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WUTC STAFF DATA REQUEST NO. 286:
REQUESTED BY: Hanna Navarro

Re: Capital Planning

On page 52, lines 2-8 of Company Witness Koch’s testimony (Exh. CAK-1T), Company Witness Koch states “Based on information of these groups provided by PSE’s CEIP work, any circuit that serves either of these defined groups, even if it is just one customer or one foot of distribution line, will be defined as Named Population Circuit. PSE will determine the reliability performance experienced by all customers on these circuit recognizing that some specific customers may not be categorized by these definitions as PSE captures reliability most readily by circuit.” Does this mean that all customers on a circuit that is partially in a named community census tract will be counted as “named community” customers for the named community SAIDI and SAIFI metrics?

Response:

Yes. For the purpose of measuring System Average Interruption Duration Index and System Average Interruption Frequency Index, data is generally tracked at the circuit level and the best information available was used when these metrics were developed.