identified.

8    Q.    HOW DOES AEPSC BILL FOR THE SERVICES IT PROVIDES TO AEP TEXAS  
9           AND OTHER AFFILIATES?

10   A.    Services are billed by AEPSC at cost, without any profit. Included in the billings for  
11           AEPSC labor are overheads for benefits (i.e. medical, dental, pension), payroll taxes,  
12           nonproductive time (sick time, vacation time, jury duty, etc.), and departmental  
13           charges for certain costs, such as personal computers and the maintenance of  
14           automated accounting systems required to provide a service. To the extent third-party  
15           labor under a contract with AEPSC is involved, the contract labor charges are at the  
16           contract employee's hourly rate paid by AEPSC to the contractor providing the  
17           services, without any profit to AEPSC.

18   Q.    HOW DOES THE WORK ORDER SYSTEM ENSURE THAT AEPSC'S  
19           CHARGES TO AEP TEXAS ARE NO HIGHER THAN THE CHARGES TO  
20           OTHER AFFILIATES FOR THE SAME OR SIMILAR SERVICES, AND THAT  
21           THE CHARGES REASONABLY REFLECT THE ACTUAL COST OF  
22           PROVIDING THE SERVICE TO AEP TEXAS?

1 A. Through the use of the AEPSC work order system, AEP Texas and every other  
2 affiliate included in the benefiting locations receiving a shared service is charged the  
3 same unit price that is its appropriate share of the actual cost of the service.  
4 Accordingly, consistent with the requirements of the Public Utility Regulatory Act,  
5 Tex. Util. Code Ann. § 36.058(c)(2) (PURA), the price charged to AEP Texas for the  
6 service (AEPSC's actual cost) is no higher than the price charged to the other  
7 affiliates receiving the same service (AEPSC's actual cost).

8 Q. ARE AEP TEXAS' AFFILIATE CHARGES REASONABLE AND NECESSARY?

9 A. Yes, the affiliate services provided by AEPSC and the AEP Texas divisions to each  
10 other are reasonable and necessary costs of each division's provision of energy  
11 efficiency programs. These services have been reasonably and necessarily incurred to  
12 support the energy efficiency programs as set forth in EXHIBITs BJF-1, BJF-2,  
13 BJF-3, and BJF-4 and within the testimonies of Mr. Cavazos, Ms. Pamela D.  
14 Osterloh, and Ms. Rhonda Fahrlander.

15 B. Standards Governing Recovery of Affiliate Costs

16 Q. ARE AFFILIATE EXPENSES ADDRESSED IN PURA?

17 A. Yes, affiliate expenses are addressed by PURA § 36.058. PURA § 36.058 allows an  
18 electric utility to include in its revenue requirement payments to affiliates that meet  
19 the requirements of PURA § 36.058(b). PURA § 36.058(b), in turn, directs the  
20 Commission to allow recovery of affiliate payments "only to the extent that the  
21 regulatory authority finds the payment is reasonable and necessary for each item or  
22 class of items..." In addition, PURA § 36.058(c) requires that the Commission find

1 that “the price to the electric utility [for the affiliate service] is not higher than the  
2 prices charged by the supplying affiliate for the same item or class of items” to other  
3 affiliates or to non-affiliated persons. Because the billings of AEPSC and other AEP  
4 utility operating companies to AEP Texas are affiliate charges, the requirements of  
5 PURA § 36.058 apply to those billings. PURA § 36.058(f) provides:

6 (f) If the regulatory authority finds that an affiliate expense for the test  
7 period is unreasonable, the regulatory authority shall:

- 8 (1) determine the reasonable level of the expense; and  
9 (2) include that expense in determining the electric utility’s  
10 service.

11 Q. DOES THE COMMISSION ALSO HAVE RULES PERTINENT TO THE REVIEW  
12 OF AFFILIATE TRANSACTIONS?

13 A. Yes. 16 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) § 25.272 discusses the code of conduct  
14 with which electric utilities and their affiliates must comply. Specifically,  
15 § 25.272(e)(1) states:

16 ...In accordance with PURA and the commission’s rules, a utility and  
17 its affiliates shall fully allocate costs for any shared services, including  
18 corporate support services, offices, employees, property, equipment,  
19 computer systems, information systems, and any other shared assets,  
20 services, or products.

21 Q. HOW ARE CORPORATE SUPPORT SERVICES DEFINED IN THE  
22 SUBSTANTIVE RULES?

23 A. 16 TAC § 25.272(c)(4) defines corporate support services as those “joint corporate  
24 oversight, governance, support systems and personnel,” “shared by a utility, its parent  
25 holding company, or a separate affiliate created to perform corporate support  
26 services....” AEPSC is such an affiliate. This section of the rule further provides  
27 examples of the types of support services that may be shared, including accounting,

1 human resources, procurement, information technology, regulatory services, legal  
2 services, environmental services, research and development, internal audit,  
3 community relations, and corporate services, among others. The services provided to  
4 AEP Texas by AEPSC are of the same type referenced in the Commission's rule.

5 Q. DO THE AFFILIATE COSTS INCLUDED IN AEP TEXAS' FILING COMPLY  
6 WITH APPLICABLE STANDARDS IN TEXAS STATUTES AND RULES?

7 A. Yes, they do. Other witnesses and I will discuss how the costs meet the tests for  
8 being reasonable and necessary, and that these costs are no higher than prices charged  
9 by the affiliate to others.

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11 IV. ENERGY EFFICIENCY AFFILIATE COSTS

12 Q. WERE ANY AFFILIATE SERVICES PROVIDED IN SUPPORT OF AEP TEXAS'  
13 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS IN 2016?

14 A. Yes. AEP Texas received affiliate services in 2016.

15 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE AFFILIATE SERVICES RECEIVED BY AEP TEXAS  
16 IN 2016.

17 A. As shown by department and project on EXHIBIT BJJ-1, the Central Division  
18 incurred costs for services from the following affiliates:

**Table 1**  
**Central Division Affiliate Costs - 2016**

<b>Affiliate</b>	<b>2016 (\$)</b>
American Electric Power Service Corporation	7,758
AEP Texas North Division	<u>267,198</u>
Total Affiliate Services Provided	<u><u>274,956</u></u>

*Source: EXHIBIT BJF-1*

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As shown by department and project on EXHIBIT BJF-3, the North Division

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incurred costs for services from the following affiliates:

**Table 2**  
**North Division Affiliate Costs - 2016**

<b>Affiliate</b>	<b>2016 (\$)</b>
American Electric Power Service Corporation	1,779
AEP Texas Central Division	<u>65,071</u>
Total Affiliate Services Provided	<u><u>66,850</u></u>

*Source: EXHIBIT BJF-3*

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The affiliate services shown above were provided primarily by the Energy

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Efficiency/Demand Response Programs department as detailed on EXHIBIT BJF-1

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and EXHIBIT BJF-3. This department is comprised of employees of AEP Texas and

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is responsible for the overall design and implementation of the programs discussed

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throughout the testimonies of witnesses Cavazos, Osterloh, and Fahrlander.

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Additional services are provided by the legal department in support of compliance

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with Texas legal requirements related to energy efficiency programs.

1 Q. WERE THE SERVICES PROVIDED BY THESE AFFILIATES IN 2016  
2 REASONABLY ALLOCATED?

3 A. Yes, they were. As shown on EXHIBIT BJF-2 and EXHIBIT BJF-4, 99.9% of the  
4 Central Division affiliate costs and 91.7% of the North Division affiliate costs were  
5 allocated between the Central Division and the North Division, which both participate  
6 in energy efficiency programs. These services were performed in a manner to benefit  
7 AEP Texas and were primarily shared among each division using its relative number  
8 of customers as the allocation methodology, which is an appropriate manner in which  
9 to share the cost of such services. In addition, certain administrative activities shared  
10 among the two divisions were allocated based upon their relative asset bases. This  
11 allocation factor is a reasonable methodology in which to share the cost of  
12 administrative services.

13 The remaining 0.1% of the Central Division costs and 8.3% of the North  
14 Division affiliate costs were directly assigned to the other division for those services  
15 that were performed solely for the benefit of the other division.

16 Q. HOW DO THE 2016 AFFILIATE COSTS COMPARE TO AEP TEXAS' TOTAL  
17 ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS DURING THIS PERIOD?

18 A. As shown in Table 3, affiliate services received by the Central Division are 2% of  
19 total energy efficiency costs during the year. The remaining cost, 98%, is incurred  
20 directly by the Central Division and not through an affiliate.

**Table 3**

**Central Division Affiliate Costs as Percentage of Total Costs - 2016**

<b>Category</b>	<b>2016 (\$)</b>
Affiliate Cost	274,956
Total Cost	<u>13,622,054</u>
Percentage of Total Cost	<u>2%</u>

Source: EXHIBIT BJF-1 and Schedule B

1 As shown in Table 4, costs for affiliate services received by the North Division are  
2 3% of total energy efficiency costs during the year. The remaining cost, 97%, is  
3 incurred directly by the North Division and not through an affiliate.

**Table 4**

**North Division Affiliate Costs as Percentage of Total Costs - 2016**

<b>Category</b>	<b>2016 (\$)</b>
Affiliate Cost	66,850
Total Cost	<u>2,622,844</u>
Percentage of Total Cost	<u>3%</u>

Source: EXHIBIT BJF-3 and Schedule B

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**V. CONCLUSION**

6 Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR TESTIMONY.

7 A. My testimony describes and supports AEP Texas' compliance with the rules  
8 governing affiliate costs. My testimony also addresses the overall reasonableness and  
9 necessity of affiliate costs, as well as the work order system utilized to ensure that  
10 AEP Texas pays no more than any other AEP company for the comparable services it  
11 receives from affiliates.

12 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

13 A. Yes, it does.



AEP Texas Central Division Affiliate Costs - 2016

Years	2016
To BU grouping	AEP Texas Central Division

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Cost Type	From Department	To Project	From BU Grouping	Total	
Administrative Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100551 EE/DR EECRF	AEP Texas North Division	3,250	
		EON100551 EE/DR EECRF Total		3,250	
		TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEP Texas North Division	226,300	
		TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General Total		226,300	
	10329 TX EE/DR Programs Total				229,550
	10764 Legal GC/Administration	TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	111	
		TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General Total		111	
	10764 Legal GC/Administration Total				111
	13168 Legal Reg Services West	TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	819	
		TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General Total		819	
13168 Legal Reg Services West Total				819	
<b>Administrative Costs Total</b>				<b>230,480</b>	
Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100508 Dem-Res Standard Offer	AEP Texas North Division	318	
		EON100508 Dem-Res Standard Offer Total		318	
		EON100514 Dsm-Hard To Reach Std Offer	AEP Texas North Division	11,741	
		EON100514 Dsm-Hard To Reach Std Offer Total		11,741	
		EON100534 DSM Solar PV Pilot MTP	AEP Texas North Division	1,741	
		EON100534 DSM Solar PV Pilot MTP Total		1,741	
		EON100547 DSM - EM&V	AEP Texas North Division	601	
	EON100547 DSM - EM&V Total		601		
	10329 TX EE/DR Programs Total				14,400
<b>Program Direct Costs Total</b>				<b>14,400</b>	
R&D Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEP Texas North Division	23,248	
		EON100535 EE/DR R&D Total		979	
	10329 TX EE/DR Programs Total				24,227
	11060 Customer and Distr Services	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	796	
		EON100535 EE/DR R&D Total		796	
	11060 Customer and Distr Services Total				796
	12883 EE & Consumer Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	5,053	
EON100535 EE/DR R&D Total		5,053			
12883 EE & Consumer Programs Total				5,053	
<b>R&amp;D Costs Total</b>				<b>30,076</b>	
<b>Grand Total</b>				<b>274,956</b>	

**AEP Texas Central Division Affiliate Costs - 2016 by Benefiting Location and Allocation Factor**

	<b>Benefiting Location</b>	<b>Allocation Factor</b>	<b>2016 (\$)</b>	<b>%</b>
1397	Distribution - AEPTC/AEPTN	08 - Number of Customers	273,971	99.6%
		58 - Total Assets	930	0.3%
1397	Distribution - AEPTC/AEPTN Total		274,901	99.9%
211 - 100%	AEP Texas Central	39 - Direct	54	0.1%
211 - 100%	AEP Texas Central Total		54	0.1%
	<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>274,956</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

AEP Texas North Division Affiliate Costs - 2016

Years	2016
To BU grouping	AEP Texas North Division

Sum of Act \$				
Cost Type	From Department	To Project	From BU Grouping	Total
Administrative Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100550 EE/DR Industrial Id Notice	AEP Texas Central Division	109
		<b>EON100660 EE/DR Industrial Id Notice Total</b>		<b>109</b>
		TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEP Texas Central Division	48,773
		<b>TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin &amp; General Total</b>		<b>48,773</b>
	<b>10329 TX EE/DR Programs Total</b>			<b>48,882</b>
	10764 Legal GC/Administration	TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	27
		<b>TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin &amp; General Total</b>		<b>27</b>
	<b>10764 Legal GC/Administration Total</b>			<b>27</b>
	13185 Legal Reg Services West	TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	200
		<b>TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin &amp; General Total</b>		<b>200</b>
<b>13185 Legal Reg Services West Total</b>			<b>200</b>	
<b>Administrative Costs Total</b>				<b>49,109</b>
Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100547 DSM - EM&V	AEP Texas Central Division	11,987
		<b>EON100547 DSM - EM&amp;V Total</b>		<b>11,987</b>
		EON100555 EE/OR EfficiencyConnection MTP	AEP Texas Central Division	117
		<b>EON100666 EE/OR EfficiencyConnection MTP Total</b>		<b>117</b>
		EON100557 EE/OR Res DR Pilot - Earth Net	AEP Texas Central Division	88
		<b>EON100667 EE/OR Res DR Pilot - Earth Net Total</b>		<b>88</b>
	<b>10329 TX EE/DR Programs Total</b>			<b>12,192</b>
<b>Program Direct Costs Total</b>				<b>12,192</b>
R&D Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100536 EE/OR R&D	AEPSC	223
			AEP Texas Central Division	3,996
		<b>EON100636 EE/OR R&amp;D Total</b>		<b>4,219</b>
	<b>10329 TX EE/DR Programs Total</b>			<b>4,219</b>
	11060 Customer and Distr Services	EON100535 EE/OR R&D	AEPSC	181
		<b>EON100636 EE/OR R&amp;D Total</b>		<b>181</b>
	<b>11060 Customer and Distr Services Total</b>			<b>181</b>
	12883 EE & Consumer Programs	EON100536 EE/OR R&D	AEPSC	1,148
<b>EON100636 EE/OR R&amp;D Total</b>			<b>1,148</b>	
<b>12883 EE &amp; Consumer Programs Total</b>			<b>1,148</b>	
<b>R&amp;D Costs Total</b>				<b>5,548</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>				<b>66,850</b>

**AEP Texas North Division Affiliate Costs - 2016 by Benefiting Location and Allocation Factor**

	<b>Benefiting Location</b>	<b>Allocation Factor</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>%</b>
1397	Distribution - AEPTC/AEPTN	08 - Number of Customers	61,073	91.4%
		58 - Total Assets	227	0.3%
1397	Distribution - AEPTC/AEPTN Total		61,300	91.7%
119	100% AEP Texas North	39 - Direct	5,550	8.3%
119	100% AEP Texas North Total		5,550	8.3%
	<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>66,850</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

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PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

APPLICATION OF  
AEP TEXAS INC.  
TO ADJUST  
ENERGY EFFICIENCY COST RECOVERY FACTORS AND RELATED RELIEF

DIRECT TESTIMONY OF  
JENNIFER L. JACKSON  
FOR  
AEP TEXAS INC.

JUNE 1, 2017

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1 I. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE

2 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, POSITION, AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.

3 A. My name is Jennifer L. Jackson. I am a Regulatory Consultant in Regulated Pricing  
4 and Analysis, part of the American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEPSC)  
5 Regulatory Services Department, 212 East Sixth Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma  
6 74119-1295.

7 Q. PLEASE BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE AEPSC REGULATORY SERVICES  
8 DEPARTMENT, YOUR CURRENT JOB RESPONSIBILITIES, AND  
9 EDUCATION.

10 A. AEPSC Regulatory Services is part of the American Electric Power Company, Inc.  
11 (AEP) Utilities Business Group. Among its activities, Regulatory Services provides  
12 coordination and tariff-related services to the eleven AEP operating companies,  
13 including AEP Texas Inc. As a Regulatory Consultant for AEPSC, my job duties  
14 include providing testimony, rate review analysis and support, pricing design,  
15 implementation of pricing programs, and regulatory compliance for the AEP  
16 operating companies. I have been involved in regulatory rate review and pricing  
17 design proceedings since 1991 in all four of the AEP west state jurisdictions:  
18 Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas. I have a Bachelor of Business  
19 Administration Degree with an emphasis in Marketing from Texas Tech University.

20 Q. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY SPONSORED TESTIMONY BEFORE THIS  
21 COMMISSION?

22 A. Yes, I have previously sponsored testimony before the Public Utility Commission of  
23 Texas (PUC or Commission) in the following dockets: 20545, 28520, 28840, 31251,

1 31461, 32758, 33309, 33310, 35625, 35627, 36422, 36928, 36949, 36961, 36960,  
2 36959, 38208, 38209, 38210, 39359, 39360, 39361, 40358, 40359, 40443, 41538,  
3 41539, 41879, 41970, 42370, 42508, 42509, 44717, 44718, 45787, 45788, 45928, and  
4 45929. I have also sponsored testimony before the Arkansas Public Service  
5 Commission and the Oklahoma Corporation Commission.

6 Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY?

7 A. As discussed in the testimony of AEP Texas witness Robert Cavazos, the  
8 Commission approved the merger of AEP Texas Central Company (TCC) and AEP  
9 Texas North Company (TNC) into what is now AEP Texas in Docket No. 46050.  
10 Consistent with the Order in that case, AEP Texas is proposing to maintain separate  
11 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factors (EECRF) for the two divisions of AEP  
12 Texas: AEP Texas – Central Division (formerly TCC) and AEP Texas – North  
13 Division (formerly TNC).

14 The purpose of my testimony is to support the calculation of the annual  
15 redetermination of AEP Texas – Central Division Rider EECRF - Energy Efficiency  
16 Cost Recovery Factors and AEP Texas – North Division Rider EECRF - Energy  
17 Efficiency Cost Recovery Factors and to support the revised tariffs (Rider EECRF)  
18 accompanying this filing, proposed to be effective March 1, 2018. The adjusted  
19 factors are proposed based on 16 TAC § 25.181(f), which among other things  
20 provides for a cost recovery factor to allow a utility to recover reasonable  
21 expenditures on energy efficiency as well as a performance bonus for exceeding its  
22 goals, recover municipal EECRF proceeding expenses, and recover Evaluation,  
23 Measurement and Verification (EM&V) costs.



1 Q. WHAT SCHEDULES THAT ACCOMPANY THE AEP TEXAS FILING DO YOU  
2 SPONSOR?

3 A. As part of my testimony, I will provide two sets of schedules, one complete set for the  
4 Central Division and one complete set for the North Division. I sponsor the  
5 following schedules for the Central Division and the North Division:

<b>Schedule</b>	<b>Description</b>
Schedule E	Calculation of the 2018 Revised EECRF Factors
Schedule F	Updated Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Rider
Schedule G	Calculation of Cost Caps
Schedule H	Development of Forecasted Billing Units
Schedule I	Energy Efficiency Costs Recovered Through Base Rates
Schedule Q	System and Line Losses

6 I also sponsor the workpapers supporting those schedules.

7 Q. WHAT SCHEDULES ARE YOU CO-SPONSORING?

8 A. I am co-sponsoring Schedule A with AEP Texas witnesses Robert Cavazos, Pamela  
9 D. Osterloh and Rhonda R. Fahrlander, Schedule B with AEP Texas witnesses  
10 Osterloh and Fahrlander, and Schedule C with AEP Texas witness Cavazos.

11 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE SCHEDULES THAT YOU ARE SPONSORING.

12 A. Schedule E provides the calculation of the proposed 2018 EECRF class factors.  
13 Schedule F contains the adjusted Rider EECRF, which sets forth the adjusted 2018  
14 EECRF factors by EECRF rate class. Schedule G provides the 2018 cost cap  
15 calculation for the requested program budget year and the 2016 actual cap calculated  
16 on 2016 actual costs, without EM&V and class kilowatt-hour (kWh). Schedule H  
17 details the development of the forecasted EECRF class kWh for program year 2018,  
18 including historical kWh for the most recent calendar year, January through

1 December 2016. Schedule I shows the determination of the energy efficiency costs  
2 included in base rates and the adjustment to the base rate revenues using 2016 actual  
3 billing units. Schedule Q indicates that system and line losses are not applicable in  
4 the AEP Texas EECRF filing.

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6 II. ADJUSTED ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
7 COST RECOVERY REVENUE REQUIREMENT

8 Q. WHY IS AEP TEXAS REQUESTING APPROVAL OF AN ADJUSTED EECRF?

9 A. AEP Texas is requesting approval of an adjusted EECRF based on 16 Tex. Admin.  
10 Code (TAC) § 25.181(f). AEP Texas filed for and received approval of its initial  
11 Schedule EECRFs in Docket Nos. 35627 and 36959 for the Central and North  
12 Divisions, respectively. The Central Division also filed for an adjustment to its  
13 EECRF in Docket Nos. 36960, 38208, 39360, 40359, 41538, 42508, 44717, and  
14 45929. The North Division also filed for an adjustment to its EECRF in Docket Nos.  
15 38209, 39361, 40358, 41539, 42509, 44718, and 45928. In the current adjustment  
16 request, AEP Texas is requesting: 1) recovery of the 2018 projected energy efficiency  
17 program costs in excess of the amount expressly included in AEP Texas' prior base  
18 rate orders, adjusted to account for changes in billing determinants from the test year  
19 billing determinants used to set rates in the last base rate proceeding; 2) an adjustment  
20 to the EECRF factors for the over-recovery of actual energy efficiency program costs  
21 in 2016; 3) recovery of AEP Texas' 2016 performance bonus for demand and energy  
22 reduction that exceeded the minimum goal to be achieved in 2016; 4) recovery of  
23 municipal EECRF proceeding expenses from Docket Nos. 45928 and 45929, and 5)

1 recovery of projected EM&V costs for the evaluation of program years 2016 and  
2 2017 to be included in program year 2018. AEP Texas is requesting Commission  
3 approval of an adjusted Rider EECRF for the Central Division and the North Division  
4 with revised factors to be effective March 1, 2018.

5 Q. WHAT AMOUNT EXPRESSLY SPECIFIED AS ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS  
6 IS INCLUDED IN AEP TEXAS' BASE RATES?

7 A. AEP Texas currently has \$7,629,379 expressly specified as energy efficiency costs in  
8 base rates. For the Central Division, the Commission's final order in Docket No.  
9 33309 expressly included \$6,334,949 of energy efficiency program funding in base  
10 rates. For the North Division, the Commission's final order in Docket No. 33310  
11 expressly included \$1,294,430 of energy efficiency program funding in base rates.

12 Q. HOW WERE THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS THAT ARE EXPRESSLY  
13 INCLUDED IN AEP TEXAS' BASE RATES ALLOCATED TO THE CLASSES?

14 A. The total energy efficiency program costs approved to be recovered through base  
15 rates were functionalized to both the distribution function and the customer service  
16 function. The majority (99%) of the energy efficiency program costs recovered in  
17 AEP Texas' base rates is included in the base distribution rates. Only a small portion  
18 of the total costs is recovered through the customer service function. The energy  
19 efficiency costs included in AEP Texas' current distribution base rates were allocated  
20 to the classes based on each class's average 4 coincident peak (4CP) demand, the  
21 allocator used and approved in Docket Nos. 33309 and 33310 to allocate transmission  
22 expenses to the classes. The energy efficiency costs included in the customer service  
23 function were allocated to the classes based upon total customers. Schedule I shows

1 the allocation factors by function and the amounts included in base rates for each  
2 function by class.

3 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS MADE AN ADJUSTMENT TO THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY  
4 REVENUES INCLUDED IN BASE RATES?

5 A. Yes. Pursuant to 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(2):

6 where a utility collects energy efficiency costs in its base rates, actual  
7 energy efficiency revenues collected from base rates consist of the  
8 amount of energy efficiency costs expressly included in base rates,  
9 adjusted for changes in billing determinants from the test year billing  
10 determinants used to set rates in the last base rate proceeding.

11 The Central Division has increased actual energy efficiency base revenues by  
12 \$934,419 to account for changes in test year billing determinants as determined in  
13 Docket No. 33309. Total energy efficiency base revenues for the Central Division  
14 are adjusted to be \$7,269,368 as shown in Table 1 below.

EECRF Rate Class	Total Energy Efficiency Costs Expressly Included In Base Rates	Adjustment to Base Revenue	Total Adj. EE Base Revenue per 16 TAC § 25.181
Residential	\$3,024,435	\$558,782	\$3,583,217
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$114,088	\$16,589	\$130,676
Secondary > 10 kW	\$1,957,962	\$280,940	\$2,238,903
Primary	\$675,491	\$43,778	\$719,268
Transmission	\$562,892	\$34,412	\$597,304
Lighting	\$81	(\$81)	\$0
Total	\$6,334,949	\$934,419	\$7,269,368

15 The North Division has increased actual energy efficiency base revenues by  
16 \$144,798 to account for changes in test year billing determinants as determined in  
17 Docket No. 33310. Total energy efficiency base revenues for the North Division are  
18 adjusted to be \$1,439,228 as shown in Table 2 below.

Table 2			
EECRF Rate Class	Total Energy Efficiency Costs Expressly Included In Base Rates	Adjustment to Base Revenue	Total Adj. EE Base Revenue per 16 TAC § 25.181
Residential	\$602,913	\$10,911	\$613,824
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$37,620	(\$2,620)	\$35,000
Secondary > 10 kW	\$476,869	\$20,573	\$497,442
Primary	\$169,274	\$112,713	\$281,987
Transmission	\$7,754	\$3,221	\$10,974
Lighting	\$1	(\$1)	\$0
Total	\$1,294,430	\$144,798	\$1,439,228

1 The revenue adjustment is used in the base rate revenue adjustment determination for  
2 both the 2016 actual and 2018 forecasted program years. The base rate energy  
3 efficiency adjustment is represented in the determination of the 2016 over-/under-  
4 recovery (Schedule C 2016 and WP Schedule C 2016) and in the determination of  
5 2018 EECRF (Schedule E and WP Schedule E). Schedule I details the calculation of  
6 the base revenue adjustment, including the base rate billing determinants and the  
7 2016 billing determinants by class.

8 Q. WHAT IS AEP TEXAS REQUESTING THROUGH THE ADJUSTED EECRF?

9 A. AEP Texas, through this application, is requesting to adjust the EECRF cost recovery  
10 factors to reflect:

- 11       ▪ recovery of \$8,650,862; (\$6,813,091 for the Central Division and  
12       \$1,837,772 for the North Division) in energy efficiency program costs  
13       projected to be incurred in 2018 that exceed costs for energy efficiency  
14       included in its prior base rate order, including the revenue adjustment;
- 15       ▪ return of \$1,502,426; (\$1,173,691 for the Central Division and  
16       \$328,734 for the North Division) to account for the over-recovery of  
17       EECRF revenues in excess of actual energy efficiency program  
18       expenditures incurred for its 2016 programs;
- 19       ▪ recovery of \$4,048,441 (\$3,492,251 for the Central Division and  
20       \$556,190 for the North Division) representing the AEP Texas earned  
21       performance bonus; and

- 1           ▪ recovery of municipal EECRF proceeding expenses from Docket Nos.  
2           45928 and 45929 in the amount of \$5,713 (\$2,822 for the Central  
3           Division and \$2,891 for the North Division); and
- 4           ▪ recovery of EM&V costs in the amount of \$416,407 (\$353,977 for the  
5           Central Division and \$62,430 for the North Division).

6           In sum, AEP Texas requests Commission approval of the adjusted EECRF cost  
7           recovery factors as provided for in 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(1) to recover \$11,618,998 in  
8           energy efficiency costs in 2018 (\$9,488,449 and \$2,130,548 for Central Division and  
9           North Division, respectively).

10   Q.   HOW ARE THE 2018 PROGRAM COSTS SOUGHT TO BE RECOVERED  
11       THROUGH THE EECRF ASSIGNED TO EACH CLASS?

12   A.   AEP Texas has assigned the 2018 program costs, including the administrative portion  
13       of each program cost, to each EECRF rate class based on each class's eligibility to  
14       participate in the proposed 2018 programs. Where more than one EECRF rate class  
15       is eligible to participate in a specific program, AEP Texas has employed an adjusted  
16       and weighted demand allocator to assign program costs across the eligible classes.  
17       AEP Texas has employed the weighted and adjusted demand allocator to assign  
18       research and development (R&D) costs across the eligible classes.

19               The transmission service class of customers is not allocated energy efficiency  
20       program costs through the EECRF because those customers taking service at 69  
21       kilovolts (kV) and above are not eligible for participation in the 2018 energy  
22       efficiency programs.

1 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE 2018 ADJUSTED DEMAND ALLOCATION  
2 FACTORS USED TO ALLOCATE COSTS THAT ARE NOT DIRECTLY  
3 ASSIGNED TO RATE CLASSES.

4 A. The class demand allocators from AEP Texas last rate cases in Docket Nos. 33309  
5 and 33310 have been weighted to remove the lighting class and transmission  
6 customers at or above 69 kV and adjusted using 2018 program year projected kWh.  
7 The 2018 program year kWh projection has accounted for industrial customers  
8 identifying themselves under 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(30) and (w). Under 16 TAC  
9 § 25.181(c)(30) and (w), distribution voltage industrial customers that qualify for a  
10 tax exemption under Tex. Tax Code Ann. § 151.317 and submit an identification  
11 notice by February 1 characterizing the account as such, are not eligible for  
12 participation in energy efficiency programs through the EECRF beginning with the  
13 next calendar year. AEP Texas has therefore removed kWh associated with those  
14 customers from the 2018 program year kWh projection. The removal of the  
15 identification notice customers affects the adjusted demand allocators and the  
16 calculation of the proposed class EECRF factors for 2018. The kWh associated with  
17 the identification notice customers and the resulting 2018 program year kWh  
18 projection are shown in Schedule H and the adjusted demand allocators are shown in  
19 the rate design workpapers supporting Schedule E.

20 Q. HOW IS THE 2016 OVER-RECOVERY DETERMINED?

21 A. The over-recovery is determined for each division by first assessing the total energy  
22 efficiency costs incurred in program year 2016 for each division. Central Division  
23 incurred total energy efficiency costs of \$13,622,054, including municipal rate case

1 expenses and EM&V in program year 2016. After rate case expenses paid in  
2 program year 2016 are removed, the total incurred cost equals \$13,619,232. North  
3 Division incurred total energy efficiency costs of \$2,622,844, including municipal  
4 rate case expenses and EM&V in program year 2016. After rate case expenses paid  
5 in program year 2016 are removed, the total incurred cost equals \$2,621,832.

6 Next, the total energy efficiency program revenue is recognized. AEP Texas  
7 recovered energy efficiency program costs through its base rates, including a base  
8 rate adjustment, and through the EECRF rider.

9 Central Division recovered \$7,269,368 through base rates (including the base  
10 rate adjustment) and \$7,523,555 in program costs through the EECRF rider for a total  
11 program cost recovery of \$14,792,924. The difference between total costs incurred,  
12 less municipal rate case expenses, and total program revenue determines the 2016  
13 over-recovery amount of \$1,173,691 for Central Division.

14 North Division recovered \$1,439,228 through base rates and \$1,511,338 in  
15 program costs through the EECRF rider for a total program cost recovery of  
16 \$2,950,566. The difference between total costs incurred, less municipal rate case  
17 expenses, and total program revenue determines the 2016 over-recovery amount of  
18 \$328,734 for North Division.

19 Q. HOW IS AEP TEXAS ASSIGNING THE 2016 OVER-RECOVERY TO THE  
20 CLASSES?

21 A. The over-recovery assignment to each class is based on a comparison of the total  
22 program year 2016 energy efficiency revenues, including the adjusted base rate and  
23 EECRF Rider revenues by EECRF rate class, to actual 2016 program costs assigned



1 to each EECRF rate class. The municipal rate case expenses that were included in the  
2 total program expenses in 2016 have been removed from the total 2016 program  
3 expenses and are therefore not included in the over-recovery determination for  
4 program year 2016. AEP Texas' actual 2016 energy efficiency program costs have  
5 been directly assigned to the individual EECRF rate classes that actually participated  
6 in each program using a direct, program-by-program assignment. The 2016  
7 administrative costs follow the assignment of the incentive costs and the R&D costs  
8 have been either directly assigned to the rate classes or allocated to the classes based  
9 on the 2016 class program cost assignment. The specifics of the class assignment of  
10 the over-recovery are shown on filed Schedule C and the workpapers supporting  
11 Schedule C.

12 Q. HOW IS AEP TEXAS ASSIGNING THE PROGRAM YEAR 2016 EARNED  
13 PERFORMANCE BONUS TO THE CLASSES?

14 A. AEP Texas has assigned the program year 2016 earned performance bonus to all  
15 EECRF rate classes eligible for participation in the 2016 energy efficiency program  
16 year using an allocator based on the direct assignment of the 2016 program incentives  
17 to the EECRF rate classes. AEP Texas' allocation is in accordance with 16 TAC  
18 § 25.181(h)(6), which states that the bonus shall be allocated in proportion to the  
19 program costs associated with meeting the demand and energy goals and allocated to  
20 the eligible customers on a rate class basis.

21 Q. ARE THERE MUNICIPAL RATE CASE EXPENSES INCLUDED IN THE 2018  
22 TOTAL REVENUE REQUIREMENT?

1 A. Yes. The Central Division was billed by the municipal entities who took part in the  
2 EECRF proceeding in Docket No. 45929 in 2016 and paid those bills even though the  
3 expenses have not been included for recovery in any program year. Similarly, the  
4 North Division was billed by the municipal entities who took part in the EECRF  
5 proceeding in Docket No. 45928 in January 2017 and paid those bills even though the  
6 expenses have not been included for recovery in any program year. As stated above,  
7 the municipal EECRF case expenses paid in 2016 but not recovered have been  
8 removed from the over-recovery of the 2016 program expenses and included for  
9 recovery in program year 2018.

10 Q. HOW IS AEP TEXAS ASSIGNING THE MUNICIPAL EECRF PROCEEDING  
11 EXPENSES TO THE CLASSES?

12 A. AEP Texas has assigned the municipal EECRF proceeding expenses to the classes  
13 using an allocator developed using the assignment of the 2018 program cost to the  
14 classes.

15 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS INCLUDED EM&V COSTS IN THE 2018 REVENUE  
16 REQUIREMENT?

17 A. Yes. AEP Texas has included statewide EM&V contractor costs in the 2018 revenue  
18 requirement for evaluating program years 2016 and 2017 to be recovered through the  
19 2018 EECRF.

