IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR PUGET SOUND ENERGY CUSTOMERS ABOUT PROPOSED CHANGES IN RATES

Puget Sound Energy, on Oct. 31, 2018, and on Nov. 27, 2018, filed requests with the state Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC) to adjust electric and natural gas rates. The requested changes, proposed to be effective on Jan. 1, 2019, are included in the Other Charges & Credits amount(s) listed on PSE bills:

Federal Wind Power Credit: An annual true-up of the pass-through of federal income tax benefits derived from PSE's investments in the utility-owned and operated Wild Horse Expansion and Lower Snake River wind facilities. The filing requests to decrease the credit, which will increase electric rates for most customers.

Renewable Energy Credit: Due to an increase in the level of Renewable Energy Credit sales, PSE requests to increase the credit which will result in a decrease in electric rates.

Merger Credit: A 10 year period of rate credits was established in February 2009. The time period has been completed and PSE requests to terminate the credit, causing an increase in electric and natural gas rates for customers.

NATURAL GAS RATES: For the typical residential customer with natural gas service using 64 therms per month, the effect of the rate change will increase a typical PSE monthly bill by 23 cents, or 0.39 percent.

ELECTRIC RATES: The combined effect of all three rate changes for the typical residential customer using 900 kWh of electricity per month will increase a typical PSE monthly bill by 42 cents, or 0.47 percent.

The overall average changes for electric and natural gas customers are as follows:

TYPE OF SCHEDULE—ELECTRIC SERVICE	PERCENT
Residential—Schedule 7	
Master Metered Residential—Schedule 7A	
Small Secondary Voltage General—Schedule 8	
Small Secondary Voltage General—Schedule 24	
Medium Secondary Voltage General—Schedule 11	
Medium Secondary Voltage General—Schedule 25	
Large Secondary Voltage General—Schedule 12	0.32 increase
Large Secondary Voltage General—Schedules 26 and 26P	0.28 increase
Secondary Voltage Seasonal Irrigation & Pumping—Schedule 29	0.55 increase
Primary Voltage General—Schedule 10	
Primary Voltage General—Schedule 31	
Primary Voltage Seasonal Irrigation & Pumping—Schedule 35	
Interruptible Primary Voltage Electric Schools—Schedule 43	
Campus Rate—Schedule 40	
Interruptible High Voltage—Schedule 46	
High Voltage General—Schedule 49	0.36 increase
Choice/Retail Wheeling—Schedules 449 and 459	0.69 increase
TYPE OF SCHEDULE—NATURAL GAS SERVICE	PERCENT
Residential—Schedules 23 and 53	
Commercial & Industrial—Schedule 31	
Commercial & Industrial Transportation—Schedule 31T	0.36 increase
Large Volume—Schedule 41	0.50 increase
Large Volume Transportation—Schedule 411	1.06 increase
Interruptible—Schedule 85	0.14 increase
Interruptible Transportation—Schedule 85T	
Limited Interruptible—Schedule 86	
Limited Interruptible Transportation—Schedule 86T	U.97 Increase
Non-exclusive Interruptible—Schedule 87	U.14 Increase
Non-exclusive Interruptible Transportation—Schedule 87T	
Gas Lighting—Schedule 16	
Rentals—Schedules 71, 72 and 74.	
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The UTC will review each of these filings, and has the authority to set final rates that may vary from PSE's requests, either higher or lower or structured differently, depending on the results of its review.

Comments or Questions: PSE customers may comment to the UTC by: using the online comment form, at http://www.utc.wa.gov/comment; emailing comments@utc.wa.gov; calling 1-888-333-9882; faxing to 360-664-4291 or mailing your comments to: P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, WA, 98504-7250. Please include your name, mailing address, and the name of the company (PSE) and a description of the filings. You may ask questions of the UTC and request notification of the open meeting at which these proposals will be considered. The UTC will provide reasonable accommodation to participants with disabilities. If you need accommodation, please contact the commission at (360) 664-1132 or human_resources@utc.wa.gov. The public is represented by the Public Counsel Section of the Washington Attorney General's office. You can reach the Public Counsel Section by writing to Public Counsel, Assistant Attorney General, 800 5th Avenue, Suite 2000, Seattle, WA 98104-3188, or by e-mail at utility@atg.wa.gov.

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