

Green Energy Product Action Item

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NPPD Board of Directors & Customer & Corporate Services Committee Meeting
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Objectives

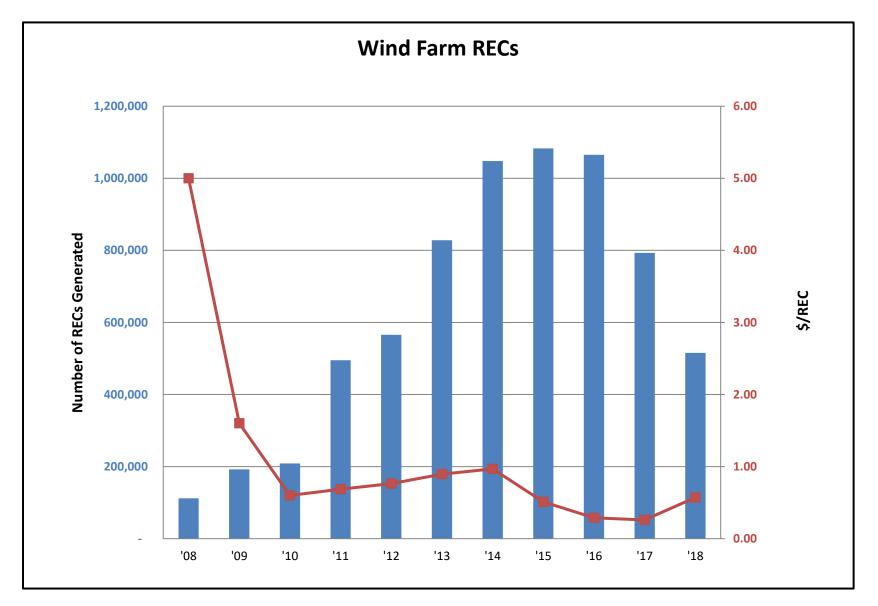
- Share with NPPD Board Customer & Corporate Services Committee feedback from wholesale customers on the potential sale of Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) from the repowered Steele Flats Wind facility.
- Seek approval of a Board resolution for management to sell RECs.
- RECs are the renewable attributes associated with wind, solar, and other renewable generation.
- One REC = 1000 KWh or 1 MWh of renewable energy attributes.
- NPPD has received requests to purchase RECs.

History of NPPD REC Sales

- From 2008 to 2018, NPPD Sustainable Energy sold wind RECs twice per year through a Request for Quote.
- In 2017 the decision was made to reduce REC sales to zero by 2020 (Board goal of 10% renewable would go into effect).
- In 2018 the decision was made to no longer sell RECs outside of NPPD customers.
- Total revenues from sales of RECs during this time frame was approximately \$4.6M for 6,907,523 RECs (average \$.67/REC).

History of NPPD REC Sales

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History of Green Rate Sales Green Rate Schedule (Wholesale SPP No. 7)

- In effect May 2013 February 2021
 - Four (4) customers participated (Loup PD, Custer PPD, City of Wayne, NPPD Retail)
 - Green Energy Rider Rate Schedule passed through provisions to NPPD Retail customers in 100 kWh/month blocks
 - Total revenue \$97,049

Green Rate History Schedule

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Customer	Blocks Revenue				
A B	C D	E F	G H	l J	K L
1 Retail	4 \$ 540	14 \$ 2,794	14 \$ 3,192	14 \$ 3,192	14 \$ 3,192
2 Loup	10 \$ 1,530	10 \$ 2,245	10 \$ 2,280	10 \$ 2,280	10 \$ 2,280
3 Custer	10 \$ 2,160	41 \$ 9,272	36 \$ 8,208	36 \$ 8,208	36 \$ 8,208
4 Wayne	- \$ -	- \$ -	- \$ -	- \$ -	3 \$ 627
Totals	24 \$ 4,230	65 \$ 14,311	60 \$13,680	60 \$ 13,680	63 \$ 14,307
	2019	2020	2021	2022	Grand
Customer	Blocks Revenue	Blocks Revenue	Blocks Revenue	Blocks Revenue	<u>Total</u>
A B	M N	O P	Q R	S T	U
1 Retail	14 \$ 3,192	14 \$ 3,192	14 \$ 266	- \$ -	\$ 19,560
2 Loup	10 \$ 2,280	10 \$ 2,280	10 \$ 190	- \$ -	\$ 15,365
3 Custer	34 \$ 7,752	34 \$ 7,752	34 \$ 7,752	4 \$ 76	\$ 59,388
4 Wayne	3 \$ 684	3 \$ 684	3 \$ 684	3 \$ 57	\$ 2,736
Totals	61 \$ 13,908	61 \$13,908	61 \$ 8,892	7 \$ 133	\$ 97,049

REC Sale Concept

- NPPD is proposing to sell only RECs from new sources or incremental RECs related to incremental energy produced as a result of repowering (Steele Flats).
- NPPD will not sell RECS from existing renewable facilities.
- Potentially sell RECs for six month blocks two times per year.
- Communicate to all customers planned REC sales.
- Sales be made via auction process giving all customers equal opportunity to purchase.

Timeline

May 8 - Presented to Customer & Corporate Services Committee high level plans to discuss with wholesale customers

May 22 - Shared proposed plan with wholesale customers

June 19 - Provide NPPD Board update on customer feedback and seek Board approval of resolution authorizing management to sell RECs

June/July - Develop listing of interested REC buyers

July/August - Issue Notice of RECs for Sale to all potential buyers for Steele Flats Incremental Energy (SFIE); work with Corporate Communications to promote the Sale

August/September - Sell RECs via auction (auction details to be developed)

Recommendation

Adopt the resolution authorizing management to engage in the sale of Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) in accordance with a bidding process allowing, all native load customers equal opportunity to bid for a quantity of RECs.



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