1 III. DEVELOPMENT OF CLASS ENERGY  
2 EFFICIENCY COST RECOVERY FACTORS

3 Q. WHAT ARE THE COMPONENTS NEEDED TO DEVELOP AEP TEXAS'  
4 ADJUSTED ENERGY EFFICIENCY COST RECOVERY FACTORS?

5 A. The components needed to develop the EECRF cost recovery factors include:

- 6 1) the amount of energy efficiency revenue requirement included in base  
7 rates, including the base rate adjustment;
- 8 2) the projected 2018 energy efficiency program cost provided in  
9 Schedule A;
- 10 3) the over- or under-recovery associated with the 2016 energy efficiency  
11 programs;
- 12 4) the performance bonus achieved for 2016 performance;
- 13 5) the 2016 actual program direct assignment to the EECRF rate classes  
14 based on actual 2016 participation and assignment of the 2018 energy  
15 efficiency program costs to the EECRF rate classes;
- 16 6) the projected EM&V costs for the evaluation of program years 2016  
17 and 2017
- 18 7) the adjusted class demand allocation factors;
- 19 8) the identification notice customers and related kWh;
- 20 9) the forecasted billing units by EECRF rate class for program year  
21 2018; and,
- 22 10) the municipal rate case expenses from the immediately preceding  
23 EECRF docket.

24 Q. HOW ARE THE EECRF FACTORS DETERMINED ONCE ALL THE  
25 COMPONENTS ARE ASSEMBLED?

26 A. Once the total EECRF class revenue requirement based on the components listed  
27 above has been assigned to EECRF rate classes by direct assignment or by using the  
28 appropriate allocators, the EECRF factors are calculated by dividing the revenue  
29 requirement for each EECRF rate class by the program year 2018 projected billing

1 units for each EECRF rate class. The 2018 EECRF factors are shown in Schedule E  
2 and the revised Rider EECRF is contained in Schedule F.

3 Q. WHAT BILLING UNIT IS AEP TEXAS PROPOSING TO USE TO RECOVER  
4 THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS?

5 A. As was approved in Docket Nos. 35627, 36960, 38208, 39360, 40359, 41538, 42508,  
6 44717, and 45929 for the Central Division and Docket Nos. 36959, 38209, 39361,  
7 40358, 41539, 42509, 44718 and 45928 for the North Division, AEP Texas is  
8 proposing to continue to use an energy charge (kWh) for recovery of energy  
9 efficiency costs for all classes of customers included in the EECRF, as authorized by  
10 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(6). AEP Texas' kWh proposal is consistent with past approved  
11 EECRF billing methodologies and is in compliance with 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(6).  
12 AEP Texas has supplied forecasted 2018 kWh data for all classes in Schedule H. For  
13 Transmission Service customers and Primary and Secondary ID Notice customers  
14 receiving a credit rate through the EECRF rider, the billing unit for the credit is based  
15 on the distribution service billing demand consistent with the Final Orders in Docket  
16 Nos. 45928 and 45929.

17 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE HOW THE 2018 FORECASTED BILLING UNITS USED IN  
18 THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE EECRF FACTORS FOR PROGRAM YEAR 2018  
19 WERE DETERMINED.

20 A. As part of the normal course of business, AEP projects monthly kWh sales for each of  
21 its operating companies, including AEP Texas. The AEPSC Economic Forecasting  
22 Department provides the total retail kWh sales forecasts by revenue class for the 2018  
23 energy efficiency program year. Because the kWh sales are projected on a revenue

1 class basis, kWh data must be converted to EECRF rate class forecasted kWh sales.  
 2 Forecasted kWh sales by EECRF rate class were established by first determining each  
 3 EECRF rate class's percentage of total retail sales based on twelve months of  
 4 historical kWh sales data. Forecasted kWh sales by rate class were then calculated by  
 5 multiplying each rate class's percentage of total retail kWh sales by the total retail  
 6 forecasted kWh sales. As discussed above, the projection of the 2018 kWh accounts  
 7 for the removal of the identification notice customer kWh. The annual class projected  
 8 kWh sales less the customer identification notice kWh were used to determine the  
 9 adjusted 2018 EECRF class factors. Schedule H specifies the process for determining  
 10 the projected kWh sales by EECRF rate class.

11 Q. WERE SYSTEM AND LINE LOSSES USED TO DEVELOP THE EECRF  
 12 FACTORS?

13 A. No. AEP Texas' kWh sales forecast for 2018 is based on energy delivered at the  
 14 meter, so it was not necessary to adjust the EECRF factors to reflect system and line  
 15 losses.

16 Q. WHAT ARE THE PROPOSED 2018 EECRF RATE CLASS FACTORS?

17 A. The proposed 2018 factors by EECRF rate class are:

<b>Central Division</b>		
<b>Rate Class</b>	<b>Proposed kWh Factor</b>	<b>Billing Unit Per Rate</b>
Residential	\$0.000579	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$0.000128	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$0.000390	kWh
Primary	\$0.000513	kWh
Transmission	(\$0.041636)	kW

**North Division**

Rate Class	Proposed kWh Factor	Billing Unit Per Rate
Residential	\$0.000600	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$0.000659	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$0.000664	kWh
Primary	(\$0.000144)	kWh
Transmission	\$0.005563	kW

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2 Q. DO THE REVISED EECRF FACTORS INCLUDING BASE RATE AMOUNTS  
3 AND EXCLUDING MUNICIPAL EECRF PROCEEDING EXPENSES AND  
4 STATEWIDE EM&V CONTRACTOR COSTS EXCEED THE MAXIMUM PRICE  
5 PER KWH FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS AS  
6 SPECIFIED IN 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(7)?

7 A. No, they do not. 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(7) recognizes two groups of customers for the  
8 purposes of setting cost caps, residential and commercial. Neither class factor  
9 exceeds the 2018 cost cap for either the Central Division or the North Division.

10 Q. HOW ARE THE 2018 EECRF COST CAPS DETERMINED?

11 A. The method of calculating the 2018 cost caps is described in 16 TAC  
12 § 25.181(f)(7)(E) and addresses the most recent project adjusting the rule. The most  
13 recently available calendar year's percentage change in the South urban consumer  
14 price index is calendar year 2016. The percentage change for calendar year 2016 is  
15 1.11%. AEP Texas has evaluated the cap based on the adjusted 2018 per kWh  
16 residential cap of \$.001277 and commercial cap of \$.000799. The 2018 cost cap  
17 calculation is included in Schedule G.

1 Q. HOW DO THE PROPOSED FACTORS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND  
2 COMMERCIAL COMPARE TO THE 2018 COST CAPS?

3 A. The revised residential factor including the base rate energy efficiency amount and  
4 adjustment and excluding municipal EECRF proceeding expenses and EM&V  
5 statewide contractor costs is \$0.0009780 per kWh for the Central Division and  
6 \$0.000941 for the North Division, neither of which exceeds the residential maximum  
7 of \$0.001277 per kWh. The maximum commercial rate per kWh for 2018 is  
8 \$0.000799 per kWh as explained above. The updated commercial class factor,  
9 including the base rate amounts but without the municipal EECRF proceeding  
10 expenses and statewide EM&V contractor cost, is \$0.000717 per kWh for the Central  
11 Division and \$0.000570 per kWh for the North Division, which does not exceed the  
12 cap for the commercial class. Schedule G details the 2018 cost cap comparison.

13 Q. HOW ARE ENERGY EFFICIENCY COSTS EXPRESSLY INCLUDED IN BASE  
14 RATES TREATED IN DETERMINING WHETHER EECRF FACTORS EXCEED  
15 THE AMOUNTS PRESCRIBED IN 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(7)?

16 A. AEP Texas continues to recover an amount of energy efficiency costs expressly  
17 identified in its base rates so the sum of the base rate recovery of energy efficiency  
18 costs (including the base rate revenue adjustment) and the EECRF shall not exceed  
19 the amounts prescribed in 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(7). In Docket Nos. 39360 and 39361,  
20 the EECRF class base rate per kWh amounts were identified. The base rate  
21 adjustment amount on a per kWh basis also has been determined based on 2016  
22 actual data. The combination of the proposed 2018 EECRF factors, excluding  
23 municipal EECRF proceeding expenses and the expressly identified base rate

1 amounts, including the base rate adjustment, do not exceed the levels identified in 16  
2 TAC § 25.181(f)(7) as shown in detail in Schedule G.

3 Q. HOW HAS AEP TEXAS TREATED THE MUNICIPAL RATE CASE EXPENSES  
4 AND EM&V COST WHEN DETERMINING WHETHER THE PROPOSED  
5 EECRF FACTORS EXCEED THE LIMITATIONS DETAILED IN 16 TAC  
6 § 25.181(f)(7)?

7 A. AEP Texas has not included the municipal EECRF proceeding expenses from Docket  
8 Nos. 45928 and 45929 or any statewide EM&V contractor's costs in its determination  
9 of the EECRF factor limitations based on 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(7), which states that  
10 the municipal EECRF proceeding expenses and the statewide EM&V contractor costs  
11 shall not count against the utility's cost caps. AEP Texas has included in Schedule E  
12 the total EECRF factor calculation including the municipal EECRF proceeding  
13 expenses and the EM&V cost and in Schedule G a separate calculation of the  
14 limitation on EECRF factors without the municipal EECRF proceeding expenses and  
15 the statewide EM&V contractor cost. The EECRF factors calculated without the  
16 municipal EECRF proceeding expenses and the statewide EM&V contractor cost are  
17 slightly lower than the total EECRF factors. AEP Texas is requesting recovery of the  
18 municipal EECRF proceeding expenses through the total proposed EECRF factor as  
19 shown on adjusted Rider EECRF, Schedule F in this filing.

20 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS INCLUDED A CALCULATION OF THE 2016 CAP BASED  
21 ON ACTUAL PROGRAM COSTS AND ACTUAL 2016 BILLING UNITS?

22 A. Yes, AEP Texas has included a 2016 cap calculation based on actual 2016 program  
23 costs and billing units as part of Schedule G.



1 Q. DID AEP TEXAS EXCEED THE 2016 CAPS BASED ON ACTUAL DATA?

2 A. No. Neither the – Central Division nor the North Division exceeded the 2016 caps  
3 for either EECRF class.

4 Q. HOW WERE THE 2016 CAPS CALCULATED?

5 A. The 2016 caps were calculated by removing the statewide EM&V contractor’s costs  
6 and the municipal EECRF proceeding expenses paid in 2016 from the total 2016  
7 Energy Efficiency actual costs, and dividing that total amount by the actual class  
8 2016 EECRF billing units less any customer ID notice kWh. This calculation yields  
9 the following results for the classes:

10

<b>Central Division Class</b>	<b>2016 Cost Cap Based on Actuals</b>	<b>2016 Cap</b>
<b>Residential</b>	\$0.000856	\$0.001266
<b>Commercial</b>	\$0.000619	\$0.000791

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<b>North Division Class</b>	<b>2016 Cost Cap Based on Actuals</b>	<b>2016 Cap</b>
<b>Residential</b>	\$0.000728	\$0.001266
<b>Commercial</b>	\$0.000434	\$0.000791

1 Q. ARE SOME CUSTOMERS EXCLUDED FROM EECRF CHARGES?

2 A. Yes, in addition to transmission customers taking service at 69 kV, distribution  
3 industrial customers meeting the definition and fulfilling the requirements as outlined  
4 in 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(30) and (w) (ID Notice Customers) are excluded from EECRF  
5 charges. Also, the lighting class has not been assigned or allocated any 2018 costs.

6 Q. ARE THE ID NOTICE CUSTOMERS ALSO EXCLUDED FROM ENERGY  
7 EFFICIENCY BASE RATE COSTS?

8 A. Yes. AEP Texas agreed in Docket Nos. 44717 and 44718 to credit the Secondary and  
9 Primary Service ID Notice Customers for base rate energy efficiency costs. AEP  
10 Texas will credit ID Notice Customers for base rate energy efficiency costs through a  
11 separate energy efficiency base rate credit factor based on that agreement.

12 Q. HOW WAS THE BASE RATE CREDIT FACTOR CALCULATED?

13 A. The base rate energy efficiency credit factor is shown in Schedule I and is the amount  
14 of energy efficiency cost expressly included in base rates for each class divided by the  
15 class distribution billing unit. The total base rate energy efficiency amount by class  
16 and the class credit factor is shown below. The credit factors will also be included on  
17 the EECRF Rate Schedule.

Central Division

Rate Class	Base Rate Billing Unit	Base Rate Schedule I	Unit	Credit
Sec <= 10 kW	1,741,982	0.000286	per kWh	(\$0.000286)
Sec > 10 kW	36,433.37	0.078608	per kW	(\$0.07608)
Primary IDR	104,022.72	0.105418	per kW	(\$0.105418)

North Division

Rate Class	Base Rate Unit	Base Rate Schedule I	Unit	Credit
Sec <= 10 kW	4,870,263	0.000256	per kWh	(\$0.000256)
Sec > 10 kW	160,407.94	0.067725	per kW	(\$0.067725)
Primary IDR	427,647.16	0.076100	per kW	(\$0.076100)

1 Q. HAVE YOU PROVIDED THE REVISED TARIFFS REFLECTING UPDATED  
2 EECRF FACTORS AND CREDITS APPLICABLE TO ELIGIBLE CUSTOMERS?

3 A. Yes. The proposed Rider EECRF shown in the Schedule F for each division includes  
4 the changes from the current Rider EECRF tariff for each division. AEP Texas  
5 requests that the Commission approve adjusted Riders EECRF containing the  
6 proposed EECRF class kWh factors to be effective March 1, 2018.

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IV. CONCLUSION

9 Q. PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR TESTIMONY.

10 A. AEP Texas is requesting recovery of \$11,618,998 through its adjusted EECRFs,  
11 which include projected 2018 energy efficiency program costs of \$8,650,862,  
12 EM&V costs of \$416,407, the return of the over-recovery of \$1,502,426 in 2016  
13 program costs, municipal EECRF proceeding expenses from Docket Nos.45928 and  
14 45929 of \$5,713 and the 2016 earned performance bonus of \$4,048,441.

15 For the Central Division, AEP Texas is requesting recovery of \$9,488,449  
16 through its adjusted EECRF, which amount includes projected 2018 energy efficiency  
17 program costs of \$6,813,091, EM&V costs of \$353,977, the return of the over-

1 recovery of \$1,173,691 in 2016 program costs, municipal EECRF proceeding  
2 expenses from Docket No. 45929 of \$2,822 and the 2016 earned performance bonus  
3 of \$3,492,251.

4 For the North Division, AEP Texas is requesting recovery of \$2,130,548  
5 through its adjusted EECRF, which amount includes projected 2018 energy efficiency  
6 program costs of \$1,837,772, EM&V costs of \$62,430, the return of the  
7 over-recovery of \$328,734 in 2016 program costs, recovery of municipal EECRF  
8 proceeding expenses from Docket No. 45928 of \$2,891, and recovery of the 2016  
9 earned performance bonus of \$556,190.

10 AEP Texas' base rates include energy efficiency costs and those costs and  
11 adjusted revenues have been treated in accordance with 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(2). The  
12 class assignment of the estimated 2018 program costs is based on the direct  
13 assignment to the EECRF rate classes eligible for specific programs where possible.  
14 Where more than one EECRF rate class is eligible to participate in a specific 2018  
15 program, the allocation of that program cost is based on a weighted 4CP demand  
16 allocator, adjusted based on the most recent projection of EECRF rate class kWh, less  
17 the identification notice customer kWh. The class assignment of the 2016 actual  
18 program costs is based on direct assignment to the participating EECRF rate classes.  
19 The performance bonus has been assigned to the classes in accordance with 16 TAC  
20 § 25.181(h)(6). The municipal EECRF proceeding expenses have been assigned to  
21 the classes based on the 2018 program costs assigned to the classes. Recovery of the  
22 2018 EECRF revenue requirement is based on projected 2018 kWh sales for all  
23 EECRF classes eligible for the EECRF.

1 Q. WHAT RELIEF IS AEP TEXAS REQUESTING IN THIS PROCEEDING?

2 A. AEP Texas is requesting that Rider EECRF contained in Schedule F for the Central  
3 Division and the North Division be approved effective March 1, 2018.

4 Q. HAS AEP TEXAS CALCULATED THE EECRF FACTORS IN A MANNER  
5 CONSISTENT WITH 16 TAC § 25.181?

6 A. Yes.

7 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY?

8 A. Yes, it does.

**AEP Texas Central Division  
 2018 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor**

**SCHEDULE A**

**2018 Projected Energy Efficiency Program Costs**

	Incentives	Administrative	Research & Development	EM&V	Total Projected Energy Efficiency Costs
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$508,500	\$56,500			\$565,000
Commercial SOP	\$1,813,500	\$201,500			\$2,015,000
CoolSaver® A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$596,700	\$66,300			\$663,000
Load Management SOP	\$650,700	\$72,300			\$723,000
Open MTP	\$793,800	\$88,200			\$882,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$946,800	\$105,200			\$1,052,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
<b>Residential</b>					
CoolSaver® A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$675,000	\$75,000			\$750,000
High Performance New Homes MTP	\$765,000	\$85,000			\$850,000
Residential SOP	\$2,666,340	\$296,260			\$2,962,600
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
Whisker Labs DR Pilot MTP	\$150,300	\$16,700			\$167,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,087,560	\$120,840			\$1,208,400
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,283,400	\$142,600			\$1,426,000
<b>Research and Development</b>					
R&D Programs	NAP	NAP	\$365,125		\$365,125
<b>Evaluation Measurement &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>					
EM&V				\$353,977	\$353,977
<b>Total Projected Energy Efficiency costs</b>	<b>\$12,345,600</b>	<b>\$1,371,734</b>	<b>\$365,125</b>	<b>\$353,977</b>	<b>\$14,436,436</b>

AEP Texas - Central Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing  
Schedule A

<b>2018 Central Division</b>	Res	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Primary	Total
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$22,861	\$425,121	\$117,018		\$565,000
Commercial SOP	\$81,532	\$1,516,140	\$417,328		\$2,015,000
CoolSaver® A/C Tune-up MTP (Comm)	\$33,834	\$629,166			\$663,000
Load Management SOP		\$566,945	\$156,055		\$723,000
OpenTargeted Small Business MTP	\$45,010	\$836,990			\$882,000
SCORE/CS MTP	\$42,566	\$791,553	\$217,880		\$1,052,000
SMART SourceSM Solar PV Pilot MTP Comm	\$9,171	\$170,550	\$46,945		\$226,667
<b>Residential</b>					
CoolSaver® A/C Tune-up MTP (Res)	\$750,000				\$750,000
High Performance New Homes MTP	\$850,000				\$850,000
Residential SOP	\$2,962,600				\$2,962,600
SMART SourceSM Solar PV MTP	\$226,667				\$226,667
Whisker Labs	\$167,000				\$167,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,208,400				\$1,208,400
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,426,000				\$1,426,000
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>					
R&D Programs	\$195,531	\$6,862	\$127,607	\$35,125	\$365,125
EM&V	\$195,714	\$6,079	\$127,291	\$24,894	\$353,977
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program Revenue Requirement</b>	<b>\$7,981,912</b>	<b>\$247,916</b>	<b>\$5,191,363</b>	<b>\$1,015,245</b>	<b>\$14,436,436</b>

AEP Texas Central Division  
 2018 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor

TCC Schedule B

2016 Actual Energy Efficiency Expenditures

Customer Class and Program	2016				
	Incentives	Administrative	Research & Development	Evaluation, Measurement & Verification	Total Funds Expended
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$ 464,672	\$ 52,420			\$517,092
Commercial SOP	\$ 1,763,344	\$ 194,482			\$1,957,826
CoolSaver® A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$ 561,470	\$ 46,543			\$608,013
Load Management SOP	\$ 573,056	\$ 50,027			\$623,083
Open MTP	\$ 785,454	\$ 61,027			\$846,481
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$ 971,104	\$ 88,691			\$1,059,795
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$ 182,697	\$ 14,863			\$197,560
<b>Residential</b>					
CoolSaver® A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$672,779	\$55,822			\$728,601
Earth networks Residential DR Pilot MTP	\$123,350	\$9,065			\$132,415
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	\$90,159	\$11,198			\$101,357
High Performance New Homes MTP	\$636,496	\$67,453			\$703,949
Reliant Residential DR Pilot MTP	\$3,880	\$379			\$4,259
Residential SOP	\$2,591,748	\$242,540			\$2,834,288
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204,807	\$17,431			\$222,238
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,115,738	\$112,503			\$1,228,241
Targeted Low Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,265,056	\$103,440			\$1,368,496
<b>Research &amp; Development</b>					
Research & Development	NAP	NAP	\$327,306		\$327,306
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification</b>					
PY 2015 Statewide EM&V Contractor	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$161,054	\$161,054
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$12,005,810</b>	<b>\$1,127,884</b>	<b>\$327,306</b>	<b>\$161,054</b>	<b>\$13,622,054</b>



AEP Texas - Central Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing  
Schedule B

2016 Central Division	Res	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Primary	Total
<b>Commercial Programs</b>					
ComSol MTP		\$16,951	\$479,687	\$20,454	\$517,093
CSOP		\$17,479	\$822,000	\$1,118,348	\$1,957,827
CoolSaver		\$55,015	\$540,130	\$12,868	\$608,013
LM SOP		\$0	\$265,144	\$357,939	\$623,083
Open MTP		\$18,744	\$827,736	\$0	\$846,480
SCORE/CS MTP		\$898	\$858,332	\$200,564	\$1,059,795
SMART Source MTP - Comm		\$28,514	\$169,046	\$0	\$197,560
<b>Total Commercial</b>		<b>\$137,601</b>	<b>\$3,962,076</b>	<b>\$1,710,173</b>	<b>\$5,809,851</b>
<b>Residential Programs</b>					
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	\$101,356				\$101,356
CoolSaver	\$728,601				\$728,601
Earth Networks Res DR Pilot	\$132,415				\$132,415
HP NH	\$703,949				\$703,949
Reliant Res DR Pilot MTP	\$4,259				\$4,259
RSOP	\$2,834,288				\$2,834,288
SMART Source MTP - Res	\$222,238				\$222,238
<b>Total Residential</b>	<b>\$4,727,107</b>				<b>\$4,727,107</b>
<b>Hard-to-Reach Programs</b>					
HTR SOP	\$1,228,241				\$1,228,241
TLI EEP	\$1,368,497				\$1,368,497
<b>Total HTR</b>	<b>\$2,596,738</b>				<b>\$2,596,738</b>
<b>Total Programs</b>	<b>\$7,323,844</b>	<b>\$137,601</b>	<b>\$3,962,076</b>	<b>\$1,710,173</b>	<b>\$13,133,695</b>
Research & Development	\$89,932	\$1,695	\$48,627	\$20,799	\$161,054
EM&V -statewide contr	\$239,586	\$2,091	\$59,976	\$25,654	\$327,306
<b>Total R&amp;D</b>	<b>\$329,518</b>	<b>\$3,786</b>	<b>\$108,603</b>	<b>\$46,453</b>	<b>\$488,359</b>
<b>Total 2016</b>	<b>\$7,653,362</b>	<b>\$141,387</b>	<b>\$4,070,679</b>	<b>\$1,756,626</b>	<b>\$13,622,054</b>

Central Division  
 Schedule C

Calculation of 2016 Over/Under Recovery Class Factor

2016 Residential Energy Efficiency Expenditures + R&D - Municipal EECRF Expenses	\$7,651,786
2016 Actual Residential Energy Efficiency Factor Revenues + Base	\$8,204,308
2016 Residential Over Recovery	(\$552,522)
2016 Commercial Energy Efficiency Expenditures + R&D - Municipal EECRF Expenses:	\$5,967,446
2016 Actual Commercial Energy Efficiency Factor Revenues + Base	\$6,588,615
2016 Commercial Over Recovery	(\$621,169)
2016 Total Energy Efficiency Expenditures + R&D - Municipal EECRF Expenses	\$13,619,232
2016 Actual Total Energy Efficiency Factor Revenues	\$14,792,924
2016 Over Recovery	(\$1,173,691)

Class	2016 Program Costs Over/Under Recovery Allocation	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit	2016 Over Recovery Factor Unit
Residential	(\$552,522)	10,008,002,742	(\$0.000055) kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	(\$95,099)	460,557,014	(\$0.000207) kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	(\$1,095,457)	7,461,369,019	(\$0.000147) kWh
Primary	\$589,747	2,605,527,521	\$0.000226 kWh
Transmission	(\$20,360)	14,834,694	(\$0.001373) kW
Lighting	\$0	223,313,089	
Total	(\$1,173,691)	20,773,604,079	

**AEP Texas Central Division  
 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor**

**Schedule D  
 2016 Goal Achievement and Performance Bonus Calculation**

TCC achieved 39,300 kW in demand savings and 67,719,790 kWh in energy savings by January 1, 2017. The total present value of the avoided costs associated with these demand reductions and energy savings is \$48,569,571. TCC's total costs for the 2016 program year were \$13,647,065. The resulting net benefits are \$26,164,317. TCC's demand reduction goal (DRG) was 15,730 kW and its energy savings goal was 27,559,000 kWh. TCC achieved 250% of its DRG and 246% of its energy savings goal, qualifying it for a performance bonus as calculated under 16 TAC § 25.181(h).

TCC's calculated bonus is \$26,164,317; however, its maximum bonus allowed is \$3,492,251, which is 10% of its total net benefits (16 TAC § 25.181(h)(3)).

	kW (Demand)	kWh (Energy)
<b>2016 Goals</b>	15,730	27,559,000
<b>2016 Savings</b>		
<i>Reported/Verified Total</i>	39,300	67,713,790
<i>Reported/Verified HTR</i>	2,341	
<b>2016 Program Costs</b>	\$13,647,065	
<b>2016 Performance Bonus</b>	\$3,492,251	

**Performance Bonus Calculation**

250%	Percentage of Demand Reduction Goal Met (Reported kW/Goal kW)
246%	Percentage of Energy Reduction Goal Met (Reported kWh/Goal kWh)
TRUE	Met Requirements for Performance Bonus?
\$48,569,571	Total Avoided Cost [Reported kW * PV (Avoided Capacity Cost) + Reported kWh * PV (Avoided Energy Cost), except for measure life other than 10 years for which PV (Avoided Capacity Cost) and PV (Avoided Energy Cost) are calculated using the specific measure lives]
\$13,647,065	Total Program Costs
\$34,922,506	Net Benefits (Total Avoided Cost – Total Expenses)

**Bonus Calculation**

\$26,164,317	Calculated Bonus [(Achieved Demand Reduction/Demand Goal - 100%) / 2 * Net Benefits]
\$3,492,251	Maximum Bonus Allowed (10% of Net Benefits)
\$3,492,251	<i>Bonus (Minimum of Calculated Bonus and Bonus Limit)</i>

Schedule E  
Calculation of Requested EECRF by Customer Class Using Direct Assignment of EECRF Program Costs

Central Division		
2018 Program Costs Above Base Rates	\$6,813,091	71.80%
EM&V Evaluation of Program Years 2016 & 2017	\$353,977	3.73%
2016 Over Recovery	(\$1,173,691)	-12.37%
Calculated Performance Bonus for 2016	\$3,492,251	36.81%
Municipal EECRF Proceeding Expenses Docket No. 45925	\$2,822	0.03%
<b>Adjusted EECR Revenue Requirement</b>	<b>\$9,488,449</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

Class	Total Adjusted		2018		2018 EECR	
	Revenue Requirement	Forecasted Billing Unit	Revenue Requirement	Forecasted Billing Unit	Factor RVSD	Unit
Residential	\$5,797,797	10,008,002,742	\$0.000579	kWh		
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$58,945	460,557,014	\$0.000128	kWh		
Secondary > 10 kW	\$2,912,439	7,461,369,019	\$0.000390	kWh		
Primary	\$1,336,931	2,605,527,521	\$0.000513	kWh		
Transmission	(\$617,664)	14,834,694	(\$0.041636)	kW		
Lighting	\$0	223,313,089	\$0.000000	kWh		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,488,449</b>					

Class	2018 EECRF Program Costs		2016		2016 Bonus		45929 RCE		2018 Forecasted		2018 EECR	
	Revenue Requirement	Forecasted Billing Unit	Over/Under	Revenue Requirement	Forecasted Billing Unit	Factor RVSD	Unit	Revenue Requirement	Forecasted Billing Unit	Factor RVSD	Unit	
Residential	\$4,398,695	10,008,002,742	(\$552,522)	\$5,797,797	10,008,002,742	\$1,560	kWh	\$5,797,797	10,008,002,742	\$0.000579	kWh	
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$117,239	460,557,014	(\$95,099)	\$58,945	460,557,014	\$48	kWh	\$58,945	460,557,014	\$0.000128	kWh	
Secondary > 10 kW	\$2,952,460	7,461,369,019	(\$1,095,457)	\$2,912,439	7,461,369,019	\$1,015	kWh	\$2,912,439	7,461,369,019	\$0.000390	kWh	
Primary	\$295,977	2,605,527,521	\$589,747	\$1,336,931	2,605,527,521	\$198	kWh	\$1,336,931	2,605,527,521	\$0.000513	kWh	
Transmission	(\$597,304)	14,834,694	(\$20,360)	(\$617,664)	14,834,694	\$0	kW	(\$617,664)	14,834,694	(\$0.041636)	kW	
Lighting	\$0	223,313,089	\$0	\$0	223,313,089	\$0	kWh	\$0	223,313,089	\$0.000000	kWh	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,167,067</b>		<b>(\$1,173,691)</b>	<b>\$9,488,449</b>		<b>\$2,822</b>		<b>\$9,488,449</b>				

AEP TEXAS - CENTRAL DIVISION  
 TARIFF FOR ELECTRIC DELIVERY SERVICE

Applicable: Certified Service Area previously served by AEP Texas Central Company  
 Chapter: 6 Section: 6.1.1  
 Section Title: Delivery System Charges  
 Revision: Tenth Effective Date: March 1, 2018

**6.1.1.6.4 Rider EECRF – Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factors**

**AVAILABILITY**

Rider EECRF recovers the cost of energy efficiency programs not already included in base distribution service rates and is applicable to the kWh sales of Retail Customers taking retail electric delivery service from the Company.

**APPLICABILITY**

The Rider EECRF is applicable to the current month’s billed kWh of each Retail Customer taking electric delivery service from the Company.

**MONTHLY RATE**

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Factor</u>	
Residential Service	\$0.000579 per kWh	<u>I</u>
Secondary Service Less than or Equal to 10 kW	\$0.000128 per kWh	<u>R</u>
Secondary Service Greater than 10 kW	\$0.000390 per kWh	<u>R</u>
Primary Service	\$0.000513 per kWh	<u>I</u>
Transmission Service	(\$0.041636) per kW	<u>R</u>

**ID Notice Customer Base Rate Credit**

For distribution industrial customers meeting the definition and fulfilling the requirements in 16 TAC§25.181(c)(30) and (w) (ID Notice Customers) the following base rate energy efficiency credit will apply.

Secondary Service Less Than or Equal to 10 kW	(\$0.000286)	per kWh
Secondary Service Greater Than 10 kW	(\$0.078608)	per distribution kW
Primary	(\$0.105418)	per distribution kW

**NOTICE**

This Rate Schedule is subject to the Company’s Tariff and Applicable Legal Authorities.

Schedule G  
Cap Calculation

Central Division	
2018 Program Costs Above Base Rates (no EM&V cost)	\$6,813,081
2016 Over/Under Recovery	(\$1,173,691)
Calculated Performance Bonus - 2016	\$3,482,251
<b>Adjusted EECR Revenue Requirement*</b>	<b>\$9,131,650</b>

\*no municipal EECRF proceeding expenses or EM&V costs are included in the cap calculation

Class	Total Adjusted 2018 EECR Revenue Requirement (no EM&V cost)	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit	2018 EECR Factor (no EM&V)	Unit
Residential	\$5,600,523	10,008,002,742	\$0.000560	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$52,818	460,557,014	\$0.000115	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$2,784,134	7,461,368,019	\$0.000373	kWh
Primary	\$1,311,840	2,605,527,521	\$0.000503	kWh
Transmission	(\$617,664)	14,834,654	(\$0.041636)	kWh
Lighting	\$0	223,313,089	\$0.000000	kWh
<b>Total (no EM&amp;V cost)</b>	<b>\$9,131,650</b>	<b>20,773,604,079</b>		

Class	Residential	Non-Residential	2018 EECR Factor (no EM&V)	2018 Total Cap	South Urban CPI	
					2018 Unadjusted	2018 Adjusted
	\$0.000418	\$0.000323	\$0.000394	\$0.000717	\$0.000790	1.11%
	\$0.000418	\$0.000323	\$0.000394	\$0.000717	\$0.000790	

Base Rate per Final Order in Docket No. 39360 Including Revenue Adjustment	
Residential	\$4,148,792
Non-Residential	10,527,453,554
<b>Combined per kWh</b>	<b>\$0.000394</b>
Calculation of Non-Residential per kWh Rate	
2018 Rev Req	\$341,307
2018 kWh	10,479,808,075
<b>Adjusted to Commercial per kWh adjustment</b>	<b>\$0.000033</b>
Combined Base per kWh	
Total 2018 per kWh	\$0.000717

2016 Cap Analysis

ICC	Actual 2016 Program Costs*	2014 Performance Bonus	2014 (O)U (no EM&V)	2016 Actual Billing kWh (less ID Netica)	2016 per kWh Cost Based on Actuals	2016 Cap
Residential	\$7,561,854	\$1,544,090	(\$937,392)	9,866,369,376	\$0.000956	\$0.007266
Non-Residential	\$5,896,324	\$1,291,541	(\$748,865)	10,411,401,539	\$0.000619	\$0.000791
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,458,179</b>	<b>\$2,835,621</b>	<b>(\$1,386,257)</b>	<b>20,309,791,015</b>		

\*less TetraTech EM&V costs & municipal EECRF proceeding expenses

Schedule H

Central Division Projected 2018 Retail kWh Sales 26,080,239,961

Rate Classes	2016 Historical		Percent of Total kWh	2018 Forecasted	
	Billing Units	Customer ID Notice kWh		Billing Unit Less ID Notice Customers	Unit
Residential	9,898,389,376		38.37%	10,008,002,742	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	456,909,985	1,412,728	1.77%	460,557,014	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	7,390,435,587	10,907,208	28.65%	7,461,369,019	kWh
Primary	2,632,462,503	56,086,500	10.21%	2,605,527,521	kWh
Transmission	5,195,529,581		20.14%	5,253,064,142	kWh
Lighting	220,867,236		0.86%	223,313,089	kWh
Total	25,794,594,268	68,406,436	100.00%	26,011,833,527	
		ID Notice kWh		68,406,436	
		Total 2018 kWh		26,080,239,963	

Central Division  
Schedule I  
Energy Efficiency Program Costs Included in Base Rates  
Docket No. 33309 TCC Commission Staff's Final Number Run  
33309 TCC Dist Model re-run 010908

Class	Distribution - FERC Account 907	Distribution Function Allocator	Customer Service - FERC Account 907	Customer Service Function Allocator	Local Energy Efficiency Costs		Docket No. 33309 Billing Date	Base Distribution Billing Unit	Docket No. 33309 EE Rate per Billing Unit	2016 EE Base Revenue -16 TAC \$ 25.181	Adjustment to Base Revenue	Distribution Function Allocator w/out Trans Allocator	Weighted Allocator
					Expressly Included In Base Rates	Base Rates							
Residential	\$2,948,779	47.209%	\$75,656	85.323%	\$3,024,435	8,352,353,434	398,752,267	KWh	\$0.000362	\$3,583,217	\$558,782	47.209%	\$1,884%
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$107,382	1.719%	\$6,725	7.8848%	\$114,089	398,752,267	1,421,383	KWh	\$0.000286	\$130,676	\$16,589	1.719%	1.889%
Secondary > 10 kW IDR	\$126,356	2.023%	\$24	0.0269%	\$126,379	1,421,383	23,496,396	KW	\$0.078608	\$180,491	\$54,112	2.023%	2.233%
Secondary > 10 kW Non-IDR	\$1,825,465	29.225%	\$6,118	6.9001%	\$1,831,583	23,496,396	5,778,539	KW	\$0.078608	\$2,086,412	\$226,829	29.225%	32.119%
Primary IDR	\$509,991	9.766%	\$37	0.0419%	\$510,028	5,778,539	631,219	KW	\$0.105418	\$666,925	\$56,897	9.766%	10.733%
Primary Non-IDR	\$65,439	1.048%	\$23	0.0257%	\$65,462	631,219	13,980,065	KW	\$0.105418	\$62,343	(\$13,119)	1.048%	1.151%
Transmission	\$582,887	9.012%	\$5	0.0060%	\$582,892	13,980,065	229,634,991	KWh	\$0.040264	\$597,304	\$34,412	9.012%	0.000%
Lighting	\$0	0.000%	\$81	0.0915%	\$81	229,634,991		KWh	\$0.000000	\$0	(\$81)	0.000%	0.000%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$6,246,279</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>\$88,870</b>		<b>\$6,334,949</b>					<b>\$7,269,368</b>	<b>\$834,419</b>	<b>90.888%</b>	<b>100.000%</b>



Schedule K - Affiliate Costs  
AEP Texas Central Division Affiliate Costs  
2016

Line	Cost Type	Department	Project Description	Affiliate	2016 (\$)	Discussion of Reasonableness & Necessity/No Higher Than Standard
1	Administrative Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100531 EE/DR EECRF	AEP Texas North	3,250	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
2	Administrative Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEP Texas North	226,300	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
3	Administrative Costs	10764 Legal GC/Administration	TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	111	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
4	Administrative Costs	13168 Legal Reg Services West	TXDSMANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	819	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
5	Total Administrative Costs				<u>230,480</u>	
6	Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100508 Dm-Rea Standard Offer	AEP Texas North	318	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
7	Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100514 Dm-Hard To Reach Std Offer	AEP Texas North	11,741	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
8	Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100534 DSM Solar PV Pilot MTP	AEP Texas North	1,741	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
9	Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100547 DSM - EM&V	AEP Texas North	601	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
10	Total Program Direct Costs				<u>14,400</u>	
17	R&D Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEP Texas North	23,248	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
18	R&D Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	979	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
19	R&D Costs	11060 Customer and Dist. Services	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	796	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
20	R&D Costs	12883 EE & Consumer Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	5,053	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Pam Osterloh and Brian Frantz
21	Total R&D Costs				<u>30,076</u>	
22	Grand Total				<u>\$ 274,956</u>	

Schedule Q  
System and Line Losses

Central Division kWh sales forecast for 2018 is based on energy delivered at the meter so it was not necessary to adjust the EECRF factors for system and line losses.

