Decision No. C24-0268-I

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 24AL-0152G

IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE LETTER NO. 1031 - GAS FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO TO REVISE ITS COLORADO P.U.C. NO. 6 GAS TARIFF TO REVISE THE GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT -PIPELINE SYSTEM INTEGRITY ADJUSTMENT (GRSA-P) AND TO REVISE