

OPTIONAL RATE STAND-ALONE RENEWABLE NATURAL GAS ("S-RNG") ADDER

Availability:

This rate schedule is available to any Firm Rate or Interruptible Class customer. For purpose of this S-RNG Tariff, a customer is defined as a consumer of natural gas in Vermont, regardless of whether or not the customer has an account for metered natural gas service with the Company.

Definitions:

The term "Ccf" shall mean one hundred cubic feet.

Renewable Natural Gas Option:

Customers may elect to purchase the environmental attributes associated with RNG at the rate shown below:

S-RNG Adder per Ccf: \$1.2425

Customers must specify in a written confirmation the Ccf per month applicable to the S-RNG Adder. The S-RNG Adder may be shown as a separate line item on the customer's monthly bill and is in addition to all other charges included under other applicable tariffs. Where the customer does not receive a bill for gas service, the S-RNG Adder will be separately billed.

Duration of Contract:

Service under this rate schedule shall be terminable or modified by customer on three days' written notice to the Company, and by the Company in the manner provided by law and the Terms and Conditions set forth in this tariff.

Terms and Conditions:

The Company's Terms and Conditions in effect from time to time where not inconsistent with any specific provisions hereof, are a part of this rate schedule. Service under this rate schedule shall, at all times, be subject to applicable Orders of the State of Vermont Public Utility Commission.

All charges incurred under this tariff will be treated as a component of gas service for purpose of deposits and disconnection pursuant to the Company's Terms and Conditions. The Company will terminate service under this S-RNG tariff upon customer's disconnection for non-payment pursuant to the disconnection provisions of the Company's Terms and Conditions.

The Renewable Natural Gas Option is offered to customers based on available supply of renewable natural gas. The Company reserves the right to suspend or curtail the program and S-RNG related charges in the event that sufficient RNG supply is unavailable.

In the event that there is an inadequate supply of RNG, the Company may meet the customer's RNG option by purchasing equivalent carbon offsets. If carbon offsets are not available, the Company will contribute equivalent revenue to the Clean Energy Development Fund. If this circumstance persisted for longer than 30 days, the Company will notify all S-RNG Adder customers.