AEP Texas North Division  
 2018 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor

Schedule A

2018 Projected Energy Efficiency Costs

	Incentives	Administrative	Research and Development	EM&V	Total Projected Energy Efficiency Costs
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$363,660	\$54,340			\$418,000
Commercial SOP	\$308,850	\$46,150			\$355,000
Load Management SOP	\$87,000	\$13,000			\$100,000
Open MTP	\$419,340	\$62,660			\$482,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$160,080	\$23,920			\$184,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$82,650	\$12,350			\$95,000
<b>Residential</b>					
Residential SOP	\$530,700	\$79,300			\$610,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$102,660	\$15,340			\$118,000
Whisker Labs Residential DR Pilot MTP	\$20,010	\$2,990			\$23,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$314,070	\$46,930			\$361,000
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$287,970	\$43,030			\$331,000
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>					
R&D			\$200,000		\$200,000
<b>Total Projected Program Costs</b>	<b>\$2,676,990</b>	<b>\$400,010</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,277,000</b>
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>					
EM&V				\$62,430	\$62,430
<b>Total Projected Energy Efficiency Costs</b>	<b>\$2,676,990</b>	<b>\$400,010</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>	<b>\$62,430</b>	<b>\$3,339,430</b>

AEP Texas - North Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing  
Schedule A

North Division 2018	Res	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Primary	Total
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP		\$18,307	\$252,068	\$147,625	\$418,000
Commercial SOP		\$15,548	\$214,077	\$125,375	\$355,000
Load Management SOP			\$63,065	\$36,935	\$100,000
OpenTargeted Small Business MTP		\$32,636	\$449,364		\$482,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP		\$8,059	\$110,958	\$64,983	\$184,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP		\$4,161	\$57,288	\$33,551	\$95,000
<b>Residential</b>					
Residential SOP	\$610,000				\$610,000
SMART Source Solar PV Pilot MTP (Res)	\$118,000				\$118,000
Whisker Labs	\$23,000				\$23,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$361,000				\$361,000
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$331,000				\$331,000
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>					
R&D Programs	\$88,343	\$4,890	\$67,333	\$39,434	\$200,000
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program</b>					
	\$1,531,343	\$83,601	\$1,214,152	\$447,904	\$3,277,000
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification</b>					
Evaluation, Measurement & Verification	\$29,174	\$1,593	\$23,131	\$8,533	\$62,430
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program</b>					
	\$1,531,343	\$83,601	\$1,214,152	\$447,904	\$3,277,000
<b>Total Revenue Requirement</b>					
	\$1,560,517	\$85,193	\$1,237,283	\$456,437	\$3,339,430

AEP Texas North Division  
 2018 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor

Schedule B

2016 Actual Energy Efficiency Expenditures

	Incentives	Administrative	Research & Development	Evaluation, Measurement & Verification	Total Funds Expended
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$330,000	\$32,967			\$362,967
Commercial SOP	\$187,958	\$22,883			\$210,841
Load Management SOP	\$80,578	\$10,518			\$91,096
Open MTP	\$417,057	\$47,983			\$465,040
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$153,272	\$17,412			\$170,684
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$49,811	\$5,369			\$55,180
<b>Residential</b>					
Earth Networks Residential DR Pilot	\$15,513	\$1,491			\$17,004
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	\$81,757	\$7,586			\$89,343
Residential SOP	\$415,685	\$60,108			\$475,793
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$88,337	\$9,521			\$97,858
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$162,136	\$25,457			\$187,593
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Prog.	\$255,659	\$32,679			\$288,338
<b>Research and Development</b>					
Research and Development			\$82,694		\$82,694
<b>Total Program Costs</b>	<b>\$2,237,763</b>	<b>\$273,974</b>	<b>\$82,694</b>		<b>\$2,594,431</b>
<b>Evaluation, Measurement, &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>					
PY 2015 Statewide EM&V Contractor				\$28,413	\$28,413
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Costs, including EM&amp;V</b>	<b>\$2,237,763</b>	<b>\$273,974</b>	<b>\$82,694</b>	<b>\$28,413</b>	<b>\$2,622,844</b>

AEP Texas - North Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing  
Schedule B

<b>North Division 2016 Costs</b>	<i>Sec &lt; 10</i>	<i>Sec &gt; 10</i>	<i>Prim</i>	<i>Res</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>Commercial Programs</b>					
ComSol MTP	\$0	\$362,967	\$0	\$0	\$362,967
CSOP	\$0	\$210,841	\$0	\$0	\$210,841
LM SOP	\$0	\$91,096	\$0	\$0	\$91,096
Open MTP	\$10,538	\$454,502	\$0	\$0	\$465,040
SCORE/CS MTP	\$23,938	\$146,746	\$0	\$0	\$170,684
SMART Source Pilot MTP - Comm	\$55,180	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$55,180
<b>Total Commercial</b>	<b>\$89,656</b>	<b>\$1,266,152</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,355,808</b>
<b>Residential Programs</b>					
Earth Networks Res DR Pilot	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$17,004	\$17,004
Efficiency Connection	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$89,343	\$89,343
RSOP	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$475,793	\$475,793
SMART Source Pilot MTP - Res	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$97,858	\$97,858
<b>Total Residential</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$679,998</b>	<b>\$679,998</b>
<b>Hard-to-Reach Programs</b>					
HTR SOP	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$187,593	\$187,593
TLI EEP	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$288,338	\$288,338
<b>Total HTR</b>				<b>\$475,931</b>	<b>\$475,931</b>
<b>Total Programs</b>	<b>\$89,656</b>	<b>\$1,266,152</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,155,929</b>	<b>\$2,511,737</b>
<b>Research &amp; Development</b>					
R&D - Programs	\$1,378	\$19,421	\$0	\$61,895	\$82,694
R&D - EM&V Tetra Tech	\$1,025	\$14,448	\$0	\$12,939	\$28,413
<b>Total R&amp;D</b>	<b>\$2,404</b>	<b>\$33,869</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$74,834</b>	<b>\$111,107</b>
<b>Total 2016 Costs</b>	<b>\$92,060</b>	<b>\$1,300,021</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,230,763</b>	<b>\$2,622,844</b>

Schedule C  
 Calculation of 2016 Over Recovery Class Factor

2016 Residential Energy Efficiency Expenditures + R&D - Municipal EECRF Expenses	\$1,230,302
2016 Actual Residential Energy Efficiency Program Revenues + Base	\$1,350,811
2016 Residential Over Recovery	(\$120,508)
2016 Commercial Energy Efficiency Expenditures + R&D - Municipal EECRF Expenses	\$1,391,529
2016 Actual Commercial Energy Efficiency Program Revenues + Base	\$1,599,755
2015 Commercial Over Recovery	(\$208,226)
2016 Total Energy Efficiency Expenditures + R&D - Municipal EECRF Expenses	\$2,621,832
2016 Actual Total Energy Efficiency Program Revenues	\$2,950,566
2016 Over Recovery	(\$328,734)

Class	2016 Program Costs Over/Under Recovery Allocation	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit	2016 Over/Under Recovery Factor	Unit
Residential	(\$120,508)	1,800,603,245	(\$0.000067)	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$20,230	137,366,262	\$0.000147	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$155,465	1,774,615,854	\$0.000088	kWh
Primary	(\$398,389)	1,555,840,722	(\$0.000256)	kWh
Transmission	\$14,468	628,025	\$0.023037	kW
Lighting	\$0	42,917,049	\$0.000000	kWh
Total	(\$328,734)	5,311,971,157		

**AEP Texas North Division  
Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor**

**Schedule D**

**2016 Goal Achievement and Performance Bonus Calculation**

TNC achieved 6,381 kW in demand savings and 10,817,333 kWh in energy savings by January 1, 2017. The total present value of the avoided cost associated with these demand reductions and energy savings is \$8,189,770. TNC's total program cost for the 2016 program year was \$2,627,871. The resulting net benefits are \$5,561,899. TNC's demand reduction goal (DRG) was 4,260 kW and its energy savings goal was 7,464,000 kWh. TNC achieved 107% of its DRG and 165% of its energy savings goal, qualifying it for a performance bonus as calculated under 16 TAC § 25.181(h).

TNC's calculated bonus is \$186,197, which is less than the maximum bonus allowed. The maximum bonus allowed is \$563,371, which is 10% of its total net benefits (16 TAC § 25.181 (h)(3)).

	kW (Demand)	kWh (Energy)
<b>2016 Goals</b>	4,260	7,464,000
<b>2016 Savings</b>		
<i>Reported/Verified Total</i>	6,381	10,817,333
<i>Reported/Verified HTR</i>	325	
<b>2016 Program Costs</b>	\$2,627,871	
<b>2016 Performance Bonus</b>	\$556,190	

**Performance Bonus Calculation**

150%	Percentage of Demand Reduction Goal Met (Reported kW/Goal kW)
145%	Percentage of Energy Reduction Goal Met (Reported kWh/Goal kWh)
TRUE	Met Requirements for Performance Bonus?
\$8,189,770	Total Avoided Cost [Reported kW * PV (Avoided Capacity Cost)] + [Reported kWh * PV (Avoided Energy Cost)]
\$2,627,871	Total Program Costs
\$5,561,899	Net Benefits (Total Avoided Cost – Total Expenses)

**Bonus Calculation**

\$1,384,815	Calculated Bonus [(Achieved Demand Reduction/Demand Goal - 100%) / 2] * Net Benefits
\$556,190	Maximum Bonus Allowed (10% of Net Benefits)
\$556,190	<i>Bonus (Minimum of Calculated Bonus and Bonus Limit)</i>



Schedule E  
Calculation of Requested EECRF by Customer Class

AEP TX North Division			
2018 Program Costs Above Base Rates	\$1,837,772		86.26%
EM&V Evaluation of Program Years 2016 & 2017	\$62,430		2.93%
2016 (Over)/Under Recovery	(\$328,734)		-15.43%
Calculated Performance Bonus for 2016	\$556,190		26.11%
Municipal EECRF Proceeding Expenses	\$2,891		0.14%
Adjusted EECR Revenue Requirement	\$2,130,548		100.00%

Class	Adjusted EECR			2018		
	Revenue Requirement	Forecasted Billing Unit	2018 EECR Factor	Revenue Requirement	Forecasted Billing Unit	2018 EECR Factor
Residential	\$1,080,826	1,800,603,245	\$0.000600 kWh			
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$90,568	137,366,262	\$0.000659 kWh			
Secondary > 10 kW	\$1,179,204	1,774,615,854	\$0.000664 kWh			
Primary	(\$223,544)	1,555,840,722	(\$0.000144) kWh			
Transmission	\$3,494	628,025	\$0.005563 kW			
Lighting	\$0	42,917,049	\$0.000000 kWh			
Total	\$2,130,548					

Class	2018 program costs		2016 Over/Under		2016 Bonus		45928		2018 EECR	
	Revenue Requirement	Billing Unit	Revenue Requirement	Billing Unit	Revenue Requirement	Billing Unit	Revenue Requirement	Billing Unit	Revenue Requirement	Billing Unit
Residential	\$946,692	\$120,508	\$253,291	\$1,351	\$1,080,826	1,800,603,245	\$0.000600 kWh			
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$50,193	\$20,230	\$20,072	\$74	\$90,568	137,366,262	\$0.000659 kWh			
Secondary > 10 kW	739,841	155,465	\$282,827	\$1,071	\$1,179,204	1,774,615,854	\$0.000664 kWh			
Primary	\$174,450	(\$398,389)	\$0	\$395	(\$223,544)	1,555,840,722	(\$0.000144) kWh			
Transmission	(\$10,974)	\$14,468	\$0	\$0	\$3,494	628,025	\$0.005563 kW			
Lighting	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0	42,917,049	\$0.000000 kWh			
Total	\$1,900,202	(\$328,734)	\$556,190	\$2,891	\$2,130,548					

AEP TEXAS - NORTH DIVISION  
TARIFF FOR ELECTRIC DELIVERY SERVICE

Applicable: Certified Service Area previously served by AEP Texas North Company

Chapter: 6 Section: 6.1.1

Section Title: Delivery System Charges

Revision: Ninth Effective Date: March 1, 2018

**6.1.1.6.6 Rider EECRF – Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factors**

**AVAILABILITY**

Rider EECRF recovers the cost of energy efficiency programs not already included in base distribution service rates and is applicable to the kWh sales of Retail Customers taking retail electric delivery service from the Company.

**APPLICABILITY**

The Rider EECRF is applicable to the current month’s billed kWh of each Retail Customer taking electric delivery service from the Company.

**MONTHLY RATE**

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Factor</u>	
Residential Service	\$0.000600 per kWh	I
Secondary Service Less than or Equal to 10 kW	\$0.000659 per kWh	I
Secondary Service Greater than 10 kW	\$0.000664 per kWh	I
Primary Service	(\$0.000144) per kWh	R
Transmission Service	\$0.005563 per kW	I

**ID Notice Customer Base Rate Credit**

For distribution industrial customers meeting the definition and fulfilling the requirements in 16 TAC§25.181(c)(30) and (w) (ID Notice Customers) the following base rate energy efficiency credit will apply.

Secondary Service Less Than or Equal to 10 kW	(\$0.000256)	per kWh
Secondary Service Greater Than 10 kW	(\$0.067725)	per distribution kW
Primary	(\$0.076100)	per distribution kW

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AEP Texas - North Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing

PUC Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Schedule G (Cap)

Schedule G  
Cap Calculation

TNC			
2018 Program Costs Above Base Rates (no EM&V cost)	\$1,837,772		88.99%
2016 (Over)/Under Recovery (no incentive comp)	(\$328,734)		-15.92%
Calculated Performance Bonus for 2016	\$556,190		26.93%
Adjusted EECR Revenue Requirement (no EM&V cost)	\$2,065,228		100.00%

TNC South Urban CPI 1.11%

Class	Adjusted EECR Revenue Requirement (no EM&V cost)	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit	2018 Proposed EECR Factor (no EM&V)	Unit
Residential	\$1,050,302	1,800,603,245	\$0.000583	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$88,902	137,366,262	\$0.000647	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$1,155,002	1,774,615,854	\$0.000651	kWh
Primary	(\$232,472)	1,555,840,722	(\$0.000149)	kWh
Transmission	\$3,494	628,025	\$0.005563	kW
Lighting	\$0	42,917,049	\$0.000000	kWh
Total (no EM&V cost)	\$2,065,227	5,311,971,157		

Class	Base Rate per Final Order in Docket No. 39361 Including Revenue Adjustment	2018 Proposed EECR Factor (no EM&V)	2018 Total Base + EECRF (no Unadjusted EM&V)	2018 Cap
Residential	\$0.000358	\$0.000583	\$0.000941	\$0.001277
Non-Residential	\$0.000279	\$0.000292	\$0.000570	\$0.000790

Calculation of Non-Residential per kWh Rate	
2018 Rev Req	\$1,011,432
2018 kWh	3,467,822,838
Combined per kWh	\$0.000292
Base Rev Req	\$683,762
Base kWh	2,833,233,419
Combined per kWh	\$0.000241
Adjustment to Comm	130,667
2016 Comm kWh	3,506,822,165
per kWh adjustment	\$0.000037
Total 2018 per kWh	\$0.000570

2015 Cap Analysis		2016 Actual Billing kWh (less ID Notice)	2016 Cap As Prescribed in
TNC	2014 Performance Bonus	1,743,819,551	\$25.181(f)(6)(B)
Residential	Actual 2016 Program Costs*	1,743,819,551	\$0.001266
Non-Residential		3,353,630,795	\$0.000728
Total		5,097,450,346	\$0.000434
*less TetraTech EM&V costs & multi expenses			

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Schedule H (proj kWh)

Schedule H

Texas North Company Projected 2018 Retail kWh Sales **5,636,243,488**

Rate Classes	2016 Historical		Percent of Total kWh	2018 Forecasted	
	Billing Units	Customer ID Notice kWh		Billing Unit	Unit
Residential	1,743,819,551	3,806,186	31.95%	1,800,603,245	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	136,720,444	24,323,220	2.50%	137,366,262	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	1,742,207,861	125,061,964	31.92%	1,774,615,854	kWh
Primary	1,627,893,860		29.82%	1,555,840,722	kWh
Transmission	166,293,984		3.05%	171,708,986	kWh
Lighting	41,563,620		0.76%	42,917,049	kWh
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,458,499,320</b>	<b>153,191,370</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>5,483,052,118</b>	
		ID Notice kWh		153,191,370	
		Total 2018 kWh		5,636,243,488	

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Schedule I  
Energy Efficiency Program Costs Included in Base Rates

Docket No. 33310 Final Order

Class	Distribution - FERC Account 907	Distribution - Function Allocator	Customer Service - FERC Account 907	Customer Service Function Allocator	Total Energy Efficiency Costs Expressly Included in Base Rates	Docket No. 33310 Billing Data	Base Distribution Billing Unit	Docket No. 33310 EE Rate per Billing Unit	2016 Billing Unit	2016 EE Base Revenue - 16 TAC \$ 25.161	Adjustment to Base Revenue	Distribution Function Allocator	Weighted Allocator
Residential	\$602,129	46.553%	\$783.7	77.215%	\$602,913	1,713,078,230	KWh	\$0.000352	1,743,819,551	\$613,824	\$10,911	46.553%	46.834%
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$37,472	2.697%	\$148.5	14.628%	\$37,620	146,926,027	KWh	\$0.000256	138,720,444	\$35,000	(\$2,620)	2.697%	2.815%
Secondary > 10 kW IDR	\$77,527	5.984%	\$8.5	0.841%	\$77,536	962,774	KW	\$0.087725	1,109,108.10	\$75,114	(\$2,422)	5.984%	6.030%
Secondary > 10 kW Non-IDR	\$389,286	30.869%	\$66.9	6.592%	\$389,333	6,068,441	KW	\$0.067725	6,235,919.80	\$422,328	\$22,995	30.869%	31.055%
Primary IDR	\$160,223	12.388%	\$4.1	0.400%	\$160,227	2,081,550	KW	\$0.076100	3,447,747.00	\$282,374	\$102,146	12.388%	12.462%
Primary Non-IDR	\$9,045	0.699%	\$1.4	0.135%	\$9,046	142,816	KW	\$0.076100	257,732.70	\$18,613	\$10,567	0.699%	0.704%
Transmission	\$7,753	0.599%	\$0.8	0.083%	\$7,754	443,710	KW	\$0.017474	628,025.10	\$10,974	\$3,221	0.599%	0.600%
Lighting	\$0	0.000%	\$1.1	0.107%	\$1.09	57,943,901	KWh	\$0.000000	41,563,620	\$0	(\$1)	0.000%	0.000%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,293,415</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>\$1,015</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>\$1,284,430</b>				<b>41,563,620</b>	<b>\$1,439,228</b>	<b>\$144,798</b>	<b>99.401%</b>	<b>100.000%</b>

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**Schedule J**

**Energy Efficiency Service Providers Who  
Received More Than 5% of the Total Incentive Funds for 2016**

A list of the energy service providers, those receiving more than 5% of the total incentive funds for 2016 and the associated contracts are provided.

The information provided in Schedule J is voluminous. The information is also CONFIDENTIAL, under the terms of the Protective Order. The Confidential information is available for review at the Austin offices of American Electric Power Company (AEP), 400 West 15th Street, Suite 1520, Austin, Texas, 78701, (512) 481-4562, during normal business hours, by parties to this case who have agreed to be bound by the Protective Order.

Schedule K - Affiliate Costs  
AEP Texas North Division Affiliates Costs - 2016

Line	Cost Type	Department	Project Description	Affiliates	2016 (\$)	Discussion of Reasonableness & Necessity/No Higher Than Standard
1	Administrative Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100551 EE/DR ECRF	AEP Texas Central	109	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
2	Administrative Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	TXDSM/ANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEP Texas Central	48,773	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
3	Administrative Costs	10764 Legal GC/Administration	TXDSM/ANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	27	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
4	Administrative Costs	13168 Legal Reg Services West	TXDSM/ANDA Texas DSM Admin & General	AEPSC	200	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
5	Total Administrative Costs				\$ 489,109	
6	Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100547 DSM - EM&V	AEP Texas Central	11,987	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
7	Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100555 EE/DR Efficiency/Commerction MTP	AEP Texas Central	117	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
8	Program Direct Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100557 EE/DR Res DR Pilot - Ecrb Met	AEP Texas Central	88	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
9	Total Program Direct Costs				\$ 12,192	
10	R&D Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	223	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
11	R&D Costs	10329 TX EE/DR Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEP Texas Central	3,996	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
12	R&D Costs	11060 Customer and Dipor Services	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	381	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
13	R&D Costs	12883 EE & Consumer Programs	EON100535 EE/DR R&D	AEPSC	1,148	See Direct Testimonies of Robert Cavazos, Rhonda Fahrlander and Brian Frank
14	Total R&D Costs				\$ 5,548	
15	Grand Total				\$ 669,850	

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**SCHEDULE M**

Residential & Commercial EULs

Residential & Commercial EULs				
Sector	TRM Measure	Energy Efficiency Measure	EUL (years)	TRM Version
Custom	NA	Custom	NA	NA
Residential	2.1.1	Res Standard Compact Fluorescent Lamps (10,000 to 11,000 hour Rated Measure Life)	11.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.1	Res Standard Compact Fluorescent Lamps (11,001 to 13,500 hour Rated Measure Life)	13.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.1	Res Standard Compact Fluorescent Lamps (13,501 to 17,500 hour Rated Measure Life)	16.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.1	Res Standard Compact Fluorescent Lamps (≥ 17,501 hour Rated Measure Life)	20.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.2	Res Specialty Compact Fluorescent Lamps (10,000 to 11,000 hour Rated Measure Life)	11.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.2	Res Specialty Compact Fluorescent Lamps (11,001 to 13,500 hour Rated Measure Life)	13.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.2	Res Specialty Compact Fluorescent Lamps (13,501 to 17,500 hour Rated Measure Life)	16.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.2	Res Specialty Compact Fluorescent Lamps (≥ 17,501 hour Rated Measure Life)	20.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.3	Res Energy Star Omni-Directional LED Lamps	20.0	3.1
Residential	2.1.4	Res Energy Star Specialty and Directional LED Lamps	20.0	3.1
Residential	2.2.1	Res Duct Efficiency Improvement	18.0	3.1
Residential	2.2.2	Res Central AC	18.0	3.1
Residential	2.2.3	Res Ground Source Heat Pump	20.0	3.1
Residential	2.2.4	Res Central Heat Pump	15.0	3.1
Residential	2.2.5	Res Room (Window) Air Conditioner	8.0	3.1
Residential	2.3.1	Res Air Infiltration	11.0	3.1
Residential	2.3.2	Res Ceiling Insulation	25.0	3.1
Residential	2.3.3	Res Wall Insulation	25.0	3.1
Residential	2.3.4	Res Floor Insulation	25.0	3.1
Residential	2.3.5	Res Energy Star Windows	25.0	3.1
Residential	2.3.6	Res Solar Screens	10.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.1	Res Faucet Aerators	10.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.2	Res Low-Flow Showerheads	10.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.3	Res Water Heater Pipe Insulation	13.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.4	Res Water Heater Tank Insulation	7.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.5	Res Water Heater Installation-Electric Tankless	20.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.5	Res Water Heater Installation-Fuel Substitution	11.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.6	Res Heat Pump Water Heater	13.0	3.1
Residential	2.4.7	Res Water Heater Replacement-Solar Water Heating	15.0	3.1
Residential	2.5.1	Res Energy Star Ceiling Fans	10.0	3.1
Residential	2.5.2	Res Energy Star Clothes Washer	11.0	3.1
Residential	2.5.3	Res Energy Star Dishwashers	15.0	3.1
Residential	2.5.4	Res Energy Star Refrigerators	16.0	3.1
Residential	2.6.1	Res Solar Photovoltaic (PV)	30.0	3.1
Residential	2.7.1	Res Direct Load Control of Outdoor Compressor Units	1.0	3.1
Residential	2.7.2	Res Direct Load Control of Swimming Pool Pump Motors	1.0	3.1
Residential	2.8.1	Res Refrigerator/Freezer Recycling	8.0	3.1
Residential	TRM v4	Residential New Homes	23.0	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: Halogen Lamps	1.5	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: High Intensity Discharge Lamps	15.5	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: Integrated-ballast CCFL Lamps	4.5	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: Integrated-ballast CFL Lamps	2.5	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: Integral LED Lamps	9.0	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: Light Emitting Diode	15.0	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: Modular CFL and CCFL Fixtures	16.0	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: T8 and T5 Linear Fluorescents	15.5	3.1
Commercial	2.1.1	Comm Lamps and Fixtures: LEDs or T8 and T5 Linear Fluorescents replacing T12s with magnetic ballasts	8.5	3.1
Commercial	2.1.2	Comm Lighting Controls: Occupancy Sensor	10.0	3.1
Commercial	2.1.2	Comm Lighting Controls: PhotoCell (Daylighting Control)	10.0	3.1
Commercial	2.1.2	Comm Lighting Controls: Timedclock	10.0	3.1
Commercial	2.1.2	Comm Lighting Controls: Tuning Control	10.0	3.1
Commercial	2.2.1	Comm Split System/Single Packaged Heat Pumps and Air Conditioners	15.0	3.1
Commercial	2.2.2	Comm HVAC Chillers: Screw / Scroll / Reciprocating Chillers	20.0	3.1
Commercial	2.2.2	Comm HVAC Chillers: Centrifugal Chillers	25.0	3.1
Commercial	2.2.3	Comm Packaged Terminal Air Conditioners, Heat Pumps	15.0	3.1
Commercial	2.2.3	Comm Room Air Conditioners	11.0	3.1
Commercial	2.2.4	Comm HVAC VFD on AHU Supply Fans	15.0	3.1
Commercial	2.3.1	Comm Energy Star Roofs	15.0	3.1
Commercial	2.3.2	Comm Window Film	10.0	3.1
Commercial	2.4.1	Comm High Efficiency Combination Ovens	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.4.2	Comm High Efficiency Electric Convection Ovens	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.4.3	Comm Energy Star Commercial Dishwashers	11.0	3.1
Commercial	2.4.4	Comm Hot Food Holding Cabinets	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.4.5	Comm Energy Star Electric Fryers	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.4.6	Comm Pre-Rinse Spray Valves	5.0	3.1



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#### **Schedule L Bidding and Engagement Process**

AEP Texas North Division uses several procedural paths through which it contracts with energy efficiency service providers (EESPs) for the purpose of implementing energy efficiency (EE) and demand response (DR) programs to achieve its goals. The procedures and processes the North Division uses differ according to the program type, as shown in more detail below.

##### **Standard Offer Program (SOP) Process**

The North Division posts specific program application procedures and timelines along with program manuals on its web site ([aeptexas.com/save](http://aeptexas.com/save)). In accordance with the published schedule, EESPs may submit their project applications and all supplemental documentation required for participation in a program.

As part of the application process, EESPs describe the project measures to be installed, including applicable measurement and verification methods (M&V). The M&V plan may include approved deemed savings values or the appropriate International Performance Measurement and Verification Protocol (IPMVP) to be utilized, as approved in the most recent Texas Technical Reference Manual.

The North Division reviews each Project Application on a first-come, first-served basis. Contracts are awarded based upon each EESP's timely and complete submission of the application, qualifications, history and appropriate reference information, and potential ability to help meet program goals. The North Division may request clarification of, or additional information about, any item submitted as part of the Project Application. A Project Application may be rejected for failure to meet the required procedures or deadlines.

Each EESP is notified of its application status according to program procedures and, if approved as a Project Sponsor, the associated incentive budget. For any programs that require a Project Sponsor security deposit, the security deposit must be provided within the published timeline.

For residential projects, The North Division and the approved Project Sponsor enter into a standard offer agreement contract. When the SOP agreement is fully executed, the Project Sponsor may begin to solicit and engage residential customers to implement eligible EE measures.

EESPs or qualified commercial customers identify and submit applications for the installation of EE measures at commercial customer sites. Applications are reviewed as described above. The North Division and the approved Project Sponsor enter into a standard offer agreement contract for the implementation of the EE measures or projects at specified commercial customer sites.

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**Schedule L  
Bidding and Engagement Process**

**Market Transformation Program (MTP) Process**

The North Division may implement an MTP as a full program or as a limited MTP pilot. Programs may be selected based on a concept presented by an EESP or from observation of successful programs already implemented at another utility. For programs proposed by an EESP that are deemed viable, the North Division may contract with the initiating EESP to implement the program on a limited pilot basis for a period typically no longer than two years.

When a pilot program has been deemed successful by the North Division and a baseline study has been completed, a competitive solicitation process is implemented. A Request for Proposals (RFP) is developed and may be posted on industry-related websites and/or may be sent electronically to all EESPs who have contacted the North Division and expressed an interest in implementing such programs in the Texas market.

Interested EESPs submit program proposals according to the published requirements and schedule. The North Division forms an internal proposal evaluation and scoring team, and all proposals are individually evaluated according to standard scoring criteria. References submitted by EESPs are contacted and interviewed. Scoring and reference results are consolidated and the EESP proposal with the highest score is selected for further negotiation as the program implementer.

**Retail Electric Provider (REP) Engagement Process**

AEP Texas' Competitive Retail Relations department hosts an annual communications workshop for all Texas REPs. Detailed EE program information is disseminated to the REPs in attendance, along with an opportunity for the REPs to ask questions about participating in existing programs and also to provide suggestions of program ideas.

REPs are encouraged to submit a program template for a new program to AEP Texas' energy efficiency department, either alone or through an EESP. For programs proposed by an REP that AEP Texas deems viable, AEP Texas may contract with the initiating REP to implement the program on a limited pilot basis for a period typically no longer than two years.

**SCHEDULE M**

**Residential & Commercial EULs**

<b>Residential &amp; Commercial EULs</b>				
Commercial	2.4.7	Comm Energy Star Electric Steam Cookers	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.1	Comm Door Heater Controls	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.2	Comm ECM Evaporator Fan Motor	15.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.3	Comm Electronic Defrost Controls	10.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.4	Comm Evaporator Fan Controls	16.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.5	Comm Night Covers for Open Refrigerated Display Cases	5.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.6	Comm Solid and Glass Door Reach-Ins	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.7	Comm Strip Curtains for Walk-In Refrigerated Storage	4.0	3.1
Commercial	2.5.8	Comm Zero Energy Doors for Refrigerated Cases	12.0	3.1
Commercial	2.6.1	Comm Vending Machine Controls	5.0	3.1
Commercial	2.6.2	Comm Lodging Guest Room Occupancy Sensor Controls	10.0	3.1
Commercial	2.6.3	Comm Pump-On Controller	15.0	3.1
Commercial	2.7.1	Comm Solar Photovoltaic (PV)	30.0	3.1
Commercial	2.8.1	Comm Load Curtailment	1.0	3.1

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**Schedule N**

**2018 Projected Energy Efficiency Goals and Objectives**

<b>Average Peak Demand at Meter (MW)</b>	<b>Goal Metric: 0.4% Peak Demand (MW)</b>	<b>Peak Demand Goal (MW)<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Energy Goal (MWh)<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>Projected Demand Reduction (MW)<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Projected Energy Savings (MWh)<sup>3</sup></b>
1,004	4.02	4.26	7,464	6.15	12,795

1 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(E) - A utility's demand reduction goal in megawatts for any year shall not be less than the previous year's goal.

2 TNC's Energy Savings Goal, calculated according to PUC Rules, is based on a 20% Capacity Factor.

3 Please refer to Section D of Ms. Fahrlander's testimony for an explanation of how the Projected Demand Reduction and Energy Savings Objectives were determined.

