

**BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of	)	
Ohio Gas Company for Approval to	)	
Change Accounting Methods and Defer	)	Case No. 15-222-GA-AAM
Expenses Related to Implementation of	)	
A Geographic Information System	)	

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**REPORT OF OHIO GAS COMPANY OF 2015 DEFERRED EXPENSES RELATED TO  
ITS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM PROGRAM**

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On January 28, 2015, Ohio Gas Company ("Ohio Gas") filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") an Application seeking authority to establish a regulatory asset and to defer, for accounting and financial purposes, its expenditures for implementation of a geographic information system ("GIS") designed to support several of Ohio Gas's needs. As part of the Application, Ohio Gas indicated that it would make informational filings with the Commission that set forth the GIS expenses on an annual and cumulative basis, including monthly expenditures for each component of the GIS deferred expenses.

In a Finding and Order issued on July 29, 2015, the Commission approved the Application, with modifications proposed by the Commission's Staff. The Finding and Order directed Ohio Gas to separately identify and record in a subaccount of Account 182, Other Regulatory Assets, all operations and maintenance ("O&M") costs to be deferred by Ohio Gas for the first phase of the GIS project. Finding and Order at 6 (July 29, 2015). It also directed Ohio Gas to make annual informational filings prior to June 1 of each year of the first phase of the GIS project that set forth the GIS expenses on an

annual and cumulative basis, including monthly expenditures for each component of the GIS expenses deferred on an annual basis. *Id.*

In compliance with the Commission order to file an annual report, Ohio Gas submits the following report, Attachment A, detailing the GIS project expenses that Ohio Gas has deferred under the Finding and Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

In accordance with Rule 4901-1-05, Ohio Administrative Code, the PUCO's e-filing system will electronically serve notice of the filing of this document upon the following parties. In addition, I hereby certify that a service copy of the foregoing *Report of Ohio Gas Company of 2015 Deferred Expenses Related to its Geographic Information System Program* was sent by, or on behalf of, the undersigned counsel for IEU-Ohio to the following parties of record this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 2016, *via* electronic transmission.

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## ATTACHMENT A

Ohio Gas Company  
Reconciliation and Carrying Cost Calculation on GIS Project  
As granted in Case No. 15-222-GA-AAM  
Approval to Change Accounting Methods and Defer Expenses Related to Implementation of a Geographic Information System

		2015												Total YTD expenses
Account 182300-90 / Work Order 8014-55		JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	
	BEG MO BAL	-	8,665.00	12,991.67	13,024.90	15,429.09	23,585.86	26,920.79	43,839.28	48,370.50	61,147.34	67,399.29	131,279.08	
Management Consultant		8,665.00	4,311.95	-	2,360.00	8,110.00	3,268.66	1,676.52	1,425.00	3,086.86	1,679.13	375.00	1,125.00	36,083.12
Implementation Consultant		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60,308.49	21,577.32	81,885.81
Maintenance Consultant		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GIS Payroll		-	-	-	-	-	-	15,158.95	2,986.02	9,533.35	4,392.79	2,977.95	966.74	36,015.80
Software		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Training		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carrying Cost		-	14.72	33.23	44.19	46.77	66.27	83.02	120.20	156.63	180.03	218.35	326.59	1,290.00
	END MO BAL	8,665.00	12,991.67	13,024.90	15,429.09	23,585.86	26,920.79	43,839.28	48,370.50	61,147.34	67,399.29	131,279.08	155,274.73	155,274.73
	AVG BAL	4,332.50	10,828.34	13,008.29	14,227.00	19,507.48	25,253.33	35,380.04	46,104.89	54,758.92	64,273.32	99,339.19	143,276.91	
	RATE	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	
	DAYS IN MONTH	31	28	31	30	31	30	31	31	30	31	30	31	
	INTEREST	14.72	33.23	44.19	46.77	66.27	83.02	120.20	156.63	180.03	218.35	326.59	486.75	1,776.75
FOR INTEREST CALCULATION	END MO BAL	8,665.00	12,991.67	13,024.90	15,429.09	23,585.86	26,920.79	43,839.28	48,370.50	61,147.34	67,399.29	131,279.08	155,274.73	
	INTEREST	14.72	33.23	44.19	46.77	66.27	83.02	120.20	156.63	180.03	218.35	326.59	486.75	
Account 182300-90	G/L BALANCE	8,679.72	13,024.90	13,069.09	15,475.86	23,652.13	27,003.81	43,959.48	48,527.13	61,327.37	67,617.64	131,605.67	155,761.48	

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