## OPTIONAL RATE RENEWABLE NATURAL GAS ("RNG") ADDER

#### Availability:

This rate schedule is available to any Firm Rate Class customer who is located on the Company's mains or to whom the Company will extend its mains.

#### Definitions:

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

### Renewable Natural Gas Option:

Customers may elect to use RNG for a portion of their monthly natural gas usage at any of the percentages shown in the table below:

Available RNG Percentages (applied to monthly Ccf usage)
10%
25%
50%
100%

Customers may elect either Option 1, a Blended RNG Adder comprised of RNG from various sources, or Option 2, a Locally Sourced RNG Adder comprised of RNG from local sources.

Option 1: Blended RNG Adder per Ccf: \$1.2792

Option 2: Locally Sourced RNG Adder per Ccf: \$1.5953

The selected RNG Adder will 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.

### **Duration of Contract:**

Service under this rate schedule shall be terminable 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.

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 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 RNG Adder customers.

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