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**Schedule O**

**2018 Projected Energy Efficiency Program Savings**

<b>Customer Class and Program</b>	<b>Demand Reduction Target (MW)</b>	<b>Energy Savings Target (MWh)</b>
<b>Commercial</b>		
Commercial Solutions MTP	0.40	2,909
Commercial SOP	0.42	2,660
Load Management SOP	2.18	8
Open MTP	0.41	1,630
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	0.16	1,280
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	0.07	216
<b>Residential</b>		
Residential SOP	1.24	2,630
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	0.05	175
Whisker Labs Residential DR Pilot MTP	0.50	0
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>		
Hard-to-Reach SOP	0.61	1,040
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	0.11	247
<b>Total Annual Projected Savings</b>	<b>6.15</b>	<b>12,795</b>

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**TNC SCHEDULE P**

**2016 Energy Efficiency Programs' Cost - Net Benefit Ratio**

2016 Customer Class and Program		Savings		Costs		Benefits			Benefit-Cost		
		kW	kWh	Total Program Costs	Avoided Capacity Costs	Avoided Energy Costs	Total Avoided Cost	Net Benefits	Ben-Cost Ratio		
<b>Commercial</b>											
	Commercial Solutions MTP	4,804	6,931,674	\$ 1,679,924	\$ 1,387,188	\$ 3,433,400	\$ 4,820,589	\$ 3,140,665		2.87	
	Commercial SOP	294	2,220,044	\$ 449,829	\$ 232,648	\$ 1,130,993	\$ 1,363,641	\$ 913,813		3.03	
	Load Management SOP	303	1,743,971	\$ 263,048	\$ 228,347	\$ 819,256	\$ 1,047,603	\$ 784,556		3.98	
	Open MTP	382	5,767	\$ 113,796	\$ 256,506	\$ 279	\$ 256,785	\$ 142,989		2.26	
	SCORE/CitySmart MTP	387	1,843,603	\$ 572,036	\$ 285,488	\$ 881,189	\$ 1,166,677	\$ 594,641		2.04	
	SMARTSource Solar PV MTP - Commercial	60	1,001,809	\$ 212,758	\$ 312,777	\$ 514,113	\$ 826,890	\$ 614,132		3.89	
<b>Residential</b>											
	Earth Networks Res Dr Pilot	1,251	2,921,311	\$ 863,662	\$ 809,233	\$ 1,696,441	\$ 2,505,675	\$ 1,642,013		2.90	
	Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	388	-	\$ 23,327	\$ 29,463	\$ -	\$ 29,463	\$ 6,136		1.26	
	Residential SOP	33	138,277	\$ 110,258	\$ 31,691	\$ 85,127	\$ 116,818	\$ 6,560		1.06	
	SMARTSource Solar PV MTP - Residential	753	2,632,186	\$ 609,426	\$ 655,581	\$ 1,497,906	\$ 2,153,487	\$ 1,544,061		3.53	
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>											
	Hard-to-Reach SOP	78	150,848	\$ 120,651	\$ 92,498	\$ 113,409	\$ 205,907	\$ 85,255		1.71	
	Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	230	736,447	\$ 248,016	\$ 209,860	\$ 424,457	\$ 634,317	\$ 386,301		2.56	
	Portfolio Total	230	736,447	\$ 248,016	\$ 209,860	\$ 424,457	\$ 634,317	\$ 386,301		2.56	
		95	227,901	\$ 353,349	\$ 90,089	\$ 139,101	\$ 229,190	\$ (124,159)		0.65	
		6,381	10,817,333	\$ 3,144,950	\$ 2,496,371	\$ 5,693,399	\$ 8,189,770	\$ 5,044,820		2.60	

Schedule Q  
System and Line Losses

North Division kWh sales forecast for 2018 is based on energy delivered at the meter so it was not necessary to adjust the EECRF factors for system and line losses.

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Schedule R

2018 Energy Efficiency Programs

Program	Customer Class	Description
Commercial Solutions MTP	Commercial	Provides energy efficiency and demand reduction solutions for commercial customers identified as having a need for energy efficiency improvements and needing support from an outside source. Facilitates the identification of demand and energy savings opportunities, operating characteristics, long-range energy efficiency planning, and overall measure and program acceptance by the targeted customers. Incentives are paid to participating customers for eligible measures installed in new or retrofit applications which provide verifiable demand and energy savings.
Commercial SOP	Commercial	Provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of measures that reduce customer energy costs and reduce peak demand and/or save energy in non-residential facilities. Customer sites may include hotels, schools, manufacturing facilities, restaurants, and larger grocery stores. Eligible measures may include lighting, new or replacement chiller systems, high efficiency pumping systems, and other similar technologies as allowed by the program. Incentives are paid to project sponsors based on of deemed savings or on verified peak demand and/or energy savings using the International Performance Measurement and Verification Protocol.
Hard-to-Reach SOP	Hard-to-Reach	Targets a specific subset of residential customers as defined by 16 TAC § 25.181(c)(27) as customers with a total household income that is less than 200% of the federal poverty guidelines. The program provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of measures that reduce residential customer energy costs and peak demand. It is designed to cost-effectively provide energy efficiency improvements to individual households at no or very low cost. Eligible measures include replacement air conditioners, wall and ceiling insulation and air distribution duct improvements in existing homes. Incentives are paid to Energy Efficiency Service Providers (EESPs) for eligible measures on the basis of deemed savings.
Load Management SOP	Commercial	Targets commercial customers that have a minimum demand of 500 kW or more. Incentives are paid to project sponsors that can identify and interrupt electric load on short notice. These payments are based on the delivery of metered demand reduction.
Open MTP	Commercial	Targets small commercial customers (peak demands not exceeding 100 kW in the previous 12 consecutive billings months) with limited ability to implement energy efficiency measures or to actively seek the help of a professional EESP. Available incentives are paid directly to the contractor, thereby reducing a portion of the project cost for the customer.
Residential SOP	Residential	Provides incentives for the installation of a wide range of measures that reduce residential customer energy costs and cost-effectively reduce peak demand. It is also designed to encourage private sector delivery of energy efficient products and services. Eligible measures include replacement air conditioners, wall and ceiling insulation and air distribution duct improvements. Incentives are paid to EESPs for eligible measures installed in retrofit applications on the basis of deemed savings.
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	Commercial	Provides energy efficiency and demand reduction solutions for cities and public schools. SCORE/CitySmart will facilitate the identification of demand and energy savings opportunities, operating characteristics, long-range energy efficiency planning and overall measure and program acceptance by the targeted cities and schools. Incentives are paid to participating cities and public school partners for certain measures installed in new or retrofit applications which provide verifiable demand and energy savings.
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	Commercial & Residential	Provides incentives for residential and commercial customers that install solar electric (photovoltaic) systems interconnected on the customer's side of the electric service meter.
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	Low-Income Residential	Designed to cost-effectively reduce the energy consumption and energy costs of participating low-income customers. The program provides eligible residential customers with appropriate weatherization measures and basic on-site energy education. This program enhances and supplements the federally funded Weatherization Assistance Program.
Whisker Labs Residential Thermostat DR Pilot MTP	Residential	Whisker Labs (WL), formerly known as Earth Networks (EN), will use their Connected Savings platform to deliver an Integrated Demand Side Management (IDMS) aggregation program that will bring residential demand savings.



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## INTRODUCTION

AEP Texas Inc. d/b/a AEP Texas (AEP Texas or Company) presents this Energy Efficiency Plan and Report (EEPR) to comply with Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC or Commission) 16 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 25.181 and 25.183 (TAC) (EE Rule), which implement the Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA) § 39.905. Effective December 31, 2016, AEP Texas Central Company (TCC) and AEP Texas North Company (TNC) were merged into their parent company, now called AEP Texas. The merger was approved by the Commission in Docket No. 46050 – *Application of AEP Texas Central Company, AEP Texas North Company, and AEP Utilities, Inc. for Approval of Merger*. The Commission ordered AEP Texas to “maintain separate TCC and TNC divisions, which will continue to charge separate rates and riders, and maintain separate tariffs, unless and until such time as the Commission may consider and approve consolidated rates and tariffs.”<sup>1</sup> Consistent with the Commission’s order, AEP Texas is maintaining two divisions within AEP Texas: AEP Texas – Central Division (formerly TCC) and AEP Texas – North Division (formerly TNC). Therefore, this EEPR filing for AEP Texas presents separate sets of information for the two divisions of AEP Texas.

As mandated by PURA § 39.905, the EE Rule requires that each investor-owned electric transmission and distribution utility (TDU) achieve the following demand reduction goals through market-based standard offer programs (SOPs) and targeted market transformation programs (MTPs). 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1) provides in pertinent part as follows:

- (e)(1) An electric utility shall administer a portfolio of energy efficiency programs to acquire, at a minimum, the following:
- (B) Beginning with the 2013 program year, until the trigger described in subparagraph (C) of this paragraph is reached, the utility shall acquire a 30% reduction of its annual growth in demand of residential and commercial customers.
  - (C) If the demand reduction goal to be acquired by a utility under subparagraph (B) of this paragraph is equivalent to at least four-tenths of 1% its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers for the previous program year, the utility shall meet the energy efficiency goal described in subparagraph (D) of this paragraph for each subsequent program year.
  - (D) Once the trigger described in subparagraph (C) of this paragraph is reached, the utility shall acquire four-tenths of 1% of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers for the previous program year.

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<sup>1</sup> Docket No. 46050, *Application of AEP Texas Central Company, AEP Texas North Company, and AEP Utilities, Inc. for Approval of Merger*, Final Order at Ordering Paragraph No. 2 (Dec. 12, 2016).

- (E) Except as adjusted in accordance with subsection (w) of this section, a utility's demand reduction goal in any year shall not be lower than its goal for the prior year, unless the commission establishes a goal for a utility pursuant to paragraph (2) of this subsection.

The EE Rule includes specific requirements related to the implementation of SOPs and MTPs that control the manner in which TDUs must administer their portfolio of energy efficiency programs in order to achieve their mandated annual demand reduction goals. AEP Texas' plans enable it to meet its statutory goals through implementation of energy efficiency programs in a manner that complies with PURA § 39.905 and the EE Rule. This EEPR covers the periods of time required in the EE Rule. The following section describes the information that is contained in each of the subsequent sections and appendices.

### **EEPR Organization**

This EEPR consists of an Executive Summary, fourteen sections, a list of acronyms, and four appendices for each division of AEP Texas.

- Executive Summary summarizes AEP Texas' plans for achieving its goals and projected energy efficiency savings for program years 2017 and 2018 and highlights AEP Texas' achievements for Program Year 2016.

### **Energy Efficiency Plan**

- Section I describes the program portfolio. It details how programs will be implemented, presents related informational and outreach activities, and provides an introduction to any programs not included in the 2016 EEPR.
- Section II explains the targeted customer classes, describes the estimated size of each class and the method of determining those class sizes.
- Section III presents the energy and demand goals and projected savings for the prescribed planning period detailed by program for each customer class.
- Section IV describes the proposed energy efficiency budgets for the prescribed planning period detailed by program for each customer class.

### **Energy Efficiency Report**

- Section V documents the demand reduction goal for each of the previous five years (2012-2016) based on its weather-adjusted peak demand and actual savings achieved for those years.
- Section VI compares the projected energy and demand savings to its reported and verified savings by program for calendar years 2015 and 2016.
- Section VII details the incentive and administration expenditures for each of the previous five years (2012-2016) detailed by program for each customer class.
- Section VIII compares the actual 2016 expenditures with the 2016 budget by program for each customer class. It identifies funds committed but not expended and funds remaining and not committed. It also explains any cost differences of more than 10% from the overall program budget and from each program budget.
- Section IX describes the results from the MTPs.

- Section X describes Administrative costs and Research and Development activities.
- Section XI documents the 2017 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF).
- Section XII documents the 2016 EECRF Summary.
- Section XIII documents the Underserved Counties.
- Section XIV describes the Performance Bonus calculation for Program Year 2016.

**Acronyms**

- A list of abbreviations for common terms used within this document.

**Appendices**

- Appendix A – Reported and verified demand and energy reductions by county for each program.
- Appendix B – Program templates for any new or significantly modified programs and programs not included in the previous EEPR.
- Appendix C – Existing energy efficiency contracts and obligations.
- Appendix D – Data, explanations, or documents supporting other sections of the EEPR.

**Executive Summary – Energy Efficiency Plan (Plan)**

AEP Texas makes this filing which includes information for the Central Division and North Division. Required details such as goals, budgets, program results, etc. will be provided for each division separately throughout this EEPR.

The Central Division plans to achieve its 2017 mandated demand and energy goals of 15,830 kW and 27,734,000 kWh as shown in Table 1 below through residential and non-residential SOPs and MTPs. The Central Division will utilize a budget of \$14,259,483 to accomplish these goals.

**Table 1: Summary of Central Division Goals, Projected Savings (at the Meter),<sup>2</sup> and Budgets**

Calendar Year	Average Peak Demand at Meter (MW)	Goal Metric: 0.4% Peak Demand (MW)	Peak Demand Goal (MW)	Energy Goal (MWh)	Projected Demand Reduction (MW)	Projected Energy Savings (MWh)	Projected Budget (000's)*
2017	3,958	15.83	15.83	27,734	43.78	65,693	\$14,259
2018	3,998	15.99	15.99	28,014	43.78	65,693	\$14,259

\* The 2017 and 2018 Projected Budgets include costs associated with Evaluation, Measurement & Verification activities.

<sup>2</sup> Average Growth in Demand figures are from Table 5; Projected Savings from Table 6; Projected Budgets from Table 7.

The North Division plans to achieve its 2017 mandated demand and energy goals of 4,260 kW and 7,464,000 kWh as shown in Table 2 below through residential and non-residential SOPs and MTPs. The North Division will utilize a budget of \$3,308,221 to accomplish these goals.

**Table 2: Summary of North Division Goals, Projected Savings (at the Meter),<sup>3</sup> and Budgets**

Calendar Year	Average Peak Demand at Meter (MW)	Goal Metric: 0.4% Peak Demand (MW)	Peak Demand Goal (MW)	Energy Goal (MWh)	Projected Demand Reduction (MW)	Projected Energy Savings (MWh)	Projected Budget (000's)*
2017	998	3.99	4.26	7,464	6.15	12,795	\$3,308
2018	1,004	4.02	4.26	7,464	6.15	12,795	\$3,308

\* The 2017 and 2018 Projected Budgets include costs associated with Evaluation, Measurement & Verification activities.

### Executive Summary – Energy Efficiency Report (Report)

The Central Division achieved demand and energy reductions of 39,300 kW and 67,713,790 kWh, respectively, in 2016. The total energy efficiency cost for achieving these savings was \$13,622,054. The Central Division’s achievement exceeded the 2016 mandated energy efficiency goals of 15,730 kW and 27,559,000 kWh, thus allowing the Central Division to earn a Performance Bonus.

The North Division achieved demand and energy reductions of 6,381 kW and 10,817,333 kWh, respectively, in 2016. The total energy efficiency cost for achieving these savings was \$2,622,844. The North Division’s achievement exceeded the 2016 mandated energy efficiency goals of 4,260 kW and 7,464,000 kWh, thus allowing the North Division to earn a Performance Bonus.

A broad portfolio of residential and non-residential SOPs and MTPs was used to accomplish these savings.

<sup>3</sup> Average Growth in Demand figures are from Table 16; Projected Savings from Table 17; Projected Budgets from Table 18.

## **ENERGY EFFICIENCY PLAN – AEP TEXAS CENTRAL DIVISION**

### **I. 2017 Programs**

#### ***A. 2017 Program Portfolio***

The Central Division has implemented a variety of programs in 2017 to enable it to meet its goals in a manner that complies with PURA § 39.905 and the EE Rule. These programs target broad market segments and specific market sub-segments with significant opportunities for cost-effective energy savings.

Table 3 summarizes the programs and targeted customer class markets for Program Year 2017. The programs listed in Table 3 are described in further detail in Subsection B. AEP Texas maintains a web site containing information on participation and forms required for project submission at [www.AEPTexas.com](http://www.AEPTexas.com). This site is the primary method of communication used to provide program updates and information to Retail Electric Providers (REPs), potential Energy Efficiency Service Providers (EESPs), and other interested parties.

#### **Implementation Process**

MTPs are implemented by a third-party implementer. These implementers design, market and execute the applicable MTPs. Based on the specific MTP, the implementer may perform outreach activities to recruit local contractors and provide participating contractors specialized education, training/certification and tools as necessary. Implementers validate proposed measures/projects, perform quality assurance/quality control, and verify and report savings derived from the program.

SOPs are managed in-house with project sponsors providing eligible program measures. Project sponsors are typically EESPs; however, for commercial projects an AEP Texas end-use customer may serve as its own project sponsor. Eligible project sponsors can submit an application(s) for project(s) meeting the minimum SOP requirements.

AEP Texas monitors projects being submitted so as to not accept duplicate enrollments.



### Outreach Activities

- Promote internet web sites with program information including project eligibility, end-use measures, incentives, procedures, application forms, and in some cases a list of participating project sponsors and the available program budget;
- Utilize mass e-mail notifications to inform and update potential project sponsors on AEP Texas energy efficiency program opportunities;
- Conduct workshops as necessary to explain program elements such as responsibilities of the project participants, program requirements, incentive information and the application and reporting process;
- Conduct specific project sponsor/contractor training sessions as necessary based on the energy efficiency programs being implemented;
- Participate in local, regional, state-wide, and industry-related outreach activities as may be necessary; and
- Facilitate earned media opportunities, spotlighting successful projects and/or interesting stories as applicable.

**Table 3: 2017 Energy Efficiency Program Portfolio – Central Division**

<b>Program</b>	<b>Target Market</b>	<b>Application</b>	<b>Link to Program Manual</b>
Commercial Solutions MTP	Commercial	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/commercial-solutions/">https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/commercial-solutions/</a>
Commercial SOP	Commercial	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="https://aep-texas.com/global/utilities/lib/docs/save/business/programs/aep-texas/TcC/2016/2017%20AEP%20CSOP%20Manual.pdf">https://aep-texas.com/global/utilities/lib/docs/save/business/programs/aep-texas/TcC/2016/2017%20AEP%20CSOP%20Manual.pdf</a>
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	Commercial; Residential	Retrofit	<a href="https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/07/aep-tcc-coolsaver-2016-program-manual.pdf">https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/07/aep-tcc-coolsaver-2016-program-manual.pdf</a>
Hard-to-Reach SOP	Residential Hard-to-Reach	Retrofit	<a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/save/residential/programs/sTX/Hard-to-ReachStandardOffer.aspx">https://www.aeptexas.com/save/residential/programs/sTX/Hard-to-ReachStandardOffer.aspx</a>
High-Performance New Homes MTP	Residential	New Construction	<a href="http://www.southtxsaves.com/resources-and-tips">http://www.southtxsaves.com/resources-and-tips</a>
Load Management SOP	Commercial	Retrofit	<a href="https://aep-texas.com/global/utilities/lib/docs/save/business/programs/aep-texas/TCC/2016/LoadManagementProgram/2016_TCC_LM%20Manual.pdf">https://aep-texas.com/global/utilities/lib/docs/save/business/programs/aep-texas/TCC/2016/LoadManagementProgram/2016_TCC_LM%20Manual.pdf</a>
Open MTP	Commercial	Retrofit	<a href="https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/open-small-business/">https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/open-small-business/</a>
Residential SOP	Residential	Retrofit	<a href="https://aep-texas.com/save/residential/programs/sTX/ResidentialStandardOffer.aspx">https://aep-texas.com/save/residential/programs/sTX/ResidentialStandardOffer.aspx</a>
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	Commercial	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/score/">https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/score/</a> <a href="https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/citysmart/">https://www.aeptexasenergy.com/citysmart/</a>
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	Commercial; Residential	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="http://www.txreincents.com/apv/documents/AEP-TCC%20AEP-TNC%20PV%20Program%20Guidebook%202017%2020161114.pdf">http://www.txreincents.com/apv/documents/AEP-TCC%20AEP-TNC%20PV%20Program%20Guidebook%202017%2020161114.pdf</a>
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	Low-Income Residential	Retrofit	No website available
Whisker Labs Residential DR Pilot MTP	Residential	Retrofit	No website available

## ***B. Existing Programs***

### **Commercial Solutions Market Transformation Program (CS MTP)**

The CS MTP targets commercial customers (other than governmental and educational entities) that do not have the in-house expertise to: 1) identify, evaluate, and undertake energy efficiency improvements; 2) properly evaluate energy efficiency proposals from vendors; and/or 3) understand how to leverage their energy savings to finance projects. Incentives are paid to customers for eligible energy efficiency measures that are installed in new or retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and energy savings.

### **Commercial Standard Offer Program (CSOP)**

The CSOP targets commercial customers of all sizes. Variable incentives are available to project sponsors based upon verified demand and energy savings for eligible measures installed in new or retrofit applications.

### **CoolSaver<sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up Market Transformation Program (CoolSaver<sup>SM</sup> MTP)**

The CoolSaver<sup>SM</sup> MTP is designed to overcome market barriers that prevent residential and small commercial customers from receiving high performance air conditioning (A/C) system tune-ups.

The program works through local A/C networks to offer key program components, including:

- Training and certifying A/C technicians on the tune-up and air flow correction services and protocols.
- Paying incentives to A/C contactors for the successful implementation of A/C tune-up and air flow correction services.
- Paying incentives to A/C contractors who replace existing residential air conditioners and/or heat pumps with new high efficiency units of 16 SEER or higher.

### **Hard-to-Reach Standard Offer Program (HTR SOP)**

The HTR SOP targets residential customers with total annual household incomes at or below 200% of current federal poverty guidelines. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible measures installed in retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and energy savings. Project comprehensiveness is encouraged and customer education materials regarding energy conservation behavior are distributed by project sponsors.

### **High-Performance New Homes Market Transformation Program (New Homes MTP)**

The New Homes MTP targets several market participants, primarily homebuilders and consumers. The program's goal is to create conditions in which consumers demand energy-efficient homes, and homebuilders supply them. Incentives are paid to homebuilders who construct homes to strict energy-efficient building guidelines and that are at least 10% above the Texas Baseline Reference Home and meet all minimum energy code requirements. The program offers incentive tiers designed to deliver higher kW and kWh savings and a bonus incentive for homes that are ENERGY STAR<sup>®</sup>-certified. Each home results in verifiable demand and energy savings. In addition to homebuilder and consumer outreach, the New Homes MTP targets key market actors in the homebuilding production and sales cycle: home energy raters, homebuilder sales agents, real estate agents, HVAC contractors, mortgage lenders, product manufacturers, homebuilder associations, and media outlets.

### **Load Management Standard Offer Program (LM SOP)**

The LM SOP targets commercial customers with a peak electric demand of 500 kW or more. Incentive payments are based on measured and verified demand reduction of curtailed loads during the summer peak period. Load management events are dispatched by AEP Texas, using a one-hour-ahead notice for load reduction periods of one to four hours duration.

### **Open Market Transformation Program (Open MTP)**

The Open MTP targets traditionally underserved small commercial customers who may not employ knowledgeable personnel with a focus on energy efficiency, who are limited in the ability to implement energy efficiency measures, and/or who typically do not actively seek the help of a professional EESP. Small commercial customers with a peak demand not exceeding 100 kW in the previous twelve consecutive billing months may qualify to participate in the program. Available incentives are paid directly to the contractor, thereby reducing a portion of the project cost for the customer.

The program is intended to overcome market barriers for participating contractors by providing technical support and incentives to implement energy efficiency upgrades and produce demand and energy savings.

### **Residential Standard Offer Program (RSOP)**

The RSOP targets residential customers in existing homes. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible measures installed in retrofit applications that result in verified demand and energy savings. Project comprehensiveness is encouraged.

### **SCORE/CitySmart Market Transformation Program (SCORE/CS MTP)**

The SCORE/CS MTP provides energy efficiency and demand reduction solutions for public and private educational entities grades K-12 as well as colleges and universities. In addition to educational facilities, SCORE/CS MTP provides these same solutions to local, state, county and federal government customers. This program is designed to help educate and assist these customers in lowering their energy use by facilitating the integration of energy efficiency into their short- and long-term planning, budgeting, and operational practices. Incentives are paid to participating customers for eligible energy efficiency measures that are installed in new or retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and energy savings.

### **SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV Market Transformation Program (PV MTP)**

The PV MTP offers incentives to customers for the installation of solar photovoltaic (PV) systems interconnected on the customer's side of the meter. The incentives help offset the initial costs of installing solar PV systems, and encourage service providers to seek more installation opportunities. In addition to demand and energy savings achieved from the installations, the PV MTP aims to transform the solar PV market by increasing the number of qualified technicians and installers and decreasing the average installed cost of PV systems, thereby creating greater market economies of scale.

### **Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program (TLIP)**

The TLIP is designed to cost-effectively reduce the energy consumption and energy costs for low-income residential customers in the Central Division service territory. Weatherization service providers install eligible weatherization and energy efficiency measures in qualified households that meet the Department of Energy (DOE) income-eligibility guidelines of at or below 200% of the federal poverty guidelines. A Savings-to-Investment Ratio of 1.0 or higher is required of each serviced dwelling unit.

### **Whisker Labs Residential Thermostat Demand Response (DR) Pilot Market Transformation Program (WLDR MTP)**

Whisker Labs (WL), formerly known as Earth Networks (EN), will use their Connected Savings platform to deliver an Integrated Demand Side Management (IDSMS) aggregation program that will bring residential energy and demand savings. On the days that AEP Texas requests demand response services be implemented, WL will optimize the control thermostats to reduce HVAC load. The load reduction period will be for a duration of no more than three hours with at least an hour notice prior to the desired event start time.

### ***C. New Programs for 2017***

The Central Division has no new programs for 2017.

### ***D. Discontinued Programs***

#### **Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP (EffCon)**

The EffCon Pilot MTP was a partnership with REPs to help promote energy efficiency to residential customers by offering discounted LED lamps via an online marketplace. A third-party implementer facilitated customer/REP participation and aided in the selection and management of an online retailer/vendor for the program website and order fulfillment. The pilot was not cost-effective for two consecutive years and has been discontinued.

## **Reliant Residential Demand Response (DR) Pilot Market Transformation Program (RDR MTP)**

The Reliant Residential DR Pilot Program was a market transformation program that was utilized to support the Central Division's energy efficiency goals. The Central Division leveraged an existing industry-recognized program from a REP to reduce demand consumption. Reliant used its existing customer base from their thermostat-based peak time rebate program, Degrees of Difference, to respond quickly to market conditions.

### ***E. Existing DSM Contracts or Obligations***

The Central Division has no existing DSM contracts or obligations.

## II. Customer Classes

The Central Division’s energy efficiency programs target its Residential and Commercial customer classes. The Central Division’s energy efficiency programs also target customer sub-classes, such as Residential Hard-to-Reach and Low-Income, Schools, Small Businesses, and Local Governments.

The annual projected savings targets are allocated among these customer classes and sub-classes by examining historical program results and by evaluating economic trends, in compliance with 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(3).

Table 4 summarizes the number of customers in each customer class and the Residential Hard-to-Reach sub-class. The numbers listed are the actual number of active electric service accounts by class served for the month of January 2017. These numbers were used to determine goal and budget allocations for each customer class and program. It should be noted, however, that the actual distribution of the annual goal and budget required to achieve the goal must remain flexible based upon the conditions of the marketplace, the potential interest a customer class may have in a specific program, and the overriding objective of meeting the mandated demand and energy reduction goals in total. The Central Division offers a varied portfolio of SOPs and MTPs such that all eligible customer classes have access to energy efficiency alternatives.

**Table 4: Summary of Customer Classes – Central Division**

<b>Customer Class</b>	<b>Number of Customers</b>
<b>Commercial</b>	150,706
<b>Residential</b>	755,256
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b> <sup>4</sup>	259,808

\* Hard-to-Reach customer count is a sub-set of the Residential total.

<sup>4</sup> According to the U.S. Census Bureau’s 2015 Current Population Survey, 34.4% of Texas families fall below 200% of the poverty threshold. Applying that percentage to the Central Division’s residential customer base of 755,256, the number of HTR customers is estimated to be 259,808.

### **III. Energy Efficiency Goals and Projected Savings**

The Central Division's 2017 annual demand and energy reduction goals to be achieved are 15.83 MW and 27,734 MWh. The Central Division's 2018 annual goals are 15.99 MW and 28,014 MWh. These goals have been calculated as prescribed by the EE Rule.

The 2017 goal was calculated by applying four-tenths of 1% (0.004) of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers to the five year average (2012-2016) peak demand at the meter of 3,958 MW. This resulted in a calculated goal of 15.83 MW.

The 2018 demand goal is calculated by applying four-tenths of 1% (0.004) of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers to the five year average (2012-2016) peak demand at the meter of 3,998 MW. This results in a calculated goal of 15.99 MW.

Table 5 presents historical annual growth in demand data for the previous five years that was used to calculate the Central Division's goals. Table 6 presents the projected demand and energy savings for Program Years 2017 and 2018 by program, for each customer class with fully-deployed program budgets.



**Table 5: Annual Growth in Demand and Energy Consumption – Central Division**

Calendar Year	Peak Demand (MW) @ Source						Energy Consumption (MWh) @ Meter				Energy Efficiency Goal Calculations		
	Total System		Residential & Commercial				Total System		Residential & Commercial				
	Actual	Weather Adjusted	Actual	Weather Adjusted	Opt-Out	Peak Demand at Source Net Opt-outs	Actual	Weather Adjusted	Actual	Weather Adjusted	Peak Demand at Meter (9.4% line losses)*	5 year Average Peak Demand at Meter	Goal Metric: 0.4% Peak Demand at Meter
2012	4,815	4,738	4,371	4,292	-1.24	4,290	23,893	23,476	19,312	18,894	3,887	NA	NA
2013	4,681	4,784	4,224	4,327	-1.25	4,326	23,604	23,397	19,136	18,929	3,919	NA	NA
2014	4,948	4,943	4,465	4,461	-1.02	4,460	24,759	24,657	20,020	19,918	4,040	NA	NA
2015	5,043	4,963	4,524	4,444	-7.90	4,436	25,063	24,836	19,525	19,298	4,019	3,863	15.45
2016	5,243	5,089	4,759	4,605	-55.50	4,550	25,891	25,736	20,397	20,242	4,122	3,934	15.73
2017	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,958	15.83
2018	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,998	15.99

\*Line losses are derived from the loss factors determined in the Central Division's most recent line loss study.

**Table 6: Projected Demand and Energy Savings by Program for Each Customer Class for 2017 and 2018 (at the Meter) – Central Division**

<b>2017</b>	<b>Projected Savings</b>	
<b>Customer Class and Program</b>	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
<b>Commercial</b>		
Commercial Solutions MTP	992	5,500,000
Commercial SOP	2,337	15,661,815
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,393	4,376,124
Load Management SOP	22,995	55,268
Open MTP	830	3,250,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	1,850	8,000,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	194	374,026
<b>Residential</b>		
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,017	3,223,609
High-Performance New Homes MTP	539	1,631,874
Residential SOP	4,937	18,213,100
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	166	320,000
Whisker Labs Residential DR Pilot MTP	3,750	0
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>		
Hard-to-Reach SOP	2,013	3,678,690
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	768	1,408,000
<b>Total Annual Projected Savings</b>	<b>43,781</b>	<b>65,692,506</b>

**Table 6: Projected Demand and Energy Savings by Program for Each Customer Class for 2017 and 2018 (at the Meter) – Central Division (Continued)**

<b>2018</b> Customer Class and Program	<b>Projected Savings</b>	
	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
<b>Commercial</b>		
Commercial Solutions MTP	992	5,500,000
Commercial SOP	2,337	15,661,815
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,393	4,376,124
Load Management SOP	22,995	55,268
Open MTP	830	3,250,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	1,850	8,000,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	194	374,026
<b>Residential</b>		
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,017	3,223,609
High-Performance New Homes MTP	539	1,631,874
Residential SOP	4,937	18,213,100
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	166	320,000
Whisker Labs Residential DR Pilot MTP	3,750	0
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>		
Hard-to-Reach SOP	2,013	3,678,690
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	768	1,408,000
<b>Total Annual Projected Savings</b>	<b>43,781</b>	<b>65,692,506</b>

## **IV. Program Budgets**

Table 7 presents total proposed budget allocations required to meet the Central Division's projected demand and energy savings to be achieved for Program Years 2017 and 2018. The budget allocations are defined by the overall projected demand and energy savings, the avoided costs of capacity and energy specified in the EE Rule, allocation of demand goals, and the incentive levels by customer class. The budget allocations are detailed by customer class, program, and in the following budget categories: incentives, administration, research and development (R&D), and evaluation, measurement and verification (EM&V).

**Table 7: Projected Annual Budget by Program for Each Customer Class for 2017 and 2018 – Central Division**

<b>2017</b>	<b>Incentives</b>	<b>Admin</b>	<b>R&amp;D</b>	<b>EM&amp;V</b>	<b>Total Budget</b>
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$508,500	\$56,500			\$565,000
Commercial SOP	\$1,813,500	\$201,500			\$2,015,000
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$596,700	\$66,300			\$663,000
Load Management SOP	\$650,700	\$72,300			\$723,000
Open MTP	\$793,800	\$88,200			\$882,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$946,800	\$105,200			\$1,052,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
<b>Residential</b>					
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$675,000	\$75,000			\$750,000
High-Performance New Homes MTP	\$765,000	\$85,000			\$850,000
Residential SOP	\$2,650,140	\$294,460			\$2,944,600
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
Whisker Labs DR Pilot MTP	150,300	\$16,700			\$167,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,103,760	\$122,640			\$1,226,400
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,283,400	\$142,600			\$1,426,000
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>					
R&D	NAP	NAP	\$365,125		\$365,125
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>					
EM&V	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$177,024	\$177,024
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>\$12,345,600</b>	<b>\$1,371,734</b>	<b>\$365,125</b>	<b>\$177,024</b>	<b>\$14,259,483</b>

**Table 7: Projected Annual Budget by Program for Each Customer Class for 2017 and 2018  
 – Central Division (Continued)**

<b>2018</b>	<b>Incentives</b>	<b>Admin</b>	<b>R&amp;D</b>	<b>EM&amp;V</b>	<b>Total Budget</b>
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$508,500	\$56,500			\$565,000
Commercial SOP	\$1,813,500	\$201,500			\$2,015,000
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$596,700	\$66,300			\$663,000
Load Management SOP	\$650,700	\$72,300			\$723,000
Open MTP	\$793,800	\$88,200			\$882,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$946,800	\$105,200			\$1,052,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
<b>Residential</b>					
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$675,000	\$75,000			\$750,000
High-Performance New Homes MTP	\$765,000	\$85,000			\$850,000
Residential SOP	\$2,666,340	\$296,260			\$2,962,600
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
Whisker Labs DR Pilot MTP	\$150,300	\$16,700			\$167,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,087,560	\$120,840			\$1,208,400
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,283,400	\$142,600			\$1,426,000
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>					
R&D	NAP	NAP	\$365,125		\$365,125
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>					
EM&V	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$176,953	\$176,953
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>\$12,345,600</b>	<b>\$1,371,734</b>	<b>\$365,125</b>	<b>\$176,953</b>	<b>\$14,259,412</b>

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### V. Historical Demand and Energy Goals and Savings Achieved for the Previous Five Years

Table 8 contains the Central Division’s demand and energy reduction goals and actual savings achieved for the previous five years (2012-2016) calculated in accordance with the EE Rule.

**Table 8: Historical Demand and Energy Goals\* and Savings Achieved (at the Meter) – Central Division**

Calendar Year	Actual Weather Adjusted Demand Goal (MW)	Actual Weather Adjusted Energy Goal (MWh)	Savings Achieved (MW)	Savings Achieved (MWh)
2016	15.73	27,559	39.41	68,278
2015	12.93	22,653	43.78	68,482
2014	12.93	22,653	39.81	63,587
2013	12.93	22,653	34.14	48,954
2012	12.93	22,653	33.67	54,313

\* Actual Weather Adjusted MW and MWh Goals as reported in the EEPRs filed in years 2012-2016.

