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SDG&E Status Report on MIDAS Uploads for Hourly Dynamic Prices

Please find SDG&E's status update on MIDAS uploads attached.

Additional submitted attachment is included below.



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RE: San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E) Update Regarding Progress Toward Uploading Hourly Dynamic Pricing Rates into the MIDAS Database (Docket No. 23-LMS-01)

Dear Mr. Bohan:

On May 31, 2023, the California Energy Commission adopted Order No 23-0531-10 (“Order”) regarding the Joint Parties’ Request for Delay of July 1, 2023, MIDAS Rate Upload Deadline. Ordering Paragraph 3 states:

SDG&E shall upload hourly dynamic prices offered through its Vehicle-Grid Integration (VGI) rate and Grid Integrated Rate (GIR) by April 1, 2024. SDG&E shall file reports of its progress towards meeting this deadline with CEC staff on July 1, 2023, October 1, 2023, January 1, 2024, and April 1, 2024.

Accordingly, SDG&E is providing an update on the progress of its work toward developing an automated system to support the upload of hourly dynamic pricing rates, include its VGI and GIR rates, by April 1, 2024.

Status of Work

- On June 6, 2023, SDG&E staff met with CEC staff to ask clarifying questions to inform the upload of information into the MIDAS tool.
- SDG&E continues to engage in the CEC’s LMS MIDAS Working Group meetings, in which issues to support the implementation of MIDAS uploads are being resolved.
- SDG&E has established an internal project team and secured the services of a consultant to support the development of an automated method to upload data.
- SDG&E is in the process of working with CEC staff to establish the necessary administrative access for MIDAS accounts so that test rate uploads can begin.

SDG&E will continue to advance efforts for testing and manual uploading into the MIDAS system for the upcoming October 1, 2023, deadline for uploading base rates. We will provide a second update on progress toward addressing hourly rate uploads in our October 1 status report.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions about this update.

Sincerely,



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