

NOTICE OF REPLY COMMENT PERIOD

Issued: August 21, 2019

In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company, dba Xcel Energy, Requesting Approval of its Proposed Community Solar Garden Program

PUC Docket Number: E-002/M-13-867

Comment Period: Reply comment period closes August 29, 2019 at 4:30 p.m.

Comments received after the close of the comment period may or may not be considered by the Commission.

Issue: Should the Commission adopt the modification offered by the Joint Commenters to the July 31, 2019 proposal on Community Solar Garden (CSG) reporting requirements?

Topics Open for Comment:

- Is the modification to reporting requirements proposed by the Joint Commenters reasonable and in the public interest?
- Should the Commission adopt the proposed modification and/or take some other action?

Background: On July 31, 2019, the Commission issued a notice seeking comments on a proposal to streamline Xcel's CSG reporting requirements. The proposal was included as Attachment A to the July 31, 2019 notice. On August 8, 2019, the Department of Commerce filed comments in support of the proposal. On August 12, 2019, Xcel Energy, and the Environmental Law and Policy Center, Fresh Energy, the Institute for Local Self-Reliance, and the Minnesota Solar Energy Industries Association (filing jointly) filed comments supporting the proposal. On August 12, 2019, IPS Solar, the Minnesota Solar Connection, and United States Solar Corporation (filing jointly) filed comments proposing a modification to the proposal.

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