## VI. Projected, Reported and Verified Demand and Energy Savings

**Table 9: Projected versus Reported and Verified Savings for 2016 and 2015 (at the Meter) – Central Division**

2016 Customer Class and Program	Projected Savings		Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh	kW	kWh
<b>Commercial</b>				
Commercial Solutions MTP	834	3,888,000	712	3,930,677
Commercial SOP	2,417	16,278,090	2,161	14,664,215
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,393	4,376,124	1,487	3,325,045
Load Management SOP	27,092	27,092	20,234	48,673
Open MTP	718	2,051,894	711	3,194,943
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	1,691	5,749,624	1,820	10,287,798
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	149	288,000	349	673,224
<b>Residential</b>				
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,017	3,223,609	1,009	3,317,003
Earth Networks Res DR Pilot MTP	3,750	3,750	3,084	0
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	190	717,025	53	214,947
High-Performance New Homes MTP	539	1,631,874	459	1,843,501
Reliant Res DR Pilot MTP	60	60	85	0
Residential SOP	4,937	18,211,834	4,590	18,680,742
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	142	274,000	206	396,448
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>				
Hard-to-Reach SOP	1,258	4,578,986	1,560	5,749,025
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	780	1,343,550	780	1,387,550
<b>Total Annual Savings</b>	<b>46,967</b>	<b>62,643,512</b>	<b>39,300</b>	<b>67,713,790</b>



**Table 9: Projected versus Reported and Verified Savings for 2016 and 2015 (at the Meter) – Central Division (Continued)**

<b>2015</b> <b>Customer Class and Program</b>	<b>Projected Savings</b>		<b>Reported and Verified Savings</b>	
	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
<b>Commercial</b>				
Commercial Solutions MTP	834	3,888,000	1,185	6,719,171
Commercial SOP	3,625	17,467,000	2,233	15,036,669
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,393	4,376,124	1,593	5,104,501
Load Management SOP	16,255	43,000	27,418	27,418
Open MTP	676	2,051,894	680	3,059,520
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	1,691	5,749,624	1,333	7,159,107
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	149	288,000	1,029	1,984,354
<b>Residential</b>				
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	1,017	3,223,609	1,051	3,997,053
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	105	525,131	17	62,004
High-Performance New Homes MTP	393	1,596,286	501	1,903,959
Residential SOP	4,838	14,835,000	4,734	17,465,758
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	142	274,000	144	278,032
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>				
Hard-to-Reach SOP	1,315	3,686,000	1,224	4,456,145
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	634	1,110,000	633	1,228,535
<b>Total Annual Savings</b>	<b>33,067</b>	<b>59,113,668</b>	<b>43,775</b>	<b>68,482,227</b>

## VII. Historical Program Expenditures

This section documents the Central Division’s incentive and administration expenditures for the previous five years (2012-2016) detailed by program for each customer class.

**Table 10: Historical Program Incentive and Administrative Expenditures for 2012 through 2016 (000’s) – Central Division**

	2016		2015		2014		2013		2012	
	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin
<b>Commercial</b>										
A/C Distributor Pilot MTP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$40.76	\$6.08	\$29.94	\$5.32
AEP Texas CARE\$ Energy Efficiency for Not-for-Profit Agencies SOP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$54.04	\$11.30
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$464.67	\$52.42	\$660.88	\$62.02	\$479.55	\$50.29	\$424.94	\$42.46	\$419.12	\$35.86
Commercial SOP	\$1,763.34	\$194.48	\$1,675.57	\$178.07	\$1,704.68	\$183.80	\$950.47	\$153.00	\$881.36	\$143.85
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$561.47	\$46.54	\$601.34	\$45.73	\$642.34	\$46.69	\$624.27	\$47.61	\$144.76	\$13.93
Irrigation Load Management MTP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$200.00	\$16.65	\$440.00	\$34.78	NAP	NAP
Load Management SOP	\$573.06	\$50.03	\$650.20	\$51.71	\$543.00	\$45.03	\$513.29	\$54.38	\$300.00	\$32.33
Load Management SOP - Expanded	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$206.63	\$22.47
Open MTP	\$785.45	\$61.03	\$818.94	\$61.45	\$741.21	\$52.54	\$684.76	\$51.66	NAP	NAP
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$971.10	\$88.69	\$840.09	\$73.65	\$1,026.19	\$86.89	\$911.24	\$ 75.97	\$905.59	\$70.72
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$182.70	\$14.86	\$58.56	\$6.41	\$200.01	\$15.15	\$152.14	\$11.20	\$197.18	\$16.71

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**Table 10: Historical Program Incentive and Administrative Expenditures for 2012 through 2016 (000's) – Central Division  
 (Continued)**

	2016		2015		2014		2013		2012	
	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin
<b>Residential</b>										
A/C Distributor Pilot MTP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$278.05	\$40.25	\$266.43	\$39.77	\$68.07	\$11.73
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$672.78	\$55.82	\$673.27	\$51.20	\$525.36	\$38.18	\$601.41	\$45.95	\$375.08	\$36.09
Earth Networks Res DR Pilot MTP	\$123.35	\$9.07	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	\$90.16	\$11.20	\$67.03	\$4.45	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
High-Performance New Homes MTP	\$636.50	\$67.45	\$757.64	\$82.07	\$777.07	\$85.08	\$ 730.16	\$79.58	\$797.45	\$90.48
Reliant DR Pilot MTP	\$3.88	\$0.38	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
Residential SOP	\$2,591.75	\$242.54	\$2,649.88	\$246.42	\$2,626.27	\$263.28	\$2,596.76	\$292.37	\$3,622.65	\$374.20
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$204.81	\$17.43	\$207.62	\$16.33	\$199.75	\$15.14	\$207.81	\$15.29	\$197.19	\$15.98
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>										
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,115.74	\$112.50	\$922.10	\$97.61	\$950.70	\$85.02	\$950.33	\$96.29	\$1,177.86	\$114.69
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,265.06	\$103.44	\$1,270.64	\$98.09	\$1,262.46	\$87.13	\$1,271.58	\$96.69	\$1,267.07	\$93.57
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>	NAP	\$327.31	NAP	\$332.54	NAP	\$427.12	NAP	\$184.31	NAP	\$389.54
<b>Evaluation and Measurement Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>	NAP	\$161.05	NAP	\$246.63	NAP	\$305.06	NAP	361.07	NAP	NAP
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	\$12,005.81	\$1,616.24	\$11,853.76	\$1,654.36	\$12,156.64	\$1,843.30	\$11,366.35	\$1,688.46	\$10,643.99	\$1,478.77

## **VIII. Program Funding for Calendar Year 2016**

As shown in Table 11, the total projected budget in 2016 was \$14,265,243 and the actual total funds expended were \$13,622,054. This is an overall total program expenditure difference of less than 10% from the amount budgeted.

The following individual program expenditures differed from their respective proposed program budgets by more than 10% as explained below.

The EarthNetworks Residential DR Pilot MTP was under budget due to lower than projected demand savings of 1.5 kW per participating customer. The average was 1.2 kW per customer.

The EffCon Pilot MTP was under budget due to lower than projected participation.

The actual demand (kW) savings from several Load Management SOP participants were less than what they had initially projected when they signed up to participate in the Program.

The allotted budget for the Reliant DR Pilot MTP was slightly higher than the implementer's budget which included a capped amount for demand savings that were greater than the projected goal.

The commercial component of the PV MTP did not fully utilize its incentive budget during the program year due to several projects withdrawing from the program before the end of the year.

Due to fewer homes receiving incentives, the New Homes MTP was under budget. The decrease in participating homes is attributed to a decline in new home construction and sales in the Central Division service territory.

The combined 2016 expenditures for the TLIP and the HTR SOP constituted 18% of the energy efficiency budget for the 2016 Program Year. The 2016 expenditure for the TLIP constituted 10% of the energy efficiency budget for the 2016 Program Year.

**Table 11: Program Funding for Calendar Year 2016 (Dollar amounts in 000's) – Central Division**

	Total Projected Budget <sup>5</sup>	Numbers of Customers Participating	Actual Funds Expended (Incentives)	Actual Funds Expended (Admin)	Research and Development (R&D)	Evaluation and Measurement Verification (EM&V)	Total Funds Expended
<b>Commercial</b>							
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$564.65	85	\$464.67	\$52.42			\$517.09
Commercial SOP	\$2,014.11	81	\$1,763.34	\$194.48			\$1,957.82
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$662.17	532	\$561.47	\$46.54			\$608.01
Load Management SOP	\$722.44	62	\$573.06	\$50.03			\$623.08
Open MTP	\$881.72	76	\$785.45	\$61.03			\$846.48
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$1,051.86	92	\$971.10	\$88.69			\$1,059.79
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$226.67	8	\$182.70	\$14.86			\$197.56
<b>Residential</b>							
CoolSaver <sup>SM</sup> A/C Tune-Up MTP	\$750.00	1,802	\$672.78	\$55.82			\$728.60
Earth Networks Res DR Pilot MTP	\$166.67	2,473	\$123.35	\$9.07			\$132.42
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	\$166.67	538	\$90.16	\$11.20			\$101.36
High-Performance New Homes MTP	\$850.00	454	\$636.50	\$67.45			\$703.95
Reliant DR Pilot MTP	\$5.56	140	\$3.88	0.38			\$4.26
Residential SOP	\$2,956.79	4,945	\$2,591.75	\$242.54			\$2,834.29
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$226.67	22	\$204.81	\$17.43			\$222.24
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>							
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,059.35	1,657	\$1,115.74	\$112.50			\$1,228.24
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency	\$1,408.25	349	\$1,265.06	\$103.44			\$1,368.50
<b>Research and Development</b>	\$368.89	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$327.31	NAP	\$327.31
<b>EM&amp;V</b>							
Statewide EM&V Contractor	\$182.79	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$161.05	\$161.05
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$14,265.24</b>	<b>NAP</b>	<b>\$12,005.81</b>	<b>\$1,127.89</b>	<b>\$327.31</b>	<b>\$161.05</b>	<b>\$13,622.05</b>

<sup>5</sup> Projected Budget from the EEPR filed April 2016 Project No. 45675.

## **IX. Market Transformation Program Results**

### **Commercial Solutions MTP**

In 2016, the Commercial Solutions MTP goal was to acquire 834 kW demand savings from this program. A total of 712 kW was achieved by participation of 85 customers.

### **CoolSaver<sup>SM</sup> MTP**

In 2016, the Central Division projected to acquire 2,410 kW demand savings from this program. The Central Division verified and reported 2,496 kW. This included participation by 2,334 residential and commercial customers.

### **EarthNetworks Residential DR Pilot MTP**

The EarthNetworks Residential DR Pilot MTP goal was to acquire 3,750 kW demand savings. A total of 3,084 kW was achieved by participation of 2,473 residential customers in 2016.

### **Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP**

The Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP goal was to acquire 190 kW demand savings and 717,025 kWh in energy savings. A total of 53 kW and 214,947 kWh were achieved in 2016.

### **High-Performance New Homes MTP (New Homes)**

In 2016, 454 high-performance homes were constructed in the Central Division through the New Homes MTP program with a savings of 459 kW. The savings per home increased as a result of improved building practices promoted by the program. The Central Division provided continuing education courses and other training opportunities for contractors, homebuilders, home energy raters, HVAC contractors and other market actors on the advantages of High-Performance and ENERGY STAR homes and building practices. Training activities in 2016 included workshops and presentations to prepare market actors for the implementation of the 2015 International Energy Conservation Code (IECC). The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has recognized AEP Texas' New Homes program's accomplishments by awarding it the ENERGY STAR Partner of the Year Award for 2011-2012 and the ENERGY STAR Partner of the Year Sustained Excellence Award 2013-2017. AEP Texas was also recognized by the EPA with the ENERGY STAR Leadership in Housing/ Certified Homes Market Leader Award 2009-2016.

## **Open MTP**

The Open MTP goal was to acquire 718 kW demand savings. A total of 711 kW was achieved with 76 small commercial customers and 8 participating contractors.

## **Reliant Residential DR Pilot Program**

The Reliant Residential DR Pilot MTP goal was to acquire 60 kW demand savings. A total of 85.2 kW was achieved by participation of 140 residential customers in 2016.

## **SCORE/CitySmart MTP**

The SCORE/CitySmart MTP was projected to acquire 1,691 kW demand savings from this program. A total of 1,820 kW was achieved. This included participation by 92 customers. To date, the program has benchmarked 971 facilities for 35 school districts, and 9 government customers.

## **SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP**

The 2016 PV MTP projected to acquire 291 kW in demand savings and 562,000 kWh in energy savings from the residential and non-residential components. A total of 30 residential and non-residential solar PV projects were completed within the program, resulting in a peak demand reduction of 555 kW and 1,069,672 kWh of energy savings.

## **X. Administrative Costs and Research and Development**

### **Administrative Costs**

Administrative costs incurred to meet the energy efficiency goals and objectives include, but may not be limited to, energy efficiency employees' payroll, costs associated with regulatory filings, and EM&V costs outside of the actual cost associated with the EM&V contractor. Any portion of these costs which are not directly assignable to a specific program are allocated among the programs in proportion to the program incentive costs.

## **Program Research and Development**

R&D activities are intended to help meet future energy efficiency goals by researching new technologies, program options and developing better, more efficient ways to administer current programs. The following is a summary of the R&D activities for 2016.

AEP Texas dedicated resources in 2016 to develop a new electronic data collection and management system for current programs. In addition, AEP Texas participated with Electric Utility Marketing Managers of Texas (EUMMOT) in researching potentially new deemed savings measures for various programs.

## **Informational Activities**

The Central Division continues its best efforts to encourage and facilitate the involvement of REPs and EESPs in the delivery of its programs to customers. The Central Division utilizes local, regional and national conferences, trade shows, and other events for outreach and information exchange with participating REPs and EESPs. The Central Division again disbursed program information at its annual AEP Texas Competitive REP workshop in September 2016. The Central Division provides new and existing energy efficiency program information to the REPs and EESPs throughout the year on a timely basis via e-mail distribution.

## **XI. 2017 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF)**

The total amount approved to be collected through the Central Division's 2017 EECRF is \$9,003,339, which consists of the following components:

- recovery of \$6,869,313 in energy efficiency expenses budgeted for Program Year 2017 (the actual projected budget for energy efficiency expenses for Program Year 2017 is \$14,082,459, which is reduced by \$6,334,949 in energy efficiency costs expressly included in base rates and \$878,197 of load growth);
- recovery of a performance bonus in the amount of \$3,459,596 for achieving energy efficiency goals in Program Year 2015;
- return to customers \$1,306,003 in energy efficiency program costs over-collected through the EECRF in Program Year 2015;



- recovery of \$5,433 for 2015 EECRF proceeding expenses incurred in Docket No. 44717 by municipalities as authorized by 16 TAC § 25.181(f)(3)(B); and
- a settlement adjustment of \$25,000 as approved in PUC Docket No. 45929.

**Table 12: 2017 EECRF – Central Division**

<b>Customer Class</b>	<b>EECRF</b>
Residential Service	\$0.000532 per kWh
Secondary Service (less than or equal to 10 kW)	\$0.000331 per kWh
Secondary Service (greater than 10 kW)	\$0.000426 per kWh
Primary Service	\$0.000294 per kWh
Transmission Service	(\$0.041089) per kW

## **XII. 2016 EECRF Summary**

### **2016 Collections for Energy Efficiency**

The Central Division collected \$7,269,368 through its 2016 base rates, including \$6,334,949 expressly included in base rates and an adjustment for load growth in the amount of \$934,419, and \$9,279,980 through its 2016 EECRF for a total of \$16,549,349. A performance bonus of \$2,835,621 for exceeding its 2014 energy efficiency goals and \$1,079,196 returned to customers are reflected in the total amount collected for energy efficiency in 2016.

### **Energy Efficiency Program Costs Expended**

The Central Division expended a total of \$13,622,054 for its 2016 energy efficiency programs. The amount expended is \$643,189 less than the 2016 projected budget of \$14,265,243 for energy efficiency programs.

### **Over-Recovery of Energy Efficiency Costs**

The Central Division's actual 2016 energy efficiency program costs (including EM&V costs) less municipal rate case expenses are \$13,619,232 and actual energy efficiency program revenues are \$14,792,924. These associated 2016 costs and revenues result in an over-recovery of energy efficiency costs of \$1,173,691. This is the amount that the Central Division will request be returned to customers within its 2018 EECRF.

### **XIII. Underserved Counties**

The Central Division has defined Underserved Counties as any county in the service territory for which the Central Division reported no demand or energy savings through any of its 2016 SOPs or MTPs. Per 16 TAC § 25.181(n)(2)(U), a list of the Underserved Counties is as follows:

- Gonzales
- Guadalupe
- Kenedy
- McMullen

#### **XIV. Performance Bonus**

The Central Division achieved a 39,300 kW reduction in peak demand from its energy efficiency programs offered in 2016. The demand reduction goal for 2016 was 15,730 kW. This achievement represents 250% of its 2016 demand reduction goal. The Central Division also achieved energy savings of 67,713,790 kWh, which represents 246% of its 2016 energy goal of 27,559,000 kWh. These results qualify the Central Division for a Performance Bonus. Per 16 TAC § 25.181(h), the Central Division is eligible for a Performance Bonus of \$3,492,251, which it will request within its June 1, 2017 EECRF Filing for recovery in 2018.

In 2016, the total spending on energy efficiency programs was \$13,622,054. This includes actual EM&V expenditures to the EM&V contractor of \$161,054. Per the PUC, the total program costs to be used in the performance bonus calculation should include the EM&V cost allocation provided by the EM&V contractor for Program Year 2016, instead of the actual EM&V contractor expenditures. As a result, the total program expenditures for the bonus calculation will not match the actual total program expenditures exhibited in the applicable tables in this EEPR. For the purposes of the performance bonus calculation, the 2016 total program costs equaled \$13,647,065.

**Table 13: Energy Efficiency Performance Bonus Calculation for 2016 – Central Division**

	kW	kWh
<b>2016 Goals</b>	15,730	27,559,000
<b>2016 Savings</b>		
<i>Reported/Verified Total (including HTR and measures with &lt;10yr EUL)</i>	39,300	67,713,790
<i>Reported/Verified Hard-to-Reach</i>	2,341	
<b>2016 Program Costs</b>		\$13,647,065
<b>2016 Performance Bonus</b>		\$3,492,251

**Performance Bonus Calculation**

250%	Percentage of Demand Reduction Goal Met (Reported kW/Goal kW)
246%	Percentage of Energy Reduction Goal Met (Reported kWh/Goal kWh)
TRUE	Met Requirements for Performance Bonus?
\$48,569,571	Total Avoided Cost (Reported kW * PV(Avoided Capacity Cost) + Reported kWh * PV(Avoided Energy Cost))
\$13,647,065	Total Program Costs
\$34,922,506	Net Benefits (Total Avoided Cost - Total Expenses)

**Bonus Calculation**

\$26,164,317	Calculated Bonus ((Achieved Demand Reduction/Demand Goal - 100%) / 2) * Net Benefits
\$3,492,251	Maximum Bonus Allowed (10% of Net Benefits)
\$3,492,251	Bonus (Minimum of Calculated Bonus and Bonus Limit)

## Acronyms

<b>CSOP</b>	Commercial Standard Offer Program
<b>CS MTP</b>	Commercial Solutions Market Transformation Program
<b>DR</b>	Demand Response
<b>DSM</b>	Demand Side Management
<b>EECRF</b>	Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor
<b>EEPR</b>	Energy Efficiency Plan and Report
<b>EE Rule</b>	Energy Efficiency Rule, 16 TAC §§ 25.181 and 25.183
<b>EESP</b>	Energy Efficiency Service Providers
<b>EffCon</b>	Efficiency Connection Pilot Market Transformation Program
<b>EPA</b>	Environmental Protection Agency
<b>EUMMOT</b>	Electric Utility Marketing Managers of Texas
<b>HTR</b>	Hard-To-Reach
<b>HTR SOP</b>	Hard-to-Reach Standard Offer Program
<b>IECC</b>	International Energy Conservation Code
<b>LM SOP</b>	Load Management Standard Offer Program
<b>MTP</b>	Market Transformation Program
<b>NAP</b>	Not Applicable
<b>New Homes</b>	High-Performance New Home Market Transformation Program
<b>Open</b>	Open Market Transformation Program

## Acronyms (Continued)

<b>PUC</b>	Public Utility Commission of Texas
<b>PURA</b>	Public Utility Regulatory Act
<b>PV</b>	Photovoltaic
<b>PV MTP</b>	SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV Market Transformation Program
<b>R&amp;D</b>	Research and Development
<b>REP</b>	Retail Electric Provider
<b>RES</b>	Residential
<b>RSOP</b>	Residential Standard Offer Program
<b>SCORE</b>	Schools Conserving Resources
<b>SCORE/CS MTP</b>	SCORE/CitySmart Market Transformation Program
<b>SOP</b>	Standard Offer Program
<b>TCC</b>	AEP Texas Central Company (now the Central Division of AEP Texas)
<b>TDU</b>	Transmission and Distribution Utility
<b>TLIP</b>	Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program
<b>TRM</b>	Texas Technical Reference Manual

## **APPENDIX A:**

### **REPORTED AND VERIFIED DEMAND AND ENERGY REDUCTION BY COUNTY**

**CALENDAR YEAR 2016**

**COMMERCIAL SOLUTIONS MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Atascosa	3.23	21,167
Cameron	97.52	633,620
Hidalgo	248.13	1,378,363
Kleberg	30.38	148,580
Kinney	0.50	3,297
Matagorda	39.29	244,304
Maverick	7.70	42,864
Nueces	127.48	691,617
Pharr	22.43	77,842
Starr	4.45	29,997
Val Verde	0.91	5,934
Webb	104.25	538,185
Wharton	22.40	90,443
Willacy	3.68	24,464
<b>Total</b>	<b>712.35</b>	<b>3,930,677</b>



**COMMERCIAL SOP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	2.78	18,222
Bee	2.82	83,230
Cameron	32.33	222,671
Duval	0.34	2,238
Hidalgo	230.02	1,055,837
Jackson	6.61	37,310
Jim Wells	17.61	132,910
Karnes	0.68	4,476
Kleberg	43.90	185,636
Medina	89.10	531,418
Nueces	1,093.60	8,182,198
San Patricio	97.1	645,998
Val Verde	135.70	863,604
Victoria	101.81	806,013
Webb	306.46	1,892,454
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,160.86</b>	<b>14,664,215</b>

**COOLSAVER<sup>SM</sup> A/C TUNE-UP MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	1.14	3,090
Brooks	0.36	1,209
Cameron	231.26	468,890
Hidalgo	1,972.42	5,440,113
Jim Wells	0.41	1,403
Kinney	1.94	5,203
Maverick	50.95	129,173
Nueces	23.14	75,102
San Patricio	4.88	19,790
Starr	18.54	53,093
Uvalde	2.60	9,040
Val Verde	91.15	242,303
Webb	1.75	5,932
Willacy	65.33	116,223
Zavala	30.04	71,484
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,495.91</b>	<b>6,642,048</b>

**EARTHNETWORKS RESIDENTIAL DR PILOT MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	5.18	N/A
Atascosa	20.96	N/A
Bee	30.81	N/A
Brooks	10.46	N/A
Calhoun	1.59	N/A
Cameron	171.98	N/A
Dewitt	-0.34	N/A
Dimmit	24.11	N/A
Duval	25.89	N/A
Frio	11.88	N/A
Goliad	3.11	N/A
Hidalgo	488.71	N/A
Jackson	1.33	N/A
Jim Hogg	11.76	N/A
Jim Wells	126.50	N/A
Karnes	8.81	N/A
Kleberg	47.69	N/A
La Salle	6.13	N/A
Live Oak	16.14	N/A
Matagorda	11.46	N/A
Maverick	110.87	N/A
Medina	0.49	N/A
Nueces	659.67	N/A
Refugio	7.39	N/A
San Patricio	120.55	N/A
Starr	39.34	N/A
Uvalde	30.54	N/A
Val Verde	56.53	N/A
Victoria	57.74	N/A
Webb	901.74	N/A
Wharton	4.21	N/A
Willacy	-0.45	N/A
Zapata	58.88	N/A
Zavala	12.08	N/A
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,083.74</b>	N/A

**EFFICIENCY CONNECTION MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	1.76	6,781
Atascosa	0.49	2,491
Bee	0.76	3,839
Brooks	0.09	327
Caldwell	0.03	142
Cameron	7.71	29,654
Colorado	0.61	3,074
DeWitt	0.15	776
Dimmit	0.63	3,202
Duval	0.36	1,380
Frio	0.15	761
Goliad	0.30	1,528
Hidalgo	12.53	48,229
Jackson	0.22	1,103
Jim Hogg	0.09	327
Jim Wells	1.12	4,315
Kinney	0.06	318
Kleberg	0.69	2,655
La Salle	0.04	183
Live Oak	0.06	318
Matagorda	1.09	5,539
Maverick	0.79	3,998
Medina	0.07	372
Nueces	9.73	37,559
Refugio	0.36	1,388
San Patricio	2.23	8,561
Starr	1.29	4,975
Uvalde	0.54	2,724
Val Verde	0.94	4,794
Victoria	0.82	4,168
Webb	6.68	25,678
Wharton	0.25	1,259
Willacy	0.47	1,815
Wilson	0.05	258
Zapata	0.02	93
Zavala	0.07	363
<b>Total</b>	<b>53.25</b>	<b>214,947</b>

**HARD-TO-REACH SOP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Calhoun	1.38	4,035
Cameron	106.54	315,280
Colorado	2.50	16,587
Dimmit	3.44	10,853
Hidalgo	263.99	985,962
Jackson	4.15	11,010
Jim Wells	1.14	2,192
Kleberg	248.60	891,238
La Salle	0.57	3,433
Matagorda	4.59	18,059
Maverick	19.91	66,291
Nueces	225.48	560,839
Starr	105.72	452,613
Victoria	447.19	1,887,062
Webb	99.11	431,671
Wharton	4.74	10,355
Willacy	21.48	81,545
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,560.53</b>	<b>5,749,025</b>

**HIGH-PERFORMANCE NEW HOMES MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	20.37	73,213
Cameron	2.18	8,339
Hidalgo	93.13	424,155
Jackson	0.66	2,564
Nueces	255.72	988,867
San Patricio	79.11	310,011
Victoria	1.65	6,890
Webb	6.38	29,462
<b>Total</b>	<b>459.20</b>	<b>1,843,501</b>

**LOAD MANAGEMENT SOP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	16.22	32
Bee	61.30	123
Calhoun	94.59	189
Cameron	1,647.84	3,296
Dimmit	119.21	238
Hidalgo	3,705.73	10,234
Jim Wells	93.33	187
Kleberg	115.08	230
Maverick	35.45	71
Nueces	3,222.57	9,307
San Patricio	3,894.85	6,003
Starr	94.09	188
Val Verde	99.48	199
Victoria	4,583.09	13,474
Webb	1,592.48	3,185
Wharton	45.76	92
Willacy	812.49	1,625
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,233.56</b>	<b>48,673</b>

**OPEN MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Brooks	5.85	22,723
Cameron	60.79	282,300
Hidalgo	580.55	2,589,015
Nueces	35.68	177,816
Starr	11.26	48,459
Webb	5.13	18,906
Uvalde	3.08	23,245
Zapata	8.24	32,479
<b>Total</b>	<b>710.58</b>	<b>3,194,943</b>

**RELIANT RESIDENTIAL DR PILOT MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	1.81	N/A
Atascosa	1.79	N/A
Bee	1.41	N/A
Calhoun	-0.14	N/A
Cameron	3.66	N/A
Colorado	0.68	N/A
Hidalgo	23.47	N/A
Jim Wells	0.78	N/A
Kleberg	4.09	N/A
Matagorda	-0.13	N/A
Nueces	24.24	N/A
San Patricio	1.69	N/A
Starr	0.78	N/A
Uvalde	-0.81	N/A
Val Verde	1.60	N/A
Victoria	4.78	N/A
Webb	14.88	N/A
Wharton	0.57	N/A
Willacy	812.49	N/A
<b>Total</b>	<b>85.15</b>	<b>N/A</b>

**RESIDENTIAL SOP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Bee	48.93	142,013
Calhoun	20.87	81,863
Cameron	841.53	3,687,810
Colorado	32.77	143,827
Dimmitt	2.54	14,824
Duval	1.84	8,359
Frio	1.55	8,062
Goliad	1.49	7,414
Hidalgo	1,655.98	7,163,160
Jackson	22.71	93,792
Jim Wells	23.11	76,043
Kleberg	10.87	35,596
La Salle	3.63	20,721
Matagorda	44.77	200,207
Maverick	34.13	159,904
Nueces	607.11	1,936,874
Refugio	0.89	3,982
San Patricio	225.47	882,951
Starr	131.56	591,117
Uvalde	32.52	76,263
Victoria	341.70	1,068,248
Webb	478.13	2,171,453
Wharton	20.32	81,254
Willacy	5.47	25,005
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,589.89</b>	<b>18,680,742</b>

**SCORE/CITYSMART MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Atascosa	4.56	25,713
Calhoun	260.78	1,497,094
Dimmit	49.05	310,914
Hidalgo	606.96	3,222,822
Nueces	114.65	623,932
Starr	2.67	17,494
Webb	781.02	4,589,829
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,819.69</b>	<b>10,287,798</b>



**SMART SOURCE<sup>SM</sup> SOLAR PV MTP**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Aransas	9.26	17,856
Cameron	356.60	687,408
Hidalgo	93.23	179,728
La Salle	5.40	10,416
Nueces	36.75	70,848
Webb	47.28	91,128
Wharton	6.37	12,288
<b>Total</b>	<b>554.89</b>	<b>1,069,672</b>

**TARGETED LOW-INCOME ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM**

County	Reported and Verified Savings	
	kW	kWh
Calhoun	122.43	201,192
Cameron	142.13	319,615
Dimmit	5.62	10,098
Edwards	5.39	9,825
Goliad	37.78	49,626
Hidalgo	94.43	198,425
Kinney	10.03	20,292
La Salle	21.36	41,285
Matagorda	9.53	18,780
Maverick	11.90	18,570
Nueces	39.47	76,226
Real	3.06	6,566
Uvalde	92.14	131,913
Val Verde	20.41	44,797
Webb	153.62	217,797
Willacy	3.22	8,197
Zavala	7.65	14,346
<b>Total</b>	<b>780.17</b>	<b>1,387,550</b>

## **APPENDIX B:**

### **PROGRAM TEMPLATES**

AEP Texas – Central Division does not have any Program Templates to report this year.

## **APPENDIX C:**

### **EXISTING CONTRACTS OR OBLIGATIONS**

AEP Texas – Central Division has no Existing Contracts or Obligations documentation to provide.

## **APPENDIX D:**

### **OPTIONAL SUPPORT DOCUMENTATION**

AEP Texas – Central Division provides the following Optional Supporting Documentation.



The AEP Texas Central Division CSOP presented a \$61,914 incentive check to the CHRISTUS Spohn Health System Foundation in Corpus Christi. CHRISTUS Spohn completed two large LED lighting retrofit projects.



Detar Healthcare System in Victoria was awarded a \$91,452 incentive check through the AEP Texas Central Division CSOP. Detar Hospital completed a retrofit project including two 450 ton chillers.

## **ENERGY EFFICIENCY PLAN – AEP TEXAS NORTH DIVISION**

### **I. 2017 Programs**

#### ***A. 2017 Program Portfolio***

The North Division has implemented a variety of programs in 2017 to enable it to meet its goals in a manner that complies with PURA § 39.905 and the EE Rule. These programs target broad market segments and specific market sub-segments with significant opportunities for cost-effective energy savings.

Table 14 summarizes the programs and targeted customer class markets for Program Year 2017. The programs listed in Table 14 are described in further detail in Subsection B. AEP Texas maintains a web site containing information on participation and forms required for project submission at [www.AEPTexas.com](http://www.AEPTexas.com). This site is the primary method of communication used to provide program updates and information to Retail Electric Providers (REPs), potential Energy Efficiency Service Providers (EESPs), and other interested parties.

#### **Implementation Process**

MTPs are implemented by a third-party implementer. These implementers design, market and execute the applicable MTP. Based on the specific MTP, the implementer may perform outreach activities to recruit local contractors and provide participating contractors specialized education, training/certification and tools as necessary. Implementers validate proposed measures/projects, perform quality assurance/quality control, and verify and report savings derived from the program.

SOPs are managed in-house with project sponsors providing eligible program measures. Project sponsors are typically EESPs; however, for commercial projects an AEP Texas end-use customer may serve as its own project sponsor. Eligible project sponsors can submit an application(s) for project(s) meeting the minimum SOP requirements.

The North Division monitors projects being submitted so as to not accept duplicate enrollments.

### **Outreach Activities**

- Promote internet web sites with program information including project eligibility, end-use measures, incentives, procedures, application forms, and in some cases a list of participating project sponsors and the available program budget;
- Utilize mass e-mail notifications to inform and update potential project sponsors on AEP Texas energy efficiency program opportunities;
- Conduct workshops as necessary to explain program elements such as responsibilities of the project participants, program requirements, incentive information and the application and reporting process;
- Conduct specific project sponsor/contractor training sessions as necessary based on the energy efficiency programs being implemented;
- Participate in local, regional, state-wide, and industry-related outreach activities as may be necessary; and
- Facilitate earned media opportunities, spotlighting successful projects and/or interesting stories as applicable.



**Table 14: 2017 Energy Efficiency Program Portfolio – North Division**

<b>Program</b>	<b>Target Market</b>	<b>Application</b>	<b>Link to Program Manual</b>
Commercial Solutions MTP	Commercial	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/commercial-solutions/">https://www.aeptexas.com/commercial-solutions/</a>
Commercial SOP	Commercial	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/save/business/programs/wTX/CommercialStandardOfferProgram.aspx">https://www.aeptexas.com/save/business/programs/wTX/CommercialStandardOfferProgram.aspx</a>
Hard-to-Reach SOP	Residential Hard-to-Reach	Retrofit	<a href="https://aep.com/global/utilities/lib/docs/save/residential/programs/AEPTexas/TNC/2017/htr/2017_HTR_Manual_Final_v2.pdf">https://aep.com/global/utilities/lib/docs/save/residential/programs/AEPTexas/TNC/2017/htr/2017_HTR_Manual_Final_v2.pdf</a>
Load Management SOP	Commercial	Retrofit	<a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/save/business/programs/wTX/LoadManagementProgram.aspx">https://www.aeptexas.com/save/business/programs/wTX/LoadManagementProgram.aspx</a>
Open MTP	Commercial	Retrofit	<a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/open-small-business">https://www.aeptexas.com/open-small-business</a>
Residential SOP	Residential	Retrofit	<a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/save/residential/programs/wTX/ResidentialStandardOffer.aspx">https://www.aeptexas.com/save/residential/programs/wTX/ResidentialStandardOffer.aspx</a>
SCORE/City Smart MTP	Commercial	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/score/">https://www.aeptexas.com/score/</a> <a href="https://www.aeptexas.com/citysmart/">https://www.aeptexas.com/citysmart/</a>
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	Commercial Residential	Retrofit & New Construction	<a href="http://www.txreinc.com/apv/documents/AEP-TCC%20AEP-TNC%20PV%20Program%20Guidebook%202017%2020161114.pdf">http://www.txreinc.com/apv/documents/AEP-TCC%20AEP-TNC%20PV%20Program%20Guidebook%202017%2020161114.pdf</a>
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	Low-Income Residential	Retrofit	No Website Available
Whisker Labs Residential DR Pilot MTP	Residential	Retrofit	No website available

***B. Existing Programs***

**Commercial Solutions Market Transformation Program (CS MTP)**

The CS MTP targets commercial customers (other than governmental and educational entities) that do not have the in-house expertise to: 1) identify, evaluate, and undertake energy efficiency improvements; 2) properly evaluate energy efficiency proposals from vendors; and/or 3) understand how to leverage their energy savings to finance projects. Incentives are paid to customers for eligible energy efficiency measures installed in new or retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and energy savings.

### **Commercial Standard Offer Program (CSOP)**

The CSOP targets commercial customers of all sizes. Variable incentives are available to project sponsors based upon deemed and/or verified demand and energy savings for eligible measures installed in new or retrofit applications.

### **Hard-to-Reach Standard Offer Program (HTR SOP)**

The HTR SOP targets residential customers with total annual household incomes at or below 200% of current federal poverty guidelines. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible measures installed in retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and energy savings. Project comprehensiveness is encouraged and customer education materials regarding energy conservation behavior are distributed by project sponsors.

### **Load Management Standard Offer Program (LM SOP)**

The LM SOP targets commercial customers with a peak electric demand of 500 kW or more. Incentive payments are based upon measured and verified peak demand reduction of curtailed loads during the summer peak period. Load management events are dispatched by AEP Texas, using a one-hour-ahead notice for load reduction periods of one to four hours duration.

