

Approval to Amend Tariff and Business Rules – Annual Interconnect Rate Update

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Sustainable Power Credit Rate

Background

- All Members with distributed generation (DG) less than 50 kW receive the Sustainable Power Credit for all surplus generation delivered to PEC's distribution system
- The Sustainable Power Credit is calculated from the 3-year average avoided cost of the following:
 - Energy Cost
 - Ancillary Service Cost
 - Transmission Cost
 - Other if applicable

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Proposed Rate Change

 Update the Sustainable Power Credit from \$ 0.060005 to \$0.069554 per kWh of Received Energy

							3-Year Average		3-Year Average	
Item	2020		2021		•	2022	2019-2021		2020-2022	
Avoided Energy Costs	\$	41.32	\$	69.48	\$	129.40	\$	66.53	\$	80.07
Avoided Ancillary Services Costs	\$	1.85	\$	14.51	\$	5.51	\$	3.61	\$	7.29
Avoided Transmission Costs	\$	22.60	\$	20.91	\$	20.91	\$	21.03	\$	21.47
Avoided Capacity or Demand Costs	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Avoided Distribution Costs	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Avoided Regulatory Costs	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Value of Distributed Generation	\$	65.77	\$	104.89	\$	155.83	\$	91.17	\$	108.83
Sustainable Power Credit (\$/kWh)							\$	0.060005	\$	0.069554

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Financial Impact

- Impact to a specific member will depend on usage patterns
- Members should see an increase in payments of \$0.009549 per kWh of energy
 Current number of members (As of August 11, 2023):
 - Residential 10,392 members, 10,606 accounts
 - Small Power 55 members, 76 accounts

Proposed Tariff Amendment

• Update Section 500.1.12, Sustainable Power Credit

<u>Proposed Implementation Timeline and Details</u>

- Send notice of rate change by 1st week of January 2024
- Effective for all bills issued on and after March 1, 2024

PEC Helpful Links and Rate Contact Information

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Includes Rate Policy, Cost of Service Studies, recent rate related Board items https://www.pec.coop/about-us/your-cooperative/document-center/

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