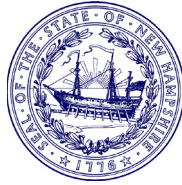


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May 31, 2023

James M. King  
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Liberty Utilities – Keene Division  
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Re: Docket No. DG 23-034  
Summer 2023 Cost of Gas  
Tariff Pages: 48th rev pg 1; 45th rev pg 3; 43rd rev pg 4; 26th rev pg 88; 10th rev pg 93  
Tariff No. 11  
Effective Date: June 1, 2023

Dear Mr. King:

Employees of the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission have reviewed the tariff filing received on May 24, 2023, in the above-captioned proceeding. Employees have confirmed that these rates are temporary, interim, and provisional until such time as the issue of the applicability and interpretation of Liberty's NHPUC No. 11 tariff is resolved. *See* Order No. 26,541 (October 29, 2021) and Order No. 26,542 (October 29, 2021). At such time that the tariff issue is resolved, the Commission will conduct a review and confirm the permanent rates in effect. This provisional approval is contingent on the Commission's review and approval of the May 15, 2023 tariff filing in Docket No. DG 20-105.

A copy of this letter is being entered into the docket and the tariff filing will be placed in our permanent file. In accordance with the Secretarial letter issued March 17, 2020, this letter will be filed electronically only at this time. I have attached date-stamped copies of the tariff pages to the email to the service list and can send physical copies upon request.

Please e-mail me at [tariffs@puc.nh.gov](mailto:tariffs@puc.nh.gov) if I can be of assistance.

Sincerely,

/s/ *Ben Martin-McDonough*

Ben Martin-McDonough  
Tariff Administrator

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**23 FIRM RATE SCHEDULES - KEENE CUSTOMERS**

**II RATE SCHEDULES**

	Rates Effective April 1, 2023 - April 30, 2023 Winter Period				Rates Effective June 1, 2023 - October 31, 2023 Summer Period			
	Delivery Charge	Cost of Gas Rate Page 97	LDAC Page 101	Total Rate	Delivery Charge	Cost of Gas Rate Page 93	LDAC Page 101	Total Rate
<b>Residential Non Heating - R-1</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 15.39			\$ 15.39	\$ 15.39			\$ 15.39
All therms	\$ 0.5129	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.1113	\$ 3.2762	\$ 0.5129	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.1180	\$ 1.8748
<b>Residential Heating - R-3</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 15.39			\$ 15.39	\$ 15.39			\$ 15.39
Therms in the first block per month at	\$ 0.6519	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.1113	\$ 3.4152	\$ 0.6519	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.1180	\$ 2.0138
<b>Residential Heating - R-4</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 8.47			\$ 8.47	\$ 15.39			\$ 15.39
Therms in the first block per month at	\$ 0.3585	\$ 1.4586	\$ 0.1113	\$ 1.9284	\$ 0.6519	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.1180	\$ 2.0138
<b>Commercial/Industrial - G-41</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 63.30			\$ 63.30	\$ 63.30			\$ 63.30
Size of the first block	100 Therms				20 Therms			
Therms in the first block per month at	\$ 0.5088	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 3.2498	\$ 0.5088	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.8484
All therms over the first block per month at	\$ 0.3550	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 3.0960	\$ 0.3550	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.6946
<b>Commercial/Industrial - G-42</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 189.84			\$ 189.84	\$ 189.84			\$ 189.84
Size of the first block	1000 Therms				400 Therms			
Therms in the first block per month at	\$ 0.4634	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 3.2044	\$ 0.4634	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.8030
All therms over the first block per month at	\$ 0.3212	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 3.0622	\$ 0.3212	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.6608
<b>Commercial/Industrial - G-43</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 811.98			\$ 811.98	\$ 811.98			\$ 811.98
All therms over the first block per month at	\$ 0.2863	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 3.0273	\$ 0.1441	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.4837
<b>Commercial/Industrial - G-51</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 63.38			\$ 63.38	\$ 63.38			\$ 63.38
Size of the first block	100 Therms				100 Therms			
Therms in the first block per month at	\$ 0.3070	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 3.0480	\$ 0.3070	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.6466
All therms over the first block per month at	\$ 0.2084	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 2.9494	\$ 0.2084	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.5480
<b>Commercial/Industrial - G-52</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 189.57			\$ 189.57	\$ 189.57			\$ 189.57
Size of the first block	1000 Therms				1000 Therms			
Therms in the first block per month at	\$ 0.2647	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 3.0057	\$ 0.1978	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.5374
All therms over the first block per month at	\$ 0.1836	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 2.9246	\$ 0.1219	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.4615
<b>Commercial/Industrial - G-53</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 838.52			\$ 838.52	\$ 838.52			\$ 838.52
All therms over the first block per month at	\$ 0.1851	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 2.9261	\$ 0.0968	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.4364
<b>Commercial/Industrial - G-54</b>								
Customer Charge per Month per Meter	\$ 839.19			\$ 839.19	\$ 839.19			\$ 839.19
All therms over the first block per month at	\$ 0.0705	\$ 2.6520	\$ 0.0890	\$ 2.8115	\$ 0.0409	\$ 1.2439	\$ 0.0957	\$ 1.3805

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**28 CALCULATION OF SUMMER PERIOD COST OF GAS RATE – KEENE CUSTOMERS**

Period Covered: Summer Period May 1, 2023, through October 31, 2023

Projected Gas Sales - therms	353,632
Total Anticipated Cost of Sendout	\$549,897
Add: Prior Period Deficiency Uncollected Interest	\$0 \$0
Deduct: Prior Period Excess Collected Interest	(\$28,437) \$1,732
Prior Period Adjustments and Interest	(\$26,705)
Total Anticipated Cost	<u>\$523,193</u>
Cost of Gas Rate May 1, 2023 - October 31, 2023, Per Order No. 26,807 in Docket No. DG 23-034	<u>\$1.4795</u>
Cost of Gas Rate June 1, 2023 - October 31, 2023, Per Order No. 26,807 in Docket No. DG 23-034	\$1.2439
Pursuant to tariff section 16.2(D), the Company may adjust the approved cost of gas rate upward on a monthly basis to the following rate:	
Maximum Cost of Gas Rate (per therm) May 1, 2023 through October 31, 2023	<u>\$1.8494</u>

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