### **Open Market Transformation Program (Open MTP)**

The Open MTP targets traditionally underserved small commercial customers who may not employ knowledgeable personnel with a focus on energy efficiency, who are limited in the ability to implement energy efficiency measures, and/or who typically do not actively seek the help of a professional EESP. Small commercial customers with a peak demand not exceeding 100 kW in the previous 12 consecutive billing months may qualify to participate in the program. Available incentives are paid directly to the contractor, thereby reducing a portion of the project cost for the customer.

The program is intended to overcome market barriers for participating contractors by providing technical support and incentives to implement energy efficiency upgrades and produce demand and energy savings.

### **Residential Standard Offer Program (RSOP)**

The RSOP targets residential customers in existing homes. Incentives are paid to project sponsors for eligible measures installed in retrofit applications that result in verified demand and energy savings. Project comprehensiveness is encouraged.

### **SCORE/CitySmart Market Transformation Program (SCORE/CS MTP)**

The SCORE/CS MTP provides energy efficiency and demand reduction solutions for public and private educational entities grades K-12 as well as colleges and universities. In addition to educational facilities, SCORE/CS MTP provides these same solutions to local, state, county and federal government customers. This program is designed to help educate and assist these customers in lowering their energy use by facilitating the integration of energy efficiency into their short- and long-term planning, budgeting, and operational practices. Incentives are paid to participating customers for eligible energy efficiency measures that are installed in new or retrofit applications that result in verifiable demand and energy savings.

### **SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV Market Transformation Program (PV MTP)**

The PV MTP offers incentives to customers for the installation of solar photovoltaic (PV) systems interconnected on the customer's side of the meter. The incentives help offset the initial costs of installing solar PV systems, and encourage service providers to seek more installation opportunities. In addition to demand and energy savings achieved from the installations, the PV MTP aims to transform the solar PV market by increasing the number of qualified companies offering installation services in the service area, and decreasing the average installed cost of PV systems, thereby creating greater market economies of scale.

### **Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program (TLIP)**

The TLIP is designed to cost-effectively reduce the energy consumption and energy costs for low-income residential customers in the North Division service territory. Weatherization service providers install eligible weatherization and energy efficiency measures in qualified households that meet the Department of Energy (DOE) income-eligibility guidelines of at or below 200% of the current federal poverty guidelines. A Savings-to-Investment Ratio of 1.0 or higher is required at each serviced dwelling unit.

## **Whisker Labs Residential Thermostat Demand Response (DR) Pilot Market Transformation Program (WLDR MTP)**

Whisker Labs (WL), formerly known as Earth Networks (EN), will use their Connected Savings platform to deliver an Integrated Demand Side Management (IDSMS) aggregation program that will bring residential energy and demand savings. On the days that AEP Texas requests demand response services be implemented, WL will optimize the control thermostats to reduce HVAC load. The load reduction period will be for a duration of no more than three hours with at least an hour notice prior to the desired event start time.

### ***C. New Programs for 2017***

The North Division has no new programs for 2017.

### ***D. Discontinued Programs***

#### **Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP (EffCon)**

The Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP was a program with a partnership with REPs to help promote energy efficiency to residential customers by offering discounted LED lamps via an online marketplace. A third-party implementer facilitated customer/REP participation and aided in the selection and management of an online retailer/vendor for the program website and order fulfillment. Due to lower than expected sales volume, the program has been cancelled.

### ***E. Existing DSM Contracts or Obligations***

The North Division has no existing DSM contracts or obligations.

## II. Customer Classes

The North Division’s energy efficiency programs target its Residential and Commercial customer classes. The North Division’s energy efficiency programs also target customer sub-classes, such as Residential Hard-to-Reach and Low-Income, Schools, Small Businesses, and Local Governments.

The annual projected savings targets are allocated among these customer classes and sub-classes by examining historical program results and by evaluating economic trends, in compliance with 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(3).

Table 15 summarizes the number of customers in each customer class and the Residential Hard-to-Reach sub-class. The numbers listed are the actual number of active electric service accounts by class served for the month of January 2017. These numbers were used to determine goal and budget allocations for each customer class and program. It should be noted however, that the actual distribution of the annual goal and budget required to achieve the goal must remain flexible based upon the conditions of the marketplace, the potential interest of a customer class, and the overriding objective of meeting the mandated demand and energy reduction goals in total. The North Division offers a varied portfolio of SOPs and MTPs such that all eligible customer classes have access to energy efficiency alternatives.

**Table 15: Summary of Customer Classes – North Division**

<b>Customer Class</b>	<b>Number of Customers</b>
<b>Commercial</b>	37,365
<b>Residential</b>	155,180
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b> <sup>6</sup>	53,382*

\* Hard-to-Reach customer count is a sub-set of the Residential total.

<sup>6</sup> According to the U.S. Census Bureau’s 2015 Current Population Survey, 34.4% of Texas families fall below 200% of the poverty threshold. Applying that percentage to the North Division’s residential customer base of 155,180, the number of Hard-to-Reach customers is estimated at the North Division’s residential customer base of 53,382.

### **III. Energy Efficiency Goals and Projected Savings**

The North Division's 2017 annual demand and energy reduction goals to be achieved are 4.26 MW and 7,464 MWh, respectively. These goals have been calculated as prescribed by the EE Rule.

The 2017 goal was calculated by applying four-tenths of 1% (0.004) of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers to the five year average (2012-2016) peak demand at the meter of 998 MW. This resulted in a calculated goal of 3.99 MW.

The 2018 demand goal is calculated by applying four-tenths of 1% (0.004) of its summer weather-adjusted peak demand for the combined residential and commercial customers to the five year average (2012-2016) peak demand at the meter of 1,004 MW. This results in a calculated goal of 4.02 MW.

As stated in 16 TAC § 25.181(e)(1)(E), except as adjusted in accordance with subsection (w), a utility's demand reduction goal shall not be lower than the previous year's goal which was 4.26 kW, with a corresponding 7,464 MWh goal. The goal for 2017 and 2018 will be 4.26 kW and 7,464 MWh.

Table 16 presents historical annual growth in demand data for the previous five years that was used to calculate the goals. Table 17 presents the projected demand and energy savings for Program Years 2017 and 2018 by program, for each customer class with fully-deployed program budgets.

**Table 16: Annual Growth in Demand and Energy Consumption – North Division**

Calendar Year	Peak Demand (MW) @ Source						Energy Consumption (MWh) @ Meter				Energy Efficiency Goal Calculations		
	Total System		Residential & Commercial				Total System		Residential & Commercial		Peak Demand at Meter (11.5% line losses)*	5 year Average Peak Demand at Meter	Goal Metric: 0.4% Peak Demand at Meter
	Actual	Weather Adjusted	Actual	Weather Adjusted	Opt-Out	Peak Demand at Source	Actual	Weather Adjusted	Actual	Weather Adjusted			
2012	1,172	1,114	1,168	1,107	-9.5	1,098	5,145	5,055	5,016	4,926	972	NA	NA
2013	1,147	1,145	1,142	1,140	-9.6	1,130	5,221	5,131	5,084	4,994	1,000	NA	NA
2014	1,086	1,164	1,084	1,161	-9.1	1,152	5,600	5,526	5,459	5,385	1,020	NA	NA
2015	1,193	1,177	1,179	1,163	-15.7	1,147	5,779	5,741	5,532	5,495	1,015	993	3.97
2016	1,169	1,181	1,151	1,163	-19.4	1,144	5,524	5,521	5,205	5,202	1,012	1,002	4.01
2017	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	998	3.99
2018	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,004	4.02

\*Line losses are derived from the loss factors determined in the North Division's most recent line loss study.

**Table 17: Projected Demand and Energy Savings by Program for Each Customer Class for 2017 and 2018 (at the Meter) – North Division**

<b>2017</b>	<b>Projected Savings</b>	
	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
<b>Customer Class and Program</b>		
<b>Commercial</b>		
Commercial Solutions MTP	400	2,909,280
Commercial SOP	420	2,660,077
Load Management SOP	2,175	7,797
Open MTP	409	1,630,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	161	1,280,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	65	216,280
<b>Residential</b>		
Residential SOP	1,244	2,630,373
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	53	174,825
Whisker Labs Residential DR Pilot MTP	500	0
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>		
Hard-to-Reach SOP	609	1,039,947
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	109	246,626
<b>Total Annual Projected Savings</b>	<b>6,145</b>	<b>12,795,205</b>



**Table 17: Projected Demand and Energy Savings by Program for Each Customer Class for 2017 and 2018 (at the Meter) – North Division (Continued)**

2018 Customer Class and Program	Projected Savings	
	kW	kWh
<b>Commercial</b>		
Commercial Solutions MTP	400	2,909,280
Commercial SOP	420	2,660,077
Load Management SOP	2,175	7,797
Open MTP	409	1,630,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	161	1,280,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	65	216,280
<b>Residential</b>		
Residential SOP	1,244	2,630,373
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<b>Total Annual Projected Savings</b>	<b>6,145</b>	<b>12,795,205</b>

#### IV. Program Budgets

Table 18 presents total proposed budget allocations required to meet the projected demand and energy savings to be achieved for the Program Years 2017 and 2018. The budget allocations are defined by the overall projected demand and energy savings, the avoided costs of capacity and energy specified in the EE Rule, allocation of demand goals, and the incentive levels by customer class. Budget allocations are detailed by customer class, program, and the following budget categories: incentives, administration, research and development (R&D), and evaluation, measurement and verification (EM&V).

**Table 18: Projected Annual Budget by Program for Each Customer Class  
 for 2017 and 2018 – North Division**

<b>2017</b>	<b>Incentives</b>	<b>Admin</b>	<b>R&amp;D</b>	<b>EM&amp;V</b>	<b>Total Budget</b>
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$363,660	\$54,340			\$418,000
Commercial SOP	\$308,850	\$46,150			\$355,000
Load Management SOP	\$87,000	\$13,000			\$100,000
Open MTP	\$419,340	\$62,660			\$482,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$160,080	\$23,920			\$184,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$82,650	\$12,350			\$95,000
<b>Residential</b>					
Residential SOP	\$530,700	\$79,300			\$610,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$102,660	\$15,340			\$118,000
Whisker Labs Residential DR MTP	\$20,010	\$2,990			\$23,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$314,070	\$46,930			\$361,000
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$287,970	\$43,030			\$331,000
<b>Research and Development</b>					
R&D	NAP	NAP	\$200,000		\$200,000
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>					
EM&V	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$31,221	\$31,221
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>\$2,676,990</b>	<b>\$400,010</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>	<b>\$31,221</b>	<b>\$3,308,221</b>

**Table 18: Projected Annual Budget by Program for Each Customer Class  
 for 2017 and 2018 – North Division (Continued)**

<b>2018</b>	<b>Incentives</b>	<b>Admin</b>	<b>R&amp;D</b>		<b>Total Budget</b>
<b>Commercial</b>					
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$363,660	\$54,340			\$418,000
Commercial SOP	\$308,850	\$46,150			\$355,000
Load Management SOP	\$87,000	\$13,000			\$100,000
Open MTP	\$419,340	\$62,660			\$482,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$160,080	\$23,920			\$184,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$82,650	\$12,350			\$95,000
<b>Residential</b>					
Residential SOP	\$530,700	\$79,300			\$610,000
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$102,660	\$15,340			\$118,000
Whisker Labs Residential DR MTP	\$20,010	\$2,990			\$23,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$314,070	\$46,930			\$361,000
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$287,970	\$43,030			\$331,000
<b>Research and Development</b>					
R&D	NAP	NAP	\$200,000		\$200,000
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>					
EM&V	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$31,209	\$31,209
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>\$2,676,990</b>	<b>\$400,010</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>	<b>\$31,209</b>	<b>\$3,308,209</b>

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### V. Historical Demand and Energy Goals and Savings Achieved for the Previous Five Years

[Table 8](#) ~~Table~~ 19 contains the demand and energy reduction goals and actual savings achieved for the previous five years (2012-2016) calculated in accordance with the EE Rule.

**Table 19: Historical Demand and Energy Goals\* and Savings Achieved (at the Meter) – North Division**

Calendar Year	Actual Weather Adjusted Demand Goal (MW)	Actual Weather Adjusted Energy Goal (MWh)	Savings Achieved (MW)	Savings Achieved (MWh)
2016	4.26	7,464	6.38	10,817
2015	4.26	7,464	4.54	12,289
2014	4.26	7,464	8.15	11,867
2013	4.26	7,464	6.93	9,087
2012	4.26	7,464	6.02	7,353

\* Actual Weather Adjusted MW and MWh Goals as reported in the EEPRs filed in years 2012-2016.

## VI. Projected, Reported and Verified Demand and Energy Savings

**Table 20: Projected versus Reported and Verified Savings  
 for 2016 and 2015 (at the Meter) – North Division**

<b>2016</b>	<b>Projected Savings</b>		<b>Reported and Verified Savings</b>	
<b>Customer Class and Program</b>	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
<b>Commercial</b>				
Commercial Solutions MTP	323	2,000,000	294	2,220,044
Commercial SOP	391	2,476,965	303	1,743,971
Load Management SOP	2,014	7,222	3,378	5,767
Open MTP	380	1,344,000	382	1,843,603
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	161	1,000,000	387	1,001,809
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	83	160,000	60	116,480
<b>Residential</b>				
Earth Networks Residential DR Pilot	500	500	388	0
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	123	659,221	33	138,277
Residential SOP	795	2,471,851	753	2,632,186
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	79	151,481	78	150,848
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>				
Hard-to-Reach SOP	231	733,841	230	736,447
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	88	186,989	95	227,901
<b>Total Annual Savings</b>	<b>5,168</b>	<b>11,192,070</b>	<b>6,381</b>	<b>10,817,333</b>

**Table 20: Projected versus Reported and Verified Savings  
 for 2016 and 2015 (at the Meter) – North Division (Continued)**

<b>2015</b>	<b>Projected Savings</b>		<b>Reported and Verified Savings</b>	
	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
<b>Customer Class and Program</b>				
<b>Commercial</b>				
Commercial Solutions MTP	323	2,000,000	389	2,717,077
Commercial SOP	740	2,920,000	427	2,704,863
Load Management SOP	2,751	19,282	1,744	6,252
Open MTP	357	1,344,000	392	1,680,387
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	161	1,000,000	258	1,300,469
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	61	117,000	101	194,416
<b>Residential</b>				
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	105	525,131	5	22,397
Residential SOP	800	2,451,000	844	2,624,877
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	71	137,143	67	129,664
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>				
Hard-to-Reach SOP	224	589,828	228	722,719
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	122	268,166	88	186,149
<b>Total Annual Savings</b>	<b>5,715</b>	<b>11,371,550</b>	<b>4,542</b>	<b>12,289,271</b>

## VII. Historical Program Expenditures

This section documents the North Division’s incentive and administration expenditures for the previous five years (2012-2016) detailed by program for each customer class.

**Table 21: Historical Program Incentive and Administrative Expenditures for 2012 through 2016 (000’s) – North Division**

	2016		2015		2014		2013		2012	
	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin
<b>Commercial</b>										
AEP Texas CARE\$ Energy Efficiency for Not-for-Profit Agencies SOP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$52.12	\$14.36
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$330.00	\$32.97	\$410.11	\$33.41	\$296.58	\$31.42	\$177.64	\$20.69	\$231.71	\$29.01
Commercial SOP	\$187.96	\$22.88	\$218.53	\$22.47	\$196.10	\$35.58	\$132.02	\$29.32	\$64.17	\$18.66
Irrigation Load Management MTP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$ 50.00	\$ 6.59	\$140.00	\$18.25	NAP	NAP
Load Management SOP	\$80.58	\$10.52	\$ 31.89	\$ 3.17	\$ 41.50	\$ 8.64	\$ 96.30	\$18.30	\$50.00	\$11.27
Load Management SOP – Expanded	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$14.46	\$3.18
Open MTP	\$417.06	\$47.98	\$461.04	\$45.24	\$421.18	\$48.23	\$374.73	\$50.56	NAP	NAP
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$153.27	\$17.41	\$185.88	\$16.49	\$216.14	\$23.49	\$230.35	\$26.39	\$184.17	\$24.48
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$49.81	\$5.37	\$ 60.48	\$ 4.83	\$ 44.29	\$ 4.32	\$ 67.74	\$ 8.90	\$79.44	\$10.76

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**Table 21: Historical Program Incentive and Administrative Expenditures for 2012 through 2016 (000's) – North Division  
 (Continued)**

	2016		2015		2014		2013		2012	
	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin	Incent.	Admin
<b>Residential</b>										
A/C Distributor Pilot MTP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$139.28	\$21.69	\$133.59	\$22.28	\$41.01	\$9.38
Earth Networks Residential DR Pilot	\$15.51	\$1.49	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	\$81.76	\$7.59	\$ 62.05	\$ 10.23	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
Residential SOP	\$415.69	\$60.11	\$445.52	\$61.55	\$414.45	\$57.48	\$364.19	\$62.57	\$362.49	\$59.73
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$88.34	\$9.52	\$100.88	\$ 8.06	\$102.04	\$ 9.96	\$ 68.73	\$ 9.03	\$100.70	\$13.45
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>										
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$162.14	\$25.46	\$160.19	\$ 15.79	\$160.60	\$23.69	\$177.12	\$32.97	\$213.45	\$36.82
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$255.66	\$32.68	\$256.02	\$ 27.07	\$248.23	\$32.82	\$251.37	\$37.13	\$199.29	\$40.23
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>	NAP	\$82.69	NAP	\$ 86.35	NAP	\$122.51	NAP	\$86.56	NAP	\$108.66
<b>Evaluation, Measurement &amp; Verification (EM&amp;V)</b>	NAP	\$28.41	NAP	\$ 43.51	NAP	\$53.82	NAP	\$68.34	NAP	NAP
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	\$2,237.76	\$385.08	\$2,392.59	\$378.19	\$2,330.39	\$480.24	\$2,213.78	\$491.29	\$1,593.01	\$379.99



## **VIII. Program Funding for Calendar Year 2016**

As shown in Table 22, the total projected budget in 2016 was \$2,987,851 and the actual total funds expended in 2016 were \$2,622,844, an overall total program expenditure difference of 12% from the amount budgeted.

The following individual program expenditures differed from their respective proposed program budgets by more than 10% as explained below.

The CS MTP did not expend its full incentive budget due to a combination of some projects not being completed in time to perform the final savings validation and verification and a higher mix of measures receiving incentives at the lower tier. Regardless, higher than expected energy savings were obtained from the customers energy efficiency projects that were completed, thus exceeding the programs main driver, kWh savings.

The EarthNetworks Residential DR Pilot MTP was under budget due to lower than projected demand savings of 1.5 kW per participating customer. The average was 1.2 kW per customer.

The EffCon Pilot MTP was under budget due to lower than expected sales volume.

The commercial component of the PV MTP did not fully utilize its incentive budget during the program year due to a project withdrawing from the program before the end of the year.

The residential component of the PV MTP did not fully utilize its incentive budget during the program year due to lower than expected participation.

The combined 2016 expenditures for the TLIP and the HTR SOP constituted 16% of its energy efficiency budget for the 2016 Program Year. The 2016 expenditure for the TLIP constituted 10% of its energy efficiency budget for the 2016 Program Year.

**Table 22: Program Funding for Calendar Year 2016 (Dollar amounts in 000's) – North Division**

	Total Projected Budget <sup>7</sup>	Numbers of Customers Participating	Actual Funds Expended (Incentives)	Actual Funds Expended (Admin)	Research & Development	Evaluation, Measurement & Verification	Total Funds Expended
<b>Commercial</b>							
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$417.77	9	\$330.00	\$32.97			\$362.97
Commercial SOP	\$229.88	12	\$187.96	\$22.88			\$210.84
Load Management SOP	\$92.62	18	\$80.58	\$10.52			\$91.10
Open MTP	\$481.89	70	\$417.06	\$47.98			\$465.04
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$183.91	15	\$153.27	\$17.41			\$170.68
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$94.97	1	\$49.81	\$5.37			\$55.18
<b>Residential</b>							
Earth Networks Residential DR Pilot	\$22.99	324	\$15.51	\$1.49			\$17.00
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP	\$172.41	494	\$81.76	\$7.59			\$89.34
Residential SOP	\$482.31	842	\$415.69	\$60.11			\$475.79
SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP	\$117.24	10	\$88.34	\$9.52			\$97.86
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>							
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$187.03	219	\$162.14	\$25.46			\$187.59
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$295.57	65	\$255.66	\$32.68			\$288.34
<b>Research and Development</b>	\$177.01	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$82.69	NAP	\$82.69
<b>EM&amp;V</b>							
<b>Statewide EM&amp;V Contractor</b>	\$32.25	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP	\$28.41	\$28.41
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	\$2,987.85	NAP	\$2,237.76	\$273.97	\$82.69	\$28.41	\$2,622.84

<sup>7</sup> Projected Budget from the EEPR filed April 2016, Project No. 45675.

## **IX. Market Transformation Program Results**

### **Commercial Solutions MTP**

For 2016, the North Division projected to acquire 2,000,000 kWh of energy savings from CS MTP. The North Division verified and reported 2,220,044 kWh. This included participation by 9 customers.

### **EarthNetworks Residential DR Pilot MTP**

The EarthNetworks Residential DR Pilot MTP goal was to acquire 500 kW demand savings. A total of 388 kW was achieved by participation of 324 residential customers in 2016.

### **Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP**

The Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP goal was to acquire 123 kW demand savings and 659,221 kWh in energy savings. A total of 33 kW and 138,277 kWh were achieved in 2016. Reported savings included 494 customers.

### **Open MTP**

The Open MTP goal was to acquire 380 kW demand savings and 1,344,000 kWh in energy savings. A total of 382 kW and 1,843,603 kWh were achieved in 2016. Reported savings included 70 small commercial customers and 9 participating contractors.

### **SCORE/CitySmart MTP**

For 2016, the North Division projected to acquire 1,000,000 kWh of energy savings from this program. The North Division verified and reported 1,001,809 kWh. This included participation by 15 customers.

### **SMART Source<sup>SM</sup> Solar PV MTP**

The 2016 PV MTP projected to acquire a 162 kW in demand savings and 311,481 kWh in energy savings from the residential and non-residential components. A total of 11 residential and non-residential solar PV projects were completed within the program, resulting in a peak demand reduction of 139 kW and 267,328 kWh of energy savings.

## **X. Administrative Costs and Research and Development**

### **Administrative Costs**

Administrative costs incurred to meet the energy efficiency goals and objectives include, but may not be limited to, energy efficiency employees' payroll, costs associated with regulatory filings, and EM&V costs outside of the actual cost associated with the EM&V contractor. Any portion of these costs which are not directly assignable to a specific program are allocated among the programs in proportion to the program incentive costs.

### **Program Research and Development**

R&D activities are intended to help meet future energy efficiency goals by researching new technologies, program options and developing better, more efficient ways to administer current programs. The following is a summary of the North Division's R&D activities for 2016.

AEP Texas dedicated resources to develop a new electronic data collection and management system for current programs. In addition, AEP Texas participated with Electric Utility Marketing Managers of Texas (EUMMOT) in researching potentially new deemed savings measures for various programs.

### **Informational Activities**

The North Division continues its best efforts to encourage and facilitate the involvement of REPs and EESPs in the delivery of its programs to customers. The North Division utilizes local, regional and national conferences, trade shows, and other events for outreach and information exchange with participating REPs and EESPs. The North Division again presented detailed program information at its annual AEP Texas Competitive REP workshop in September. The North Division also provides new and existing energy efficiency program information to the REPs and EESPs throughout the year on a timely basis via e-mail.

## **XI. 2017 Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor (EECRF)**

The total amount approved to be collected through the North Division’s 2017 EECRF is \$1,758,574, which consists of the following components:

- recovery of \$1,790,454 in energy efficiency expenses budgeted for 2017 (North Division’s actual projected budget for energy efficiency expenses for 2017 is \$3,277,000, which is reduced by \$1,294,430 in energy efficiency costs expressly included in base rates and \$192,116 of load growth);
- recovery of a performance bonus in the amount of \$186,197 for achieving energy efficiency goals in Program Year 2015;
- return to customers in the amount of \$203,607 in energy efficiency program costs over-collected through North Division’s EECRF in 2015;
- recovery of \$4,530 for 2015 EECRF proceeding expenses incurred in Docket No. 44718 by municipalities as authorized by 16 TAC § R. 25.181(f)(3)(B); and
- a settlement adjustment of \$19,000 as approved in PUC Docket No. 45928.

**Table 23: 2017 EECRF**

<b>Customer Class</b>	<b>EECRF</b>
Residential Service	\$0.000449 per kWh
Secondary Service (less than or equal to 10 kW)	(\$0.000154) per kWh
Secondary Service (greater than 10 kW)	\$0.000485 per kWh
Primary Service	(\$0.000005) per kWh
Transmission Service	(\$0.010866) per kW

## **XII. 2016 EECRF Summary**

### **2016 Collections for Energy Efficiency**

The North Division collected \$1,439,228 through its 2016 base rates, including \$1,294,430 expressly included in base rates and an adjustment for load growth in the amount of \$144,798, and \$1,696,149 through its 2016 EECRF for a total of \$3,135,377. A performance bonus of \$888,677 for exceeding its 2014 energy efficiency goals and \$283,963 returned to customers are reflected in the total amount collected for energy efficiency in 2016.

### **Energy Efficiency Program Costs Expended**

The North Division expended a total of \$2,622,844 for its 2016 energy efficiency programs. The amount expended is \$365,007 less than the 2016 projected budget of \$2,987,851 for energy efficiency programs.

### **Over-Recovery of Energy Efficiency Costs**

The North Division's actual 2016 energy efficiency program costs (including EM&V costs) less municipal rate case expenses are \$2,621,831 and actual energy efficiency program revenues are \$2,950,566. These associated 2016 costs and revenues result in an over-recovery of energy efficiency costs of \$328,735. This is the amount that the North Division will request be returned to customers within its 2018 EECRF.

## **XIII. Underserved Counties**

The North Division has defined Underserved Counties as any county in the service territory for which the North Division reported no demand or energy savings through any of its 2016 SOPs or MTPs. Per 16 TAC § 25.181(n) (2) (U), a list of the Underserved Counties is as follows:

- Baylor
- Crane
- Edwards
- Gillespie
- Hall
- King
- Mason
- McCullough
- Nolan
- Stephens

#### **XIV. Performance Bonus**

The North Division achieved a 6,381 kW reduction in peak demand from its energy efficiency programs offered in 2016. This achievement represents 150% of its 2016 demand reduction goal of 4,260 kW. The North Division also achieved 10,817,333 kWh, which represents 145%, of its energy reduction goal of 7,464,000 kWh. These results qualify the North Division for a Performance Bonus. Per 16 TAC § 25.181(h), the North Division is eligible for a Performance Bonus of \$556,184, which it will request within its June 1, 2017 EECRF Filing for recovery in 2018.

In 2016, the North Division's total spending on energy efficiency programs was \$2,622,844. This includes actual EM&V expenditures to the EM&V contractor of \$28,413. Per the PUC, the total program costs to be used in the Performance Bonus calculation should include the EM&V cost allocation provided by the EM&V contractor for Program Year 2016, instead of the actual EM&V contractor expenditures. As a result, the total program expenditures for the bonus calculation will not match the actual total program expenditures exhibited in the applicable tables in this EEPR. For the purposes of the Performance Bonus calculation, the North Division's 2016 total program costs equaled \$2,627,871.

**Table 24: Energy Efficiency Performance Bonus Calculation for 2016 – North Division**

	kW	kWh
<b>2016 Goals</b>	4,260	7,464,000
<b>2016 Savings</b>		
<i>Reported/Verified Total (including HTR and measures with &lt;10yr EUL)</i>	6,381	10,817,333
<i>Reported/Verified Hard-to-Reach</i>	325	
<b>2016 Program Costs</b>		\$2,627,871
<b>2016 Performance Bonus</b>		\$556,190

**Performance Bonus Calculation**

150%	Percentage of Demand Reduction Goal Met (Reported kW/Goal kW)
145%	Percentage of Energy Reduction Goal Met (Reported kWh/Goal kWh)
TRUE	Met Requirements for Performance Bonus?
\$8,189,770	Total Avoided Cost (Reported kW * PV (Avoided Capacity Cost) + Reported kWh * PV(Avoided Energy Cost))
\$2,627,871	Total Program Costs
\$5,561,899	Net Benefits (Total Avoided Cost - Total Expenses)

**Bonus Calculation**

\$1,384,815	Calculated Bonus ((Achieved Demand Reduction/Demand Goal - 100%) / 2) * Net Benefits
\$556,190	Maximum Bonus Allowed (10% of Net Benefits)
\$556,190	Bonus (Minimum of Calculated Bonus and Bonus Limit)



## Acronyms

<b>CSOP</b>	Commercial Standard Offer Program
<b>CS MTP</b>	Commercial Solutions Market Transformation Program
<b>DR</b>	Demand Response
<b>DSM</b>	Demand Side Management
<b>EECRF</b>	Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor
<b>EEPR</b>	Energy Efficiency Plan and Report
<b>EE Rule</b>	Energy Efficiency Rule, 16 TAC §§ 25.181 and 25.183
<b>EESP</b>	Energy Efficiency Service Providers
<b>EffCon</b>	Efficiency Connection Pilot Market Transformation Program
<b>EUMMOT</b>	Electric Utility Marketing Managers of Texas
<b>HTR</b>	Hard-To-Reach
<b>HTR SOP</b>	Hard-to-Reach Standard Offer Program
<b>LM SOP</b>	Load Management Standard Offer Program
<b>MTP</b>	Market Transformation Program
<b>NAP</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Open MTP</b>	Open Market Transformation Program
<b>PUC</b>	Public Utility Commission of Texas
<b>PURA</b>	Public Utility Regulatory Act
<b>PV</b>	Photovoltaic
<b>PV MTP</b>	SMART Source <sup>SM</sup> Solar PV Market Transformation Program
<b>R&amp;D</b>	Research and Development

## Acronyms (Continued)

<b>REP</b>	Retail Electric Provider
<b>RES</b>	Residential
<b>RSOP</b>	Residential Standard Offer Program
<b>SCORE</b>	Schools Conserving Resources
<b>SCORE/CS MTP</b>	SCORE/CitySmart Market Transformation Program
<b>SOP</b>	Standard Offer Program
<b>TDU</b>	Transmission and Distribution Utility
<b>TLIP</b>	Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program
<b>TNC</b>	AEP Texas North Company (now the North Division of AEP Texas)

## **APPENDIX A:**

### **REPORTED AND VERIFIED DEMAND AND ENERGY REDUCTION BY COUNTY**

**CALENDAR YEAR 2016  
 COMMERCIAL SOLUTIONS MTP**

<b>County</b>	<b>Reported Savings</b>	
	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
Brewster	0.98	6,394
Runnels	37.13	278,357
Taylor	41.13	323,466
Tom Green	215.03	1,611,827
<b>Total</b>	<b>294.27</b>	<b>2,220,044</b>

**COMMERCIAL SOP**

<b>County</b>	<b>Reported Savings</b>	
	<b>kW</b>	<b>kWh</b>
Childress	5.75	37,682
Hardeman	60.63	303,808
Menard	4.46	10,444
Taylor	87.37	384,063
Tom Green	142.66	993,511
Wilbarger	2.23	14,463
<b>Total</b>	<b>303.10</b>	<b>1,743,971</b>

**EARTHNETWORKS RESIDENTIAL DR PILOT MTP**

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Callahan	4.75	N/A
Childress	6.29	N/A
Coleman	-1.52	N/A
Concho	-0.59	N/A
Crocket	-0.35	N/A
Dickens	0.02	N/A
Eastland	11.74	N/A
Fisher	0.35	N/A
Hardeman	2.43	N/A
Haskell	-1.88	N/A
Jones	-0.23	N/A
Kent	0.78	N/A
Menard	0.06	N/A
Reagan	21.22	N/A
Runnels	1.13	N/A
Schleicher	2.35	N/A
Sterling	0.76	N/A
Sutton	0.57	N/A
Taylor	177.29	N/A
Tom Green	95.41	N/A
Upton	5.60	N/A
Wilbarger	61.63	N/A
<b>Total</b>	<b>387.81</b>	<b>N/A</b>

**EFFICIENCY CONNECTION MTP**

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Brewster	2.09	8,983
Briscoe	0.06	189
Brown	0.05	218
Callahan	1.50	6,455
Childress	0.36	1,189
Coke	0.28	1,198
Coleman	0.02	87
Cottle	0.29	944
Crockett	0.07	306
Dickens	0.11	377
Eastland	0.30	1,292
Fisher	0.31	1,311
Foard	0.21	684
Hardeman	0.23	746
Haskell	0.47	2,010
Irion	0.05	218
Jeff Davis	0.28	1,198
Jones	0.69	2,956
Kimble	0.05	218
Knox	0.32	1,047
Menard	0.22	924
Motley	0.13	440
Pecos	0.56	2,384
Presidio	0.62	2,659
Reagan	0.17	743
Reeves	0.05	218
Runnels	0.63	2,702
Schleicher	0.05	218
Shackelford	0.16	699
Sterling	0.34	1,446
Sutton	0.17	743
Taylor	12.03	51,672
Throckmorton	0.05	218
Tom Green	9.02	38,734
Upton	0.15	655
Wilbarger	0.66	2,194
<b>Total</b>	<b>32.75</b>	<b>138,275</b>

### HARD-TO-REACH SOP

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Coke	1.18	10,124
Taylor	135.09	451,661
Tom Green	63.99	226,254
Wilbarger	29.89	48,409
<b>Total</b>	<b>230.15</b>	<b>736,448</b>

### LOAD MANAGEMENT SOP

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Taylor	2,744.86	4,624
Tom Green	518.18	913
Wilbarger	114.86	230
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,377.90</b>	<b>5,767</b>

### OPEN MTP

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Childress	34.04	138,370
Haskell	12.95	84,811
Runnels	17.44	75,062
Taylor	178.31	883,643
Tom Green	132.99	634,970
Wilbarger	6.34	26,747
<b>Total</b>	<b>382.07</b>	<b>1,843,603</b>

### RESIDENTIAL SOP

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Callahan	3.97	13,028
Crockett	39.61	93,936
Irion	0.83	1,589
Jones	0.85	1,468
Reagan	17.88	41,641
Runnels	0.49	940
Shackelford	6.49	10,345
Sutton	31.89	72,925
Taylor	496.12	1,718,960
Tom Green	150.22	673,100
Wilbarger	4.14	4,254
<b>Total</b>	<b>752.49</b>	<b>2,632,186</b>

### SCORE/CITYSMART MTP

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Runnels	19.08	108,861
Taylor	361.38	875,965
Tom Green	6.25	16,983
<b>Total</b>	<b>386.71</b>	<b>1,001,809</b>

### SMART SOURCE<sup>SM</sup> SOLAR PV MTP

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Brewster	0.91	1,760
Callahan	7.62	14,688
Knox	8.42	16,224
Presidio	15.68	30,240
Sutton	15.24	29,376
Taylor	73.01	140,744
Tom Green	17.79	34,296
<b>Total</b>	<b>138.67</b>	<b>267,328</b>



**TARGETED LOW-INCOME  
 ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM**

County	Reported Savings	
	kW	kWh
Brewster	0.01	41
Callahan	25.63	45,716
Concho	3.33	4,730
Fisher	2.23	3,709
Foard	1.68	1,368
Haskell	1.69	1,885
Jones	6.2	14,205
Kent	3.64	12,535
Menard	1	7,668
Presidio	1.43	3,277
Schleicher	1.24	1,587
Stonewall	3.46	11,412
Taylor	2.57	3,148
Tom Green	34.76	100,615
Upton	0.89	2,596
Wilbarger	5.47	13,409
<b>Total</b>	<b>95.23</b>	<b>227,901</b>

## **APPENDIX B:**

### **PROGRAM TEMPLATES**

AEP Texas North Division does not have any Program Templates to report this year.

