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October 18, 2019

Tanowa M. Troupe, Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: *In the Matter of the Application of Suburban Natural Gas Company for Approval of an Adjustment to Its Infrastructure Replacement Program Rider, Case No. 19-1272-GA-RDR.*

Dear Ms. Troupe:

On August 30, 2019, Suburban Natural Gas Company (Suburban) filed an application to adjust its Infrastructure Replacement Program (IRP) Rider (Application) with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (Commission) in the above-referenced docket. On September 19, 2019, Staff recommended that the Commission approve Suburban's Application to decrease its IRP Rider rate from \$0.18 to \$0.17 per month, to go into effect on November 1, 2019 and remain in effect until October 31, 2020 or until the Commission approves Suburban's base rate case in Case No. 18-1205-EL-AIR, et al., whichever occurs first. On September 23, 2019, Suburban filed a statement accepting Staff's recommendation and noted that there were no outstanding issues that needed to be resolved. Given that there were no issues to be resolved, the hearing scheduled in this matter was cancelled on October 8, 2019.

On September 26, 2019, the Commission issued an Opinion and Order in Case Nos. 18-1205-GA-AIR, et al., adopting the joint stipulation filed in Suburban's base rate case. As part of the stipulation filed in that case, Suburban agreed to include the IRP plant amounts in rate base and eliminate the IRP Rider charge, effective with the Commission's approval of the Stipulation. Accordingly, Suburban files in the above-referenced docket the attached P.U.C.O No. 4, Original Sheet No. 9, page 2 of 7, Infrastructure Replacement Program Rider, which eliminates the rider charge, effective September 30, 2019. Suburban previously filed a copy of this tariff sheet as part of its complete tariff filing in Case Nos. 18-1205-GA-AIR, et al., and 89-8027-GA-TRF on September 27, 2019.

Please do not hesitate to call me if there are any questions.

Sincerely,



Kimberly W. Bojko

cc: Parties of Record

P.U.C.O. NO. 4
(Cancels P.U.C.O. No. 3)
Tariff for Natural Gas Service

**RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE DISTRIBUTION AND SALE OF
NATURAL GAS**

Infrastructure Replacement Program Rider

Applicability:

Applicable to Customers served under all rate schedules.

Description:

An additional charge per month per account, regardless of gas consumed, to recover costs associated with Suburban's Customer notification and education and the repair or replacement of service lines as specified in the Company's IRP Plan filed with the PUCO. This Rider shall be calculated annually pursuant to a notice filed no later than May 31 of each year based on nine months of actual data and three months of estimated data for the reporting year. The filing shall be updated no later than August 31 of the same year to reflect the use of actual reporting year data. Such adjustments to the Rider will become effective with bills rendered on November 1 of each year.

This Rider is subject to reconciliation or adjustment, including but not limited to, increases or refunds. Such reconciliation or adjustment shall be limited to the twelve-month period of expenditures upon which the rates were calculated, if determined to be unlawful, unreasonable, or imprudent by the Commission in the docket those rates were approved or the Supreme Court of Ohio.

Rate:

\$0.00 per Month

Issued: 09/27/2019

Effective: 09/30/2019

In accordance with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Opinion and Order
and subsequent authority

Order Dated: 09/26/2019

Case Nos. 18-1205-GA-AIR, et al.

Issued by Andrew J. Sonderman, President

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