## **APPENDIX C:**

### **EXISTING CONTRACTS OR OBLIGATIONS**

AEP Texas North Division has no Existing Contracts or Obligations documentation to provide.

## **APPENDIX D:**

### **OPTIONAL SUPPORT DOCUMENTATION**

AEP Texas North Division provides the following Optional Supporting Documentation.



AEP Texas North Division presented an incentive check to the Chillicothe Independent School District for the installation of high efficiency LED lighting and HVAC equipment through the CSOP.



AEP Texas North Division presented the Jim Ned Consolidated Independent School District (CISD) with a cash incentive for its participation in the SCORE/CitySmart MTP. Jim Ned CISD installed high-efficiency lighting and cooling systems in two of its elementary schools.

AEP Texas - Central Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing  
Worksheet Schedule A

2018 Central Division		Incentives	Admin	R&D	Total
Commercial	Commercial Solutions MTP	\$508,500	\$56,500		\$565,000
	Commercial SOP	\$1,813,500	\$201,500		\$2,015,000
	CoolSaver® A/C Tune-up MTP (Comm)	\$596,700	\$66,300		\$663,000
	Load Management SOP	\$650,700	\$72,300		\$723,000
	OpenTargeted Small Business MTP	\$793,800	\$88,200		\$882,000
	SCORE/CS MTP	\$946,800	\$105,200		\$1,052,000
	SMART SourceSM Solar PV Pilot MTP Comm	\$204,000	\$22,667		\$226,667
	CoolSaver® A/C Tune-up MTP (Res)	\$675,000	\$75,000		\$750,000
	Whisker Labs	\$150,300	\$16,700		\$167,000
	High Performance New Homes MTP	\$765,000	\$85,000		\$850,000
	Residential SOP	\$2,666,340	\$296,260		\$2,962,600
	SMART SourceSM Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667		\$226,667
	<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>				
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,087,560	\$120,840		\$1,208,400	
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,283,400	\$142,600		\$1,426,000	
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>					
R&D Programs			\$365,125	\$365,125	
EM&V				\$353,977	
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program Revenue Requirement</b>		\$12,345,600	\$1,371,734	\$365,125	\$14,436,436

2018		Incentives	Admin	R&D	EM&V	Total
Commercial	Commercial Solutions MTP	\$508,500	\$56,500			\$565,000
	Commercial SOP	\$1,813,500	\$201,500			\$2,015,000
	CoolSaver AC Tune-up MTP	\$596,700	\$66,300			\$663,000
	Load Management SOP	\$650,700	\$72,300			\$723,000
	Open MTP	\$793,800	\$88,200			\$882,000
	SCORE/CS MTP	\$946,800	\$105,200			\$1,052,000
	SMART SourceSM Solar PV Pilot MTP Comm	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
	CoolSaver® A/C Tune-up MTP (Res)	\$675,000	\$75,000			\$750,000
	Whisker Labs	\$150,300	\$16,700			\$167,000
	High Performance New Homes MTP	\$765,000	\$85,000			\$850,000
	Residential SOP	\$2,666,340	\$296,260			\$2,962,600
	SMART SourceSM Solar PV MTP	\$204,000	\$22,667			\$226,667
	<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>					
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$1,087,560	\$120,840			\$1,208,400	
Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	\$1,283,400	\$142,600			\$1,426,000	
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>						
R&D Programs		\$0	\$0	\$365,125	\$365,125	
EM&V					\$353,977	
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program Revenue Requirement</b>		\$12,345,600	\$1,371,734	\$365,125	\$353,977	\$14,436,436

2018 Central Division		Res	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Primary	Total
<b>Commercial</b>	Commercial Solutions MTP		X	X	X	1,000
	Commercial SOP		X	X	X	1,000
	CoolSaver® A/C Tune-up MTP (Comm)		X	X	X	1,000
	Load Management SOP		X	X	X	1,000
	Open Targeted Small Business MTP		X	X	X	1,000
	SCORE/CS MTP		X	X	X	1,000
	SMART SourceSM Solar PV Pilot MTP Comm		X	X	X	1,000
<b>Residential</b>	CoolSaver® A/C Tune-up MTP (Res)	X				\$565,000
	Whisker Labs	X				\$2,015,000
	High Performance New Homes MTP	X				\$663,000
	Residential SOP	X				\$723,000
	SMART SourceSM Solar PV MTP	X				\$882,000
	Hard-to-Reach	X				\$1,052,000
	Targeted Low-Income Energy Efficiency Program	X				\$226,667
	Research and Development (R&D)	X				\$750,000
	R&D Programs	X				\$167,000
	EM&V	X				\$850,000
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program Revenue Requirement</b>						
<b>2018 Commercial</b>		0.5355	0.0188	0.3495	0.0962	1,000
			0.0405	0.7524	0.2071	1,000
			0.0510	0.7842	0.2158	1,000
			\$22,861	\$425,121	\$117,018	\$565,000
			\$81,532	\$1,516,140	\$417,328	\$2,015,000
			\$33,834	\$629,166	\$156,055	\$663,000
			\$45,010	\$566,945	\$723,000	\$882,000
			\$42,566	\$791,553	\$217,880	\$1,052,000
			\$9,171	\$170,550	\$46,945	\$226,667
<b>Residential</b>		\$750,000				\$750,000
		\$167,000				\$167,000
		\$850,000				\$850,000
		\$2,962,600				\$2,962,600
		\$226,667				\$226,667
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>		\$1,208,400				\$1,208,400
		\$1,426,000				\$1,426,000
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>		\$195,531	\$6,862	\$127,607	\$35,125	\$365,125
		\$195,714	\$6,079	\$127,291	\$24,894	\$353,977
		\$7,981,912	\$247,916	\$5,191,363	\$1,015,245	\$14,436,436
		\$7,786,198	\$241,837	\$5,064,073	\$990,351	\$14,082,459
		55.2900%	1.7173%	35.9601%	7.0325%	100.0000%
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program Revenue Requirement</b>						
	Cost less EM&V					
	2018 Program					
	Cost Alloc.					

WP Schedule C (Summary)

AEP Texas - Central Division  
 Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing

Class	2016 Program + Admin Costs		2016 R&D Cost	2016 EM&V Cost	45929 Municipal Expense	2016 EE Costs	2016 EECRF Rider Revenue	2014 Performance Bonus	2014 (Over)/Under	2016 EECRF Program Revenue	2016 EE Base Revenue	2016 EE Base Adjustment	2016 Total Revenue	2016 (Over)/Under Recovery
	a	b	c	d	e=a+b+c+d	f	g	h	i=f-g-h	j	k	l=i+j+k	m=e-l	
Residential	\$7,323,844	\$239,586	\$89,932	\$1,576	\$7,651,786	\$5,693,894	\$1,544,080	(\$471,277)	\$4,621,091	\$3,024,435	\$58,782	\$8,204,308	(\$552,522)	
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$137,601	\$2,091	\$1,695	\$30	\$141,357	\$144,496	\$48,371	(\$9,655)	\$105,780	\$114,088	\$16,589	\$236,456	(\$95,099)	
Secondary > 10 kW	\$3,962,076	\$59,976	\$48,627	\$852	\$4,069,827	\$3,378,566	\$1,047,962	(\$595,778)	\$2,926,382	\$1,957,962	\$280,940	\$5,165,284	(\$1,095,457)	
Primary	\$1,710,173	\$25,654	\$20,799	\$364	\$1,756,262	\$703,654	\$195,208	\$61,199	\$447,247	\$675,491	\$43,778	\$1,166,515	\$589,747	
Transmission	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-\$640,629	\$0	(\$63,685)	(\$576,944)	\$562,892	\$34,412	\$20,360	(\$20,360)	
Lighting	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$81	(\$81)	\$0	\$0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,133,695</b>	<b>\$327,306</b>	<b>\$161,054</b>	<b>\$2,822</b>	<b>\$13,619,232</b>	<b>\$9,279,980</b>	<b>\$2,835,621</b>	<b>(\$1,079,196)</b>	<b>\$7,523,555</b>	<b>\$6,334,949</b>	<b>\$934,419</b>	<b>\$14,792,924</b>	<b>(\$1,173,691)</b>	



# Central Division 2016 YE Program Results

Commercial Programs	Sec <= 10			Sec > 10			Total	Res	Admin Prim	Res	Total
	Sec <= 10	Sec > 10	Incentives Prim	Sec <= 10	Sec > 10	Total					
ComSol MTP	15,232.72	431,059.06	18,380.65	1,718.43	48,628.41	464,672.43	11,197.85	2,073.55	11,197.85	403,888.57	52,420.39
CSOP	15,742.43	740,346.22	1,007,255.73	1,736.26	81,654.00	1,763,344.38	55,821.88	111,091.88	55,821.88	112,503.03	194,482.14
CoolSaver	50,803.37	498,783.74	11,882.90	4,211.35	41,346.72	561,470.01	9,064.79	985.03	9,064.79	103,440.18	46,543.10
LM SOP	0.00	243,855.35	329,200.25	0.00	21,288.46	573,055.60	67,452.96	28,739.03	67,452.96	215,943.21	50,027.49
Open MTP	17,392.53	768,061.05	0.00	1,351.33	59,675.17	785,453.58	379.43	0.00	379.43	619,831.78	61,026.50
SCORE/CS MTP	823.27	786,500.51	183,779.85	75.19	71,831.12	971,103.63	242,540.18	16,784.62	242,540.18	88,690.93	88,690.93
SMART Source MTP - Comm	26,368.82	156,328.27	0.00	2,145.24	12,718.12	182,697.09	17,431.48	0.00	17,431.48	14,863.36	14,863.36
<b>Total Commercial</b>	<b>126,363.14</b>	<b>3,624,934.20</b>	<b>1,550,499.38</b>	<b>11,237.80</b>	<b>337,142.00</b>	<b>5,301,796.72</b>	<b>403,888.57</b>	<b>159,674.11</b>	<b>403,888.57</b>	<b>1,127,865.69</b>	<b>508,053.91</b>
<b>Residential Programs</b>											
Efficiency Connection Pilot MTP						90,158.53	11,197.85		11,197.85		
CoolSaver						672,778.70	55,821.88		55,821.88		
Earth Networks Res DR Pilot						123,349.85	9,064.79		9,064.79		
HP NH						636,496.21	67,452.96		67,452.96		
Reliant Res DR Pilot MTP						3,880.00	379.43		379.43		
RSOP						2,591,748.29	242,540.18		242,540.18		
SMART Source MTP - Res						204,806.52	17,431.48		17,431.48		
<b>Total Residential</b>						<b>4,323,218.10</b>	<b>403,888.57</b>		<b>403,888.57</b>		
<b>Hard-to-Reach Programs</b>											
HTR SOP						1,115,738.02	112,503.03		112,503.03		
TLI EEP						1,265,056.49	103,440.18		103,440.18		
<b>Total HTR</b>						<b>2,380,794.51</b>	<b>215,943.21</b>		<b>215,943.21</b>		
<b>Total Programs</b>	<b>126,363.14</b>	<b>3,624,934.20</b>	<b>1,550,499.38</b>	<b>11,237.80</b>	<b>337,142.00</b>	<b>12,005,609.33</b>	<b>619,831.78</b>	<b>159,674.11</b>	<b>619,831.78</b>	<b>1,127,865.69</b>	<b>1,127,865.69</b>
	2.38%	68.37%	29.24%	0.01	0.30	100%	0.55	0.14	0.55		
	1.05%	30.19%	12.91%			100%					
<b>Research &amp; Development</b>											
EM&V -statewide contr											
<b>Total R&amp;D</b>											
<b>Total</b>											

Research & Development

EM&V -statewide contr

**Total R&D**  
**Total**

# Central Division

Commercial Programs	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Total Prim	Res	Total	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	R&D Prim	Res	Total	Total
ComSol MTP	16,951.15	479,687.47	20,454.20	0.00	517,092.82						517,092.82
CSOP	17,478.69	822,000.22	1,118,347.61	0.00	1,957,826.52						1,957,826.52
CoolSaver	55,014.72	540,130.46	12,867.93	0.00	608,013.11						608,013.11
LM SOP	0.00	265,143.81	357,939.28	0.00	623,083.09						623,083.09
Open MTP	18,743.86	827,736.22	0.00	0.00	846,480.08						846,480.08
SCORE/CS MTP	898.46	858,331.63	200,564.47	0.00	1,059,794.56						1,059,794.56
SMART Source Pilot MTP - Comm	28,514.06	169,046.39	0.00	0.00	197,560.45						197,560.45
<b>Total Commercial</b>	<b>137,600.94</b>	<b>3,962,076.20</b>	<b>1,710,173.49</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>5,809,850.63</b>						<b>5,809,850.63</b>
<b>Residential Programs</b>											
A/C Distributor Pilot MTP	0.00	0.00	0.00	101,356.38	101,356.38						101,356.38
CoolSaver	0.00	0.00	0.00	728,600.58	728,600.58						728,600.58
HP NH	0.00	0.00	0.00	132,414.64	132,414.64						132,414.64
RSOP	0.00	0.00	0.00	703,949.17	703,949.17						703,949.17
SMART Source Pilot MTP - Res	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,259.43	4,259.43						4,259.43
<b>Total Residential</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>4,727,106.67</b>	<b>4,727,106.67</b>						<b>4,727,106.67</b>
<b>Hard-to-Reach Programs</b>											
HTR SOP	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,228,241.05	1,228,241.05						1,228,241.05
TLI IEP	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,368,496.67	1,368,496.67						1,368,496.67
<b>Total HTR</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>2,596,737.72</b>	<b>2,596,737.72</b>						<b>2,596,737.72</b>
<b>Total Programs</b>	<b>137,600.94</b>	<b>3,962,076.20</b>	<b>1,710,173.49</b>	<b>7,323,844.39</b>	<b>13,133,695.02</b>						<b>13,133,695.02</b>

Research & Development	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	R&D Prim	Res	Total	Total
	2,090.72	59,975.80	25,653.55	239,585.66	327,305.73	327,305.73
	1,695.12	48,627.22	20,799.40	89,931.97	161,053.71	161,053.71
<b>Total R&amp;D</b>	<b>3,785.84</b>	<b>108,603.02</b>	<b>46,452.95</b>	<b>329,517.63</b>	<b>488,359.44</b>	<b>488,359.44</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.64%</b>	<b>18.32%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>73%</b>		<b>13,622,054.46</b>

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	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Prim	Res	Trans	Lighting	Total
<b>2016 Program Costs</b>							
2016 Incentives	126,363.14	3,624,934.20	1,550,499.38	6,704,012.61	0.00	0.00	12,005,809.33
2016 Administrative + RCE paid in 2016	11,237.80	337,142.00	159,674.11	619,831.78	0.00	0.00	1,127,885.69
2016 R&D + EIM&V	3,785.84	108,603.02	46,452.95	329,517.63	0.00	0.00	488,359.44
	141,386.78	4,070,679.22	1,756,626.44	7,653,362.02	0.00	0.00	13,622,054.46
Municipal RCE 2016	28,70	852.09	364.47	1,575.87	0.00	0.00	2,822.13
							0.00
2016 Total	141,357.08	4,069,827.13	1,756,261.97	7,651,786.15	0.00	0.00	13,619,232.33
2016 Incentives	1.05%	30.19%	12.91%	55.84%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
2016 Administrative	1.00%	29.89%	14.16%	54.96%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
2016 Total	1.04%	29.88%	12.90%	56.18%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
EE Costs Expressly in Base	114,088	1,957,962	675,491	3,024,435	562,892	81	6,334,949
Base Revenue Adjustment	16,589	280,940	43,778	558,782	34,412	-81	934,419
Total Base EE	130,676	2,238,903	719,268	3,583,217	597,304	0	7,269,368
2016 Program Costs	141,357	4,069,827	1,756,262	7,651,786	0	0	13,619,232
2014 Over Recovery	(\$9,655)	(\$595,778)	\$61,199	(\$471,277)	(\$63,685)	0	(\$1,079,196)
2014 Bonus	48,371	1,047,962	195,208	1,544,080	0	0	2,835,621
Total 2016 Cost	180,073	4,522,011	2,012,669	8,724,589	(\$63,685)	0	15,375,657
Costs in excess of base	\$49,397	\$2,283,108	\$1,293,401	\$5,141,372	(\$660,989)	\$0	\$8,106,289
Total EECRF Rider Revenues	\$144,496	\$3,378,566	\$703,654	\$5,683,894	(\$640,629)	\$0	\$9,279,980
2016 (over)/under collection	(\$95,099)	(\$1,095,457)	\$589,747	(\$552,522)	(\$20,360)	\$0	(\$1,173,691)
<b>Central Division</b>							
2016 Program Costs	141,357	4,069,827	1,756,262	7,651,786	0	0	13,619,232.33
Base	130,676	2,238,903	719,268	3,583,217	597,304	0	7,269,368.47
2016 EECRF Program Revenue	105,780	2,826,382	447,247	4,621,091	-576,944	0	7,523,555.11
Total Adj Base EE + EECRF Program Rev	236,456	5,165,284	1,166,515	8,204,308	20,360	0	14,792,923.58
(over)/under recovery	(\$95,099)	(\$1,095,457)	\$589,747	(\$552,522)	(\$20,360)	\$0	(\$1,173,691)

	<b>Sec &lt; 10</b>	<b>Sec &gt; 10</b>	<b>Prim</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>Total</b>
EM&V 2016	1.05%	30.19%	12.91%	55.84%	100.00%
DN 45929 Muni Expenses	\$1,695	\$48,627	\$20,799	\$89,932	\$161,054
	\$30	\$852	\$364	\$1,576	\$2,822.13
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,724.82</b>	<b>49,479.31</b>	<b>21,163.87</b>	<b>91,507.84</b>	<b>163,875.84</b>

Central Division  
 Total 2016 Costs including RCE & EM&V  
 less: 2016 RCE

13,622,054  
 2,822

Total Program Costs less RCE but with EM&V  
 13,619,232

Total Base, Adj. Base and EECRF Rider Revenues  
 Program Costs less total all 2016 revenues

14,792,924  
 -1,173,691

RIDER_GROUP_TX	JAN16	FEB16	MAR16	APR16	MAY16	JUN16	JUL16	AUG16	SEP16	OCT16	NOV16	DEC16	REVENUE TOT. REVENUE	2014 PERFORMANCE BONUS	2014 OVER RECOVERY	2016 EECRF PROGRAM REVENUE
(SE1A)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-RESIDENTIAL SERVICE	552,077.66	439,807.15	304,558.02	333,290.53	407,514.88	516,327.43	629,302.56	635,841.21	593,978.11	509,433.55	403,159.04	368,400.10	5,693,890.24			
(SE1B)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-RESIDENTIAL SERVICE	0.00	0.51	0.00	0.00	2.47	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	1.25	0.00	0.00	4.24		(\$471,277)	
TOTAL RESIDENTIAL	552,077.66	439,807.66	304,558.02	333,290.53	407,517.35	516,327.43	629,302.57	635,841.21	593,979.36	509,433.55	403,159.04	368,400.10	5,693,894.48			\$4,627,091
(SE1B)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-SECONDARY SER <=10KW	0.07	0.39	0.31	0.88	1.15	1.95	3.50	4.11	2.46	1.97	0.00	-0.99	15.90			
(SE1B)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-SECONDARY SER <=10KW	2,846.60	2,528.35	10,538.62	11,358.97	12,127.16	13,534.53	15,161.10	15,176.60	14,899.50	13,868.43	12,495.01	12,285.20	137,196.17			
(SE1B)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-SECONDARY SER <=10KW	3,024.97	2,893.34	11,176.43	12,016.02	12,782.23	14,533.09	15,911.11	15,916.09	15,637.86	14,598.63	13,177.53	13,009.21	144,465.57		(\$9,655)	
TOTAL SECONDARY <= 10KW														\$48,371		\$105,780
(SE1C)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-SECONDARY SER > 10KW	233,270.95	212,944.69	271,402.21	238,721.29	281,631.33	294,532.53	318,111.05	324,012.81	327,564.30	298,671.26	285,212.38	247,260.65	3,250,073.45			
(SE1C)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-SECONDARY SER > 10KW	11,672.31	10,551.02	40,747.69	11,791.19	11,364.69	10,526.14	11,852.92	11,132.80	10,667.56	9,955.07	9,364.15	9,339.22	128,489.96			
TOTAL SECONDARY > 10KW	244,943.76	223,495.71	237,888.10	251,512.48	272,997.00	305,058.67	329,463.97	335,145.61	338,231.86	308,626.33	274,601.53	256,599.87	3,378,563.50		(\$595,778)	\$2,926,382
(SE1D)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-PRIMARY SERVICE	42,221.45	40,498.73	27,002.53	34,132.04	33,498.50	37,338.53	40,497.70	40,627.05	40,887.60	37,801.58	34,544.43	32,207.78	441,167.92			
(SE1D)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-PRIMARY SERVICE	27,917.93	25,393.74	19,547.13	18,299.98	19,513.65	22,212.37	22,814.76	21,930.82	22,210.69	21,725.48	19,696.26	21,221.39	262,485.60			
TOTAL PRIMARY	70,139.38	65,892.47	46,549.66	52,432.02	53,012.15	59,550.90	63,312.46	62,557.87	63,097.69	59,527.06	54,242.69	53,428.17	703,653.52		\$61,189	\$447,247
(SE1E)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-TRANSMISSION SERV	522.87	-2,290.36	-1,563.55	-1,278.17	-1,296.71	-1,691.71	-1,498.20	-1,433.06	-1,835.81	-1,851.20	-2,230.66	-2,965.70	-20,088.00			
(SE1E)ENERGY EFFICIENCY ADJ-TRANSMISSION SERV	-55,033.49	-54,671.95	-54,237.66	-50,823.31	-41,271.96	-62,064.03	-38,171.35	-49,778.41	-60,489.70	-44,617.72	-46,723.79	-61,665.38	-620,570.96			(\$576,944)
TOTAL TRANSMISSION	-57,026.36	-56,961.92	-55,801.21	-52,101.46	-42,568.67	-63,755.74	-39,669.55	-51,211.47	-62,325.51	-46,574.92	-48,954.45	-64,630.08	-640,649.96			
EECRF Program Cost Revenues	813,159.41	674,837.26	544,371.00	597,146.57	703,740.46	831,934.96	988,320.56	998,249.31	948,611.26	845,572.65	698,826.40	637,208.27	9,279,980.11		(\$1,079,196)	\$7,529,555
<b>Total Base Cost + Base Rev Adj + Rider</b>														\$2,835,621.00		\$15,549,349
																\$14,792,924

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 Worksheet Schedule E

Calculation of 2018 Program Costs Class Factor

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) (b + c)	(e) (d - a)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)
Class	Costs Included in Base Rates + Base Rate Adjustment	Residential / Commercial / 2018 Directly Assigned Program Costs*	Allocated 2018 R&D	Total 2018 Program Costs	2018 Program Costs Less Total Base Rate Allocation	Evaluation, Measurement & Verification	2018 Program Costs Less Total Base Rate Allocation + EMV Allocation	Adjusted Class Demand Allocation Factor**	Weighted Commercial Class Allocator	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit	2018 Program Costs Factor	Unit
Residential	\$3,583,217	\$7,590,667	\$195,531	\$7,786,198	-\$4,202,981	\$195,714	-\$4,398,695	53.552%	0.000%	10,008,002,742	\$0.000440	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$130,676	\$234,975	\$6,862	\$241,837	\$111,160	\$6,079	\$117,239	1.879%	4.046%	460,557,014	\$0.000255	kWh
Total Secondary > 10 kW	\$2,238,903	\$4,936,466	\$127,607	\$5,064,073	\$2,825,170	\$127,291	\$2,952,460	34.949%	75.243%	7,461,369,019	\$0.000396	kWh
Total Primary	\$719,268	\$955,227	\$35,125	\$990,351	\$271,083	\$24,894	\$295,977	9.620%	20.711%	2,605,527,521	\$0.000114	kWh
Transmission	\$597,304	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$597,304)	\$0	(\$597,304)	0.000%	0.000%	14,834,694	(\$0.040264)	kW
Lighting	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.000%	0.000%	223,313,089	\$0.000000	kWh
Total	\$7,268,368	\$13,717,334	\$365,125	\$14,082,459	\$6,813,090	\$353,977	\$7,167,067	100.000%	100.000%			

\*Directly assigned costs include directly assigned program and directly assigned R&D costs.

\*\*adjusted allocator based on 2018 forecasted kWh

**Allocation of EM&V Budget**

Evaluation, Measurement &  
 Verification Budget To Evaluate  
 Program Years 2016 / 2017  
 \$353,977

Class	EM&V	Program Cost			EM&V Factor	Unit
		Allocation Factor	Forecasted Billing kWh Unit			
Residential	\$195,714	55.290%	10,008,002,742	\$0.000020	kWh	
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$6,079	1.717%	460,557,014	\$0.000013	kWh	
Secondary > 10 kW	\$127,291	35.960%	7,461,369,019	\$0.000017	kWh	
Primary	\$24,894	7.033%	2,605,527,521	\$0.000010	kWh	
Transmission	\$0	0.000%	5,253,064,142			
Lighting	\$0	0.000%	223,313,089			
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$353,977</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>26,011,833,527</b>			

**Calculation of Performance Bonus Class Factor**

2016 Earned Performance Bonus Calculation

\$3,492,251

Class	Performance Bonus	2016 Incentive Allocator	2018 Forecasted Billing kWh	Unit	Performance Bonus	
					Factor	Unit
Residential	\$1,950,064	55.840%	10,008,002,742	kWh	\$0.000195	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$36,757	1.053%	460,557,014	kWh	\$0.000080	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$1,054,421	30.193%	7,461,369,019	kWh	\$0.000141	kWh
Primary	\$451,009	12.915%	2,605,527,521	kWh	\$0.000173	kWh
Transmission	\$0	0.000%	5,253,064,142			
Lighting	\$0	0.000%	223,313,089			
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,492,251</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>26,011,833,527</b>			



**Allocation of Municipal EECRF Proceeding Expenses**

Docket Nos. 45929 Municipal Expenses \$2,822

Class	Municipal Expenses	2018 Program		2018 Forecasted Billing kWh	Unit	Municipal Expenses Factor	Unit
		Cost Allocation Factor	2018 Forecasted Billing kWh				
Residential	\$1,560	55.290%	10,008,002,742	\$0.0000002	kWh		
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$48	1.717%	460,557,014	\$0.0000001	kWh		
Total Secondary > 10 kW	\$1,015	35.960%	7,461,369,019	\$0.0000001	kWh		
Total Primary	\$198	7.033%	2,605,527,521	\$0.0000001	kWh		
Transmission	\$0	0.000%	5,253,064,142				
Lighting	\$0	0.000%	223,313,089				
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,822</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>26,011,833,527</b>				

**Adjusted Class Allocation Factors Workpaper**

For Each Class:  
 $AAF = ((D/BPS)*S)/\Sigma$  of the calculation for all classes

Rate Classes	Weighted Class Allocation Factor (D)	Base Period Adjusted Sales Docket No. 33309 (BPS)	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit Less ID Notice Customers (S)	(D/BPS)*S	Adjusted Class Allocation Factors (AAF)
Residential	51.88%	8,352,353,434	10,008,002,742	0.62	53.55%
Secondary <= 10 kW	1.89%	398,752,267	460,557,014	0.02	1.88%
Total Secondary > 10 kW	34.34%	6,315,671,589	7,461,369,019	0.41	34.95%
Total Primary	11.88%	2,772,665,717	2,605,527,521	0.11	9.62%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>17,839,443,007</b>	<b>20,535,456,296</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

**Consumer Price Index - All Urban Consumers  
Original Data Value**

Series Id: CUUR0300SA0, CUUS0300SA0  
Not Seasonally Adjusted  
Area: South urban  
Item: All items  
Base Period: 1982-84=100  
Years: 2002 to 2015

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual	Increase over prior year	% increase
2002	170.6	171.0	172.1	173.1	173.2	173.5	173.6	173.8	174.2	174.9	174.9	174.6	173.3		
2003	175.1	176.4	177.5	177.4	176.8	177.2	177.3	177.9	178.3	178.1	177.5	177.5	177.3	4.000	2.31%
2004	178.2	179.1	180.1	180.9	182.0	182.9	182.6	182.6	182.8	183.7	183.7	183.3	181.8	4.500	2.54%
2005	183.6	184.7	185.9	187.3	187.3	187.8	188.5	189.4	192.0	192.5	190.7	190.1	188.3	6.500	3.58%
2006	191.5	191.8	192.8	194.7	195.5	196.3	197.0	197.1	195.8	194.7	194.3	194.8	194.7	6.400	3.40%
2007	195.021	195.950	197.904	199.618	200.804	201.675	201.571	201.041	201.697	202.155	203.437	203.457	200.361	5.661	2.91%
2008	204.510	205.060	206.676	208.085	210.006	212.324	213.304	212.387	212.650	210.108	205.559	203.501	208.681	8.320	4.15%
2009	204.288	205.343	206.001	206.657	207.265	209.343	208.819	209.000	208.912	209.292	209.738	209.476	207.845	-0.836	-0.40%
2010	210.056	210.020	211.216	211.528	211.423	211.232	210.988	211.308	211.775	212.026	211.996	212.488	211.338	3.493	1.68%
2011	213.589	214.735	217.214	218.820	219.820	219.318	219.682	220.471	220.371	219.969	219.961	219.469	218.618	7.280	3.44%
2012	220.497	221.802	223.314	224.275	223.356	223.004	222.667	223.919	225.052	224.504	223.404	223.109	223.242	4.624	2.12%
2013	223.933	225.874	226.628	226.202	226.289	227.148	227.548	227.837	227.876	227.420	226.811	227.082	226.721	3.479	1.56%
2014	227.673	228.664	230.095	231.346	231.762	232.269	232.013	231.611	231.762	231.131	229.845	228.451	230.552	3.831	1.69%
2015	226.855	227.944	229.337	229.957	230.886	232.026	231.719	231.260	230.913	230.860	230.422	229.581	230.147	-0.405	-0.18%
2016	229.469	229.646	230.977	231.975	232.906	233.838	233.292	233.561	234.069	234.337	234.029	234.204	232.692	2.545	1.11%

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MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

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 P.O. BOX 60  
 ABILENE, TEXAS 79604  
 325-676-6265

(PLEASE RETURN THIS PORTION WITH YOUR REMITTANCE)

AEP  
 American Electric Power  
 Jennifer Frederick  
 910 Energy Drive  
 Abilene, TX 79603

INVOICE NUMBER: 986784

INVOICE DATE: 8/23/16

INVOICE AMOUNT / 2,890.63

AMOUNT PAID \_\_\_\_\_

MO	YR	FUND	DEPT	DIV	SUB	ACT	REV	SUB
		100					21013	

DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT PRICE	INVOICE AMOUNT
Legal services rendered through 6/30/16 PUC Docket 45928, 2017 AEP TNC EECRF			2,890.63
<p><i>Our records indicate AS of                              1-18-17 this invoice is still unpaid.                              Please remit payment.</i></p> <p><i>UTK 012601 EDN 100551 cc 260/99 280 PRD 45928</i></p>			
SALES TAX			
PAY THIS AMOUNT \$			2,890.63

PLEASE PAY FROM THIS INVOICE

**TERMS: NET 30 DAYS**

A 1 1/2% PER MONTH LATE CHARGE WILL  
 BE ADDED TO PAST DUE ACCOUNTS

**CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS**

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INVOICE DATE: 8/23/16

INVOICE NUMBER: 986784

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July 12, 2016

Cities Served By AEP TNC  
c/o City of Abilene  
Attn Odis Dolton  
P.O. Box 60  
Abilene, TX USA 79604

Invoice: 97474612  
Client: 450  
Matter: 49  
Billing Attorney: TLB

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### INVOICE SUMMARY

For professional services and disbursements rendered through June 30, 2016:

**RE: Docket No 45928 2017 AEP TNC EECRF**

Professional Services	\$ 1,573.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 1,317.63</u>
<b>TOTAL THIS INVOICE</b>	<b>\$ 2,890.63</b>

**Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Townsend, P.C.**

Abilene, City of  
 Docket No 45928 2017 AEP TNC EECRF  
 I.D.450-49-TLB

July 12, 2016  
 Invoice: 97474612

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED**

Date	Atty	Description Of Services Rendered	Hours
6/07/16	TLB	Call with K. Nalepa regarding filing; prepare client communication regarding filing; prepare motion to intervene; contact client regarding filing; prepare engagement agreement with consultant. (Administration/case management)	.60
6/07/16	TRL	Draft motion to intervene; draft engagement agreement with K. Nalepa; prepare protective order certification for signatures (.6 Administration).	.60
6/08/16	TLB	Review application; discuss issues with K. Nalepa; finalize protective orders. (Administration/case management)	.50
6/08/16	TRL	Communicate with Company and send Protective Order Certifications to receive copies of confidential portions of the Application; draft filing with protective order certifications (.4 Administration).	.40
6/09/16	TRL	Finalize and file protective order certifications with the PUC (.2 Administration).	.20
6/10/16	TRL	Prepare confidential information log and update with recent confidential documents received; prepare one copy of confidential information to send to K. Nalepa for consultant review (.3 Administration).	.30
6/13/16	TRL	No Charge - Setup physical case file; case/file management (.4 Administration).	.40
6/14/16	TRL	Prepare Rate Case Expense affidavit and associated backup for AEP-TNC 2016 DCRF, PUC Docket No. 44718 (.5 Administration).	.50
6/21/16	TLB	Review application and discovery; discuss strategy and issues with consultant. (Administration/case management)	1.10
6/22/16	HMW	Review and prepare RFIs for filing RFIs. (Administration/case management)	.20
6/28/16	HMW	Manage and communicate with other parties regarding deadlines. (Administration/case management)	.20
6/29/16	HMW	Review and analyze issues in case. (Administration/case management)	.40
6/30/16	TLB	Call with K. Nalepa to discuss status of case and contested issues. (Administration/case management)	.60
6/30/16	HMW	Discuss and analyze issues with K. Nalepa. (Administration/case management)	.30
6/30/16	HMW	Communicate with parties regarding changes to procedural schedule. (Administration/case management)	.30
6/30/16	PAS	No Charge - Paralegal assistant time.	.20

**TOTAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

**\$ 1,573.00**

**SUMMARY OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

Name	Staff Level	Rate	Hours	Amount	N/C Hr	N/C \$
Thomas L Brocato	Principal	360.00	2.80	1,008.00	.00	.00
Hannah M Wilchar	Associate	225.00	1.40	315.00	.00	.00
Tanya R Leisey	Paralegal	125.00	2.00	250.00	.40	50.00
Paralegal Assistant	Paralegal A	.00	.00	.00	.20	7.00

**Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Townsend, P.C.**

Abilene, City of  
 Docket No 45928 2017 AEP TNC EECRF  
 ID.450-49-TLB

July 12, 2016  
 Invoice: 97474612

<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>6.20</b>	<b>\$ 1,573.00</b>	<b>.60</b>	<b>\$ 57.00</b>
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**DISBURSEMENTS**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	9.00
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	3.00
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	3.50
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	7.33
	Photocopying	20.80
6/30/16	ReSolved Energy Cons Voucher # - 000085057 Consultant Services, ReSolved Energy Consulting, LLC, 7/11/2016, 3789 - For Professional Services Rendered	1,274.00

**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$ 1,317.63**

**TOTAL THIS INVOICE \$ 2,890.63**

Customer Number	263
Invoice Number	94090
Invoice Date	6/11/2016

On Demand

Date Read Order Type Deliver Date	Order ID Carrier	Origin	Destination	References
6/9/2016 12:54 PM 2 Hour Bike Delivery 6/9/2016 11:14 AM	784792.01 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Room Austin TX 78701	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Tow 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	450-49/1666-28 TRL ✓

2 Hour Bike Delivery \$7.00

POD: Rodeulgez

Order Total: \$7.00

$\div 2 = \$3.50$

6/10/2016 8:45 AM 6 Hour 6/10/2016 10:27 AM	784889 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Towns 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	Karl Nalepa- ReSolved Energy C 11044 Research Blvd Suite A-42 Austin TX 78759	TRL 450-49 & 1666-28 SPLIT COST 50/50
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6 Hour Fuel Surcharge 1 \$12.75 \$1.91

POD: Bob Stempar

Order Total: \$14.66

$\div 2 = \$7.33$

6/9/2016 8:54 AM 4 Hour Bike Delivery 6/9/2016 10:46 AM	784792 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Towns 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Rr Austin TX 78701	450-49/1666-28 TRL ✓
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4 Hour Bike Delivery \$6.00

POD: Filed

Order Total: \$6.00

$\div 2 = \$3.00$

6/7/2016 2:16 PM ASAP Bike 6/7/2016 2:37 PM	784650 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Towns 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Rr Austin TX 78701	CLB 1666-28, 450-49 Split the cost 50/50 ✓
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ASAP Bike \$10.00

POD: Filed

Order Total: \$10.00

$\div 2 = \$5.00$

6/7/2016 3:01 PM 1 Hour Bike Delivery 6/7/2016 2:38 PM	784650.01 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Room Austin TX 78701	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Tow 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	CLB 1666-28, 450-49 Split the cost 50/50 ✓
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1 Hour Bike Delivery \$8.00

POD: Rodriguez

Order Total: \$8.00

$\div 2 = \$4.00$



Photocopies

450-49

Client Matter	Client Matter Descr	User	Printer	Document Name	Date Printed	Process Name	B/W Unit Cost	Total Cost	Job Type
450-49	TNC/Docket No. 4	Jill B. Penna	Riley	Copy Audit Touch	Jun 23, 2016 09:28	Copy Audit Touch	\$0.10	\$4.00	Copy
450-49	TNC/Docket No. 4	Tanya R. Letsey	Ferdinand	Copy Audit Touch	Jun 09, 2016 08:47	Copy Audit Touch	\$0.10	\$16.80	Copy

208 copies x .10 / page = \$ 20.80

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**ReSolved Energy Consulting, LLC**

11044 Research Blvd., Suite A-420  
 Austin, Texas 78759  
 Phone (512) 331-4949

**Invoice**

DATE	INVOICE NUMBER
7/11/2016	3789

<b>BILL TO</b>
Thomas Brocato Lloyd Gosselink 816 Congress Ave, # 1900 Austin, Tx 78701

PROJECT		
LG AEP TNC 16 EECRF (45928)		

DESCRIPTION	HOURS	RATE	AMOUNT
Consulting (K. Nalepa)	4.9	260.00	1,274.00
Work Completed thru - June 30, 2016		<b>TOTAL DUE</b>	<b>\$1,274.00</b>

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### Monthly Recap

Karl Nalepa

Date	Task	Hours
June 10, 2016	Download filing, Orders and discovery from interchange.	0.20
June 14, 2016	Review filing and exhibits.	0.70
June 15, 2016	Continue to review filing.	0.50
June 21, 2016	Review interchange for updates. Review response to Staff discovery. Review filing and prepare discovery.	1.50
June 22, 2016	Complete discovery and send to T. Brocato and H. Wilchar for review.	1.00
June 29, 2016	Prepare summary of issues and send to T. Brocato and H. Wilchar for review.	0.70
June 30, 2016	Call with T. Brocato and H. Wilchar to discuss filing issues.	0.30
		4.90

LG TNC 16 EECRF

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AEF Texas - North Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing  
Schedule A Worksheet

North Division 2018	Incentives	Admin	R&D	EM&V	Total	Res	Sec <= 10	Sec > 10	Primary
<b>Commercial</b>									
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$363,660	\$54,340			\$418,000				
Commercial SOP	\$308,850	\$46,150			\$355,000				
Load Management SOP	\$87,000	\$13,000			\$100,000				
Open Targeted Small Business MTP	\$419,340	\$62,660			\$482,000				
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$160,080	\$23,920			\$184,000				
SMART SourceSM Solar PV Pilot MTP (Comm)	\$82,650	\$12,350			\$95,000				
<b>Residential</b>									
Whisker Labs Residential SOP	\$20,010	\$2,990			\$23,000				
SMART Source Solar PV Pilot MTP (Res)	\$530,700	\$79,300			\$610,000				
	\$102,660	\$15,340			\$118,000				
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>									
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$314,070	\$46,930			\$361,000				
Program	\$287,970	\$43,030			\$331,000				
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>									
R&D Programs	NAP	NAP	\$200,000		\$200,000				
EM&V				\$62,430	\$31,209				
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program Revenue Requirement</b>	<b>\$2,676,990</b>	<b>\$400,010</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>	<b>\$62,430</b>	<b>\$3,308,209</b>				

2018	Incentives	Admin	R&D	Total	Res	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Primary	Total
<b>Commercial</b>									
Commercial Solutions MTP	\$363,660	\$54,340		\$418,000	\$0.441717	\$0.02445	\$0.3367	0.1972	1.0000
Commercial SOP	\$308,850	\$46,150		\$355,000		0.6030	0.3532	1.0000	1.0000
Load Management SOP	\$87,000	\$13,000		\$100,000		0.0677	0.9323	1.0000	1.0000
Open Targeted Small Business MTP	\$419,340	\$62,660		\$482,000		\$18,307	\$252,068	\$147,625	\$418,000
SCORE/CitySmart MTP	\$160,080	\$23,920		\$184,000		\$15,548	\$214,077	\$125,375	\$355,000
SMART SourceSM Solar PV MTP	\$82,650	\$12,350		\$95,000		\$63,085	\$36,935	\$100,000	\$100,000
<b>Residential</b>									
Whisker Labs Residential SOP	\$20,010	\$2,990		\$23,000		\$32,636	\$449,364	\$482,000	\$482,000
SMART Source Solar PV Pilot MTP (Res)	\$530,700	\$79,300		\$610,000		\$8,059	\$110,958	\$84,983	\$184,000
	\$102,660	\$15,340		\$118,000		\$4,161	\$57,288	\$33,551	\$95,000
<b>Hard-to-Reach</b>									
Hard-to-Reach SOP	\$314,070	\$46,930		\$361,000	\$23,000	\$610,000	\$118,000	\$331,000	\$361,000
Program	\$287,970	\$43,030		\$331,000	\$118,000	\$0	\$0	\$331,000	\$331,000
<b>Research and Development (R&amp;D)</b>									
R&D Programs	NAP	NAP	\$200,000	\$200,000	\$68,343	\$4,890	\$67,333	\$39,434	\$200,000
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program</b>	<b>\$2,676,990</b>	<b>\$400,010</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,277,000</b>	<b>\$1,531,343</b>	<b>\$83,601</b>	<b>\$1,214,152</b>	<b>\$447,904</b>
Evaluation, Measurement & Verification									
Evaluation, Measurement & Verification					\$62,430	\$29,174	\$1,593	\$23,131	\$8,533
<b>Total Energy Efficiency Program</b>					<b>\$3,277,000</b>	<b>\$1,531,343</b>	<b>\$83,601</b>	<b>\$1,214,152</b>	<b>\$447,904</b>
<b>Total Revenue Requirement</b>					<b>\$3,339,430</b>	<b>\$1,560,517</b>	<b>\$85,193</b>	<b>\$1,237,283</b>	<b>\$456,437</b>

Program Cost less EM&V \$1,531,343 \$83,601 \$1,214,152 \$447,904 \$3,277,000  
 2018 Program Cost Alloc. 46.7300% 2.9511% -37.0507% 13.6681% 100.0000%

AEP Texas - North Division  
Adjusted Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor Filing  
Schedule A Worksheet

Class	2016		2016 EM&V Cost	2016 Municipal Expense	2016 EE Costs	2016 EECRF Rider Revenue	2014 Bonus (Over)/Under	2016 EECRF Program Revenue	2016 EE Base Revenue	2016 EE Base Adjustment	2016 EE Program Revenue	2016 Total Program (Over)/Under Revenue	2016 m=e-l Recovery
	Program + Admin Costs	R&D Cost											
	a	b	c	d	e=a+b+c+d	f	g	i=f-g-h	j	k	l=i+j+k	m=l	
Residential	\$1,155,929	\$61,895	\$12,939	\$461	\$1,230,302	\$814,493	\$236,684	\$736,986	\$602,913	\$10,911	\$1,350,811	(\$120,508)	
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$89,656	\$1,378	\$1,025	\$37	\$92,023	\$16,512	\$8,812	\$36,793	\$37,620	-\$2,620	\$71,793	\$20,230	
Secondary > 10 kW	\$1,266,152	\$19,421	\$14,448	\$515	\$1,299,506	\$906,201	\$238,837	\$646,599	\$476,869	\$20,573	\$1,144,041	\$155,465	
Primary	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-\$14,284	\$33,759	\$116,401	\$169,274	\$112,713	\$398,389	(\$398,389)	
Transmission	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	-\$26,773	\$0	(\$25,442)	\$7,754	\$3,221	(\$14,468)	\$14,468	
Lighting	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1	(\$1)	\$0	\$0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,511,737</b>	<b>\$82,694</b>	<b>\$28,413</b>	<b>\$1,013</b>	<b>\$2,621,832</b>	<b>\$1,696,148</b>	<b>\$518,092</b>	<b>\$1,511,338</b>	<b>\$1,294,430</b>	<b>\$144,798</b>	<b>\$2,950,566</b>	<b>(\$328,734)</b>	

2016 YE Program Results												
North Division	Incentives						Admin					
	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Prim	Res	Total		Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Prim	Res	Total	
<b>Commercial Programs</b>	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	
ComSol MTP	0.00	329,999.64	0	0	329,999.64		0.00	32,967.16	0.00	0.00	32,967.16	
CSOP	0.00	187,957.61	0	0	187,957.61		0.00	22,883.25	0.00	0.00	22,883.25	
LM SOP	0.00	80,578.00	0	0	80,578.00		0.00	10,517.66	0.00	0.00	10,517.66	
Open MTP	9,450.30	407,606.70	0	0	417,057.00		1,087.26	46,895.50	0.00	0.00	47,982.76	
SCORE/CS MTP	21,485.99	131,776.67	0	0	153,272.66		2,441.92	14,969.70	0.00	0.00	17,411.62	
SMART Source Pilot MTP - Comm	49,811.50	0.00	0	0	49,811.50		5,368.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,368.89	
<b>Total Commercial</b>	<b>80,757.79</b>	<b>1,137,918.62</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,218,676.41</b>		<b>8,898.07</b>	<b>128,233.27</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>137,131.34</b>	
<b>Residential Programs</b>												
Earth Networks Res DR Pilot				15,512.76	15,512.76					1,490.97	1,490.97	
Efficiency Connection				81,756.82	81,756.82					7,586.41	7,586.41	
RSOP				415,684.96	415,684.96					60,108.07	60,108.07	
SMART Source Pilot MTP - Res				88,336.50	88,336.50					9,521.27	9,521.27	
<b>Total Residential</b>				<b>601,291.04</b>	<b>601,291.04</b>					<b>78,706.72</b>	<b>78,707</b>	
<b>Hard-to-Reach Programs</b>												
HTR SOP				162,136.27	162,136.27					25,457.06	25,457	
TLI EEP				255,659.12	255,659.12					32,678.87	32,679	
<b>Total HTR</b>				<b>417,795.39</b>	<b>417,795.39</b>		<b>0</b>			<b>58,135.93</b>	<b>58,136</b>	
<b>Total Programs</b>	<b>80,757.79</b>	<b>1,137,918.62</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>1,019,086.43</b>	<b>2,237,762.84</b>		<b>8,898.07</b>	<b>128,233.27</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>136,842.65</b>	<b>273,973.99</b>	
	6.63%	93.37%	0.00%	100.00%	100.00%		3%	47%	0%	50%	100%	
	3.61%	50.86%	0.00%	45.54%	100.00%							
<b>Research &amp; Development</b>												
R&D - Programs												
R&D - EM&V Tetra Tech												
<b>Total R&amp;D</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,758</b>	<b>1,137,919</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,019,086</b>	<b>2,237,763</b>		<b>8,898</b>	<b>128,233</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>136,843</b>	<b>273,974</b>	

2016 YE Program Results												
North Division	Subtotal						R&D					
	Sec <= 10	Sec > 10	Prim	Res	Total	Total	Sec <= 10	Sec > 10	Prim	Res	Total	
<b>Commercial Programs</b>												
Irrigation LM MTP	0	362,967	0	0	362,967						0	
ComSol MTP	0	210,841	0	0	210,841						362,967	
CSOP	0	91,096	0	0	91,096						210,841	
LM SOP	0	454,502	0	0	465,040						91,096	
Open MTP	10,538	146,746	0	0	170,684						465,040	
SCORE/CS MTP	23,938	0	0	0	55,180						170,684	
SMART Source MTP - Comm	55,180	0	0	0	1,355,808						55,180	
<b>Total Commercial</b>	<b>89,656</b>	<b>1,266,152</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,355,808</b>						<b>1,355,808</b>	
<b>Residential Programs</b>												
A/C Distributor Pilot MTP	0	0	0	17,004	17,004						17,004	
RSOP	0	0	0	89,343	89,343						89,343	
SMART Source MTP - Res	0	0	0	475,793	475,793						475,793	
<b>Total Residential</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>679,998</b>	<b>679,998</b>						<b>679,998</b>	
<b>Hard-to-Reach Programs</b>												
HTR SOP	0	0	0	187,593	187,593						187,593	
TLI EEP	0	0	0	288,338	288,338						288,338	
<b>Total HTR</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>475,931</b>	<b>475,931</b>						<b>475,931</b>	
<b>Total Programs</b>	<b>89,656</b>	<b>1,266,152</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,155,929</b>	<b>2,511,737</b>						<b>2,511,736.83</b>	
<b>Research &amp; Development</b>												
R&D - CCEI											0	
R&D - SMART View IHD											0	
R&D - Programs							1,378.30	19,420.97	0.00	61,894.87	82,694.14	
R&D - EIM&V							1,025	14,448	0	12,939	28,413	
<b>Total R&amp;D</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,404</b>	<b>33,869</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>74,834</b>	<b>111,107</b>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>89,656</b>	<b>1,266,152</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,155,929</b>	<b>2,511,737</b>		<b>2,404</b>	<b>33,869</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>74,834</b>	<b>2,622,844.00</b>	

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2016 Program Costs	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Prim	Res	Trans	Lighting	Total
2016 Incentives	80,758	1,137,919	0	1,019,086	0	0	2,237,763
2016 Administrative + RCE paid in 2015	8,898	128,233	0	136,843	0	0	273,974
2016 R&D + EM&V	2,404	33,869	0	74,834	0	0	111,107
	92,060	1,300,021	0	1,230,763	0	0	2,622,844
Municipal RCE 2016	37	515	0	461	0	0	1,013
2016 Total	92,023	1,299,506	0	1,230,302	0	0	2,621,832
2016 Incentives	3.61%	50.85%	0.00%	45.54%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
2016 Administrative	3.25%	46.80%	0.00%	49.95%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
2016 Total	3.51%	49.56%	0.00%	46.93%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
EE Costs Expressly in Base	37,620	476,869	169,274	602,913	7,754	1	1,294,430
Base Revenue Adjustment	-2,620	20,573	112,713	10,911	3,221	-1	144,798
Total Base EE	35,000	497,442	281,987	613,824	10,974	0	1,439,228
2016 Program Costs	92,023	1,299,506	0	1,230,302	0	0	2,621,832
2014 Over Recovery	-29,093	20,765	-164,445	-159,177	-1,331	0	-333,281
2014 Bonus	8,812	238,837	33,759	236,684	0	0	518,092
Total 2016 Cost	71,742	1,559,108	-130,685	1,307,809	-1,331	0	2,806,642
Costs in excess of base	36,741	1,061,666	-412,672	693,984	-12,305	0	1,367,414
Total EECRF Rider Revenues	16,512	906,201	-14,284	814,493	-26,773	0	1,696,148
2016 (over)/under collection	20,230	155,465	-398,389	-120,508	14,468	0	-328,734
North Division	Sec < 10	Sec > 10	Prim	Res	Trans	Lighting	Total
2016 Program Costs	92,023	1,299,506	0	1,230,302	0	0	2,621,832
Base	35,000	497,442	281,987	613,824	10,974	0	1,439,228
2016 EECRF Program Revenue	36,793	646,599	116,401	736,986	-25,442	0	1,511,338
Total Adj Base EE + EECRF Program Revenue	71,793	1,144,041	398,389	1,350,811	-14,468	0	2,950,566
(over)/under recovery	20,230	155,465	-398,389	-120,508	14,468	0	-328,734



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	<b>Sec &lt; 10</b>	<b>Sec &gt; 10</b>	<b>Prim</b>	<b>Res</b>	<b>Total</b>
EM&V 2016	3,61%	50.85%	0.00%	45.54%	100.00%
DN 45928 Muni	1,025	14,448	0	12,939	28,413
	37	515	0	461	1,013
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>14,963</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13,401</b>	<b>29,426</b>
R&D 2015	1,378	19,421	0	61,895	82,694
<b>North Division</b>					
<b>Total 2016 Costs including RCE &amp; EM&amp;V</b>					
					2,622,844
					less: 2016 RCE
					1,013
<b>Total Program Costs less RCE but with EM&amp;V</b>					
					2,621,832
<b>Total Base, Adj. Base and EECRF Rider Revenue</b>					
					2,950,566
<b>Program Costs less total all 2016 revenues</b>					
					-328,734

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RIDER_GROUP_CD	TOT 2016_REVENUE	2014 PERFORMANCE BONUS	2014 OVER RECOVERY (SEE ORDER)	ADJ-COSTS IN EXCESS OF BASE PROGRAM REVENUE	2016 EECRF PROGRAM REVENUE
EEARS	814,492.47				
EEARS	<u>0.09</u>	\$236,684	(\$159,177)	\$0	\$736,986
EEASL	0.03				
EEASL	12,494.31				
EEASL	2,560.47				
EEASL	<u>1,456.75</u>				
EEASL	16,511.56	\$8,812	(\$29,093)	\$0	\$36,793
EEASG	742,989.46				
EEASG	53,797.41				
EEASG	<u>109,414.44</u>				
EEASG	906,201.31	\$238,837	\$20,765	\$0	\$646,599
EEAPS	-221.56				
EEAPS	-12,426.78				
EEAPS	<u>-1,635.62</u>				
EEAPS	-14,283.96	\$33,759	(\$164,445)	\$0	\$116,401
EEATS	-125.51				
EEATS	-21,473.59				
EEATS	<u>-5,173.88</u>	\$0	(\$1,331)	\$0	(\$25,442)
EEATS	-26,772.98				
	<u>1,696,148.49</u>	518,092.00	(\$333,281)	\$0	\$1,511,338
		<u>Total Base Cost + Base Rev Adj + Rider</u>			<u>\$3,135,377</u>
		Program Revenue			\$2,950,566

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Calculation of 2018 Program Costs Class Factor

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)
				(b + c)	(d - a)							
	Costs Included in Base Rates + Base Rate Adjustment	Residential/ Commercial 2018 Directly Assigned Program Costs*	Allocated 2018 R&D	Total 2018 Program Costs	2018 Program Costs Less Base Rate Allocation	Evaluation, Measurement & Verification	2018 Program Costs Less Total Base Rate Allocation + EMV	Adjusted Class Allocation Factor**	Weighted Commercial Class Allocator	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit Less ID Notice Customers	2018 Program Costs Factor	Unit
2018 Energy Efficiency Program Costs + EM&V Energy Efficiency Costs Included In Base Rates 2018 Program Costs Less Base Rate Allocation	Schedule A Schedule B Schedule B	\$3,339,430 \$1,439,228 \$1,900,202		\$1,531,343	\$917,519	\$29,174	\$946,692	44.172%		1,800,603,245	\$0.000526	kWh
Residential Directly Assigned 2018 Program Costs Commercial Directly Assigned 2018 Program Costs Allocated R&D 2018 Program Costs	Schedule A Schedule A Schedule A	1,443,000 1,634,000 200,000		\$1,531,343	\$917,519	\$29,174	\$946,692	44.172%		1,800,603,245	\$0.000526	kWh
2018 Energy Efficiency Program Costs	Schedule A	3,277,000		\$1,531,343	\$917,519	\$29,174	\$946,692	44.172%		1,800,603,245	\$0.000526	kWh
Allocated EM&V Costs Total 2018	Schedule A Schedule A	62,430 3,339,430		\$1,531,343	\$917,519	\$29,174	\$946,692	44.172%		1,800,603,245	\$0.000526	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$35,000	\$78,710	\$4,890	\$83,601	\$48,600	\$1,593	\$50,193	2.445%	4.38%	137,366,262	\$0.000365	kWh
Total Secondary > 10 kW	\$497,442	\$1,146,820	\$67,333	\$1,214,152	\$716,710	\$23,131	\$739,841	33.666%	60.30%	1,774,615,854	\$0.000417	kWh
Total Primary	\$281,987	\$408,470	\$39,434	\$447,904	\$165,917	\$8,533	\$174,450	19.717%	35.32%	1,555,840,722	\$0.000112	kWh
Transmission	\$10,974	\$0	\$0	\$0	(\$10,974)	\$0	(\$10,974)	0.000%		628,025	(\$0.017474)	kWh
Lighting	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.000%		42,917,049	\$0.000000	kWh
Total	\$1,439,228	\$3,077,000	\$200,000	\$3,277,000	\$1,837,772	\$62,430	\$1,900,202	100.00%	100.00%	5,311,971,157		

\*Directly assigned costs include directly assigned program and directly assigned R&D costs.

\*\*adjusted allocator based on 2018 forecasted kWh

**Allocation of EM&V**

Evaluation, Measurement &  
 Verification Budget To Evaluate  
 Program Years 2016 / 2017 \$62,430

Class	EM&V	Program Cost			Unit
		Allocation Factor	2018 Forecasted Billing kWh	EM&V Factor	
Residential	\$29,174	46.730%	1,800,603,245	\$0.000016	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$1,593	2.551%	137,366,262	\$0.000012	kWh
Total Secondary > 10 kW	\$23,131	37.051%	1,774,615,854	\$0.000013	kWh
Total Primary	\$8,533	13.668%	1,555,840,722	\$0.000006	kWh
Transmission	\$0	0.000%	171,708,986		
Lighting	\$0	0.000%	42,917,049		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$62,430</b>	<b>100.000%</b>	<b>5,483,052,118</b>		



**Allocation of Municipal EECRF Proceeding Expenses**

Docket No. 45928 Municipal Expenses \$2,890.63

Class	Municipal Expenses	2018 Program Cost		2018 Forecasted Billing kWh Unit	Municipal Expenses Factor	Unit
		Allocation Factor	Municipal Expenses			
Residential	\$1,351	46.730%	\$0.000001	1,800,603,245	\$0.000001	kWh
Secondary <= 10 kW	\$74	2.551%	\$0.000001	137,366,262	\$0.000001	kWh
Secondary > 10 kW	\$1,071	37.051%	\$0.000001	1,774,615,854	\$0.000001	kWh
Primary	\$395	13.668%	\$0.000000	1,555,840,722	\$0.000000	kWh
Transmission	\$0	0.000%	\$0.000000	171,708,986	\$0.000000	kWh
Lighting	\$0	0.000%	\$0.000000	42,917,049	\$0.000000	kWh
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,891</b>	<b>100.000%</b>		<b>5,483,052,118</b>		

**Adjusted Class Allocation Factors Workpaper**

For Each Class:  
 $AAF = ((D/BPS)*S)/\Sigma$  of the calculation for all classes

Rate Classes	Weighted Class Allocation Factor (D)	Base Period Adjusted Sales Docket No. 33310 (BPS)	2018 Forecasted Billing Unit Less ID Notice Customers (D/BPS)*S	Adjusted Class Allocation Factors (AAF)
Residential	46.83%	1,713,078,230	1,800,603,245	0.49
Secondary <= 10 kW	2.91%	146,926,027	137,366,262	0.03
Secondary > 10 kW	37.09%	1,754,096,115	1,774,615,854	0.38
Primary	13.17%	932,211,277	1,555,840,722	0.22
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>4,546,311,649</b>	<b>5,268,426,083</b>	<b>1.11</b>
				<b>44.17%</b>
				<b>2.45%</b>
				<b>33.67%</b>
				<b>19.72%</b>
				<b>100.00%</b>

**Consumer Price Index - All Urban Consumers  
Original Data Value**

Series Id: CUUR0300SA0, CUUS0300SA0  
Not Seasonally Adjusted  
Area: South urban  
Item: All items  
Base Period: 1982-84=100  
Years: 2002 to 2016

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual	Increase over prior year	% increase
2002	170.6	171.0	172.1	173.1	173.2	173.5	173.6	173.8	174.2	174.9	174.9	174.6	173.3		
2003	175.1	176.4	177.5	177.4	176.8	177.2	177.3	177.9	178.3	178.1	177.5	177.5	177.3	4.000	2.31%
2004	178.2	179.1	180.1	180.9	182.0	182.9	182.6	182.6	182.8	183.7	183.7	183.3	181.8	4.500	2.54%
2005	183.6	184.7	185.9	187.3	187.3	187.8	188.5	189.4	192.0	192.5	190.7	190.1	188.3	6.500	3.58%
2006	191.5	191.8	192.8	194.7	195.5	196.3	197.0	197.1	195.8	194.7	194.3	194.8	194.7	6.400	3.40%
2007	195.021	195.950	197.904	199.618	200.804	201.675	201.571	201.041	201.697	202.155	203.437	203.457	200.361	5.661	2.91%
2008	204.510	205.060	206.676	208.085	210.006	212.324	213.304	212.387	212.650	210.108	205.559	203.501	208.681	8.320	4.15%
2009	204.288	205.343	206.001	206.657	207.265	209.343	208.819	209.000	208.912	209.292	209.738	209.476	207.845	-0.836	-0.40%
2010	210.056	210.020	211.216	211.528	211.423	211.232	210.988	211.308	211.775	212.026	211.996	212.488	211.338	3.493	1.68%
2011	213.589	214.735	217.214	218.820	219.820	219.318	219.682	220.471	220.371	219.969	219.961	219.469	218.618	7.280	3.44%
2012	220.497	221.802	223.314	224.275	223.356	223.004	222.667	223.919	225.052	224.504	223.404	223.109	223.242	4.624	2.12%
2013	223.933	225.874	226.628	226.202	226.289	227.148	227.548	227.837	227.876	227.420	226.811	227.082	226.721	3.479	1.56%
2014	227.673	228.664	230.095	231.346	231.762	232.269	232.013	231.611	231.762	231.131	229.845	228.451	230.552	3.831	1.69%
2015	226.855	227.944	229.337	229.957	230.886	232.026	231.719	231.260	230.913	230.860	230.422	229.581	230.147	-0.405	-0.18%
2016	229.469	229.646	230.977	231.975	232.906	233.838	233.292	233.561	234.069	234.337	234.029	234.204	232.692	2.545	1.11%

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 American Electric Power  
 Jennifer Frederick  
 910 Energy Drive  
 Abilene, TX 79603

INVOICE NUMBER: 986784

INVOICE DATE: 8/23/16

INVOICE AMOUNT / 2,890.63

AMOUNT PAID \_\_\_\_\_

MO	YR	FUND	DEPT	DIV	SUB	ACT	REV	SUB
		100					21013	

DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT PRICE	INVOICE AMOUNT
Legal services rendered through 6/30/16 PUC Docket 45928, 2017 AEP TNC EECRF			2,890.63
<p><i>Our records indicate AS of                              1-18-17 this invoice is still unpaid.                              Please remit payment.</i></p> <p><i>UTK 012601 EDN 100551 cc 260/99 280 PRD 45928</i></p>			
SALES TAX			
PAY THIS AMOUNT \$			2,890.63

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Invoice: 97474612  
Client: 450  
Matter: 49  
Billing Attorney: TLB

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### INVOICE SUMMARY

For professional services and disbursements rendered through June 30, 2016:

**RE: Docket No 45928 2017 AEP TNC EECRF**

Professional Services	\$ 1,573.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 1,317.63</u>
<b>TOTAL THIS INVOICE</b>	<b>\$ 2,890.63</b>

**Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Townsend, P.C.**

Abilene, City of  
 Docket No 45928 2017 AEP TNC EECRF  
 I.D.450-49-TLB

July 12, 2016  
 Invoice: 97474612

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED**

Date	Atty	Description Of Services Rendered	Hours
6/07/16	TLB	Call with K. Nalepa regarding filing; prepare client communication regarding filing; prepare motion to intervene; contact client regarding filing; prepare engagement agreement with consultant. (Administration/case management)	.60
6/07/16	TRL	Draft motion to intervene; draft engagement agreement with K. Nalepa; prepare protective order certification for signatures (.6 Administration).	.60
6/08/16	TLB	Review application; discuss issues with K. Nalepa; finalize protective orders. (Administration/case management)	.50
6/08/16	TRL	Communicate with Company and send Protective Order Certifications to receive copies of confidential portions of the Application; draft filing with protective order certifications (.4 Administration).	.40
6/09/16	TRL	Finalize and file protective order certifications with the PUC (.2 Administration).	.20
6/10/16	TRL	Prepare confidential information log and update with recent confidential documents received; prepare one copy of confidential information to send to K. Nalepa for consultant review (.3 Administration).	.30
6/13/16	TRL	No Charge - Setup physical case file; case/file management (.4 Administration).	.40
6/14/16	TRL	Prepare Rate Case Expense affidavit and associated backup for AEP-TNC 2016 DCRF, PUC Docket No. 44718 (.5 Administration).	.50
6/21/16	TLB	Review application and discovery; discuss strategy and issues with consultant. (Administration/case management)	1.10
6/22/16	HMW	Review and prepare RFIs for filing RFIs. (Administration/case management)	.20
6/28/16	HMW	Manage and communicate with other parties regarding deadlines. (Administration/case management)	.20
6/29/16	HMW	Review and analyze issues in case. (Administration/case management)	.40
6/30/16	TLB	Call with K. Nalepa to discuss status of case and contested issues. (Administration/case management)	.60
6/30/16	HMW	Discuss and analyze issues with K. Nalepa. (Administration/case management)	.30
6/30/16	HMW	Communicate with parties regarding changes to procedural schedule. (Administration/case management)	.30
6/30/16	PAS	No Charge - Paralegal assistant time.	.20

**TOTAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

**\$ 1,573.00**

**SUMMARY OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

Name	Staff Level	Rate	Hours	Amount	N/C Hr	N/C \$
Thomas L Brocato	Principal	360.00	2.80	1,008.00	.00	.00
Hannah M Wilchar	Associate	225.00	1.40	315.00	.00	.00
Tanya R Leisey	Paralegal	125.00	2.00	250.00	.40	50.00
Paralegal Assistant	Paralegal A	.00	.00	.00	.20	7.00

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July 12, 2016  
 Invoice: 97474612

<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>6.20</b>	<b>\$ 1,573.00</b>	<b>.60</b>	<b>\$ 57.00</b>
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**DISBURSEMENTS**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	9.00
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	3.00
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	3.50
6/14/16	Courier Depot Check # - 000031318 Courier, Courier Depot, 6/11/2016, 94090 - Courier Services 6/5/2016 - 6/11/2016	7.33
	Photocopying	20.80
6/30/16	ReSolved Energy Cons Voucher # - 000085057 Consultant Services, ReSolved Energy Consulting, LLC, 7/11/2016, 3789 - For Professional Services Rendered	1,274.00

**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$ 1,317.63**

**TOTAL THIS INVOICE \$ 2,890.63**

Customer Number	263
Invoice Number	94090
Invoice Date	6/11/2016

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Date Read Order Type Deliver Date	Order ID Caterer	Origin	Destination	References
6/9/2016 12:54 PM 2 Hour Bike Delivery 6/9/2016 11:14 AM	784792.01 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Room Austin TX 78701	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Tow 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	450-49/1666-28 TRL ✓

2 Hour Bike Delivery \$7.00

POD: Rodeulgez

Order Total: \$7.00

$\div 2 = \$3.50$

6/10/2016 8:45 AM 6 Hour 6/10/2016 10:27 AM	784889 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Towns 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	Karl Nalepa- ReSolved Energy C 11044 Research Blvd Suite A-42 Austin TX 78759	TRL 450-49 & 1666-28 SPLIT COST 50/50 ✓
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6 Hour Fuel Surcharge 1 \$12.75 \$1.91

POD: Bob Stempar

Order Total: \$14.66

$\div 2 = \$7.33$

6/9/2016 8:54 AM 4 Hour Bike Delivery 6/9/2016 10:46 AM	784792 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Towns 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Rr Austin TX 78701	450-49/1666-28 TRL ✓
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4 Hour Bike Delivery \$6.00

POD: Filed

Order Total: \$6.00

$\div 2 = \$3.00$

6/7/2016 2:16 PM ASAP Bike 6/7/2016 2:37 PM	784650 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Towns 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Rr Austin TX 78701	CLB 1666-28, 450-49 Split the cost 50/50 ✓
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ASAP Bike \$10.00

POD: Filed

Order Total: \$10.00

$\div 2 = \$5.00$

6/7/2016 3:01 PM 1 Hour Bike Delivery 6/7/2016 2:38 PM	784650.01 Pete Juarez (512) 322-5800	PUC - Central Records 1701 North Congress Avenue Room Austin TX 78701	Lloyd Gosselink Rochelle & Tow 816 Congress Ave # 1900 Austin TX 78701	CLB 1666-28, 450-49 Split the cost 50/50 ✓
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1 Hour Bike Delivery \$8.00

POD: Rodriguez

Order Total: \$8.00

$\div 2 = \$4.00$   
 9.00  
 4.00

Photocopies

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**Invoice**

DATE	INVOICE NUMBER
7/11/2016	3789

<b>BILL TO</b>
Thomas Brocato Lloyd Gosselink 816 Congress Ave, # 1900 Austin, Tx 78701

PROJECT		
LG AEP TNC 16 EECRF (45928)		

DESCRIPTION	HOURS	RATE	AMOUNT
Consulting (K. Nalepa)	4.9	260.00	1,274.00
Work Completed thru - June 30, 2016		<b>TOTAL DUE</b>	<b>\$1,274.00</b>

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### Monthly Recap

Karl Nalepa

Date	Task	Hours
June 10, 2016	Download filing, Orders and discovery from interchange.	0.20
June 14, 2016	Review filing and exhibits.	0.70
June 15, 2016	Continue to review filing.	0.50
June 21, 2016	Review interchange for updates. Review response to Staff discovery. Review filing and prepare discovery.	1.50
June 22, 2016	Complete discovery and send to T. Brocato and H. Wilchar for review.	1.00
June 29, 2016	Prepare summary of issues and send to T. Brocato and H. Wilchar for review.	0.70
June 30, 2016	Call with T. Brocato and H. Wilchar to discuss filing issues.	0.30
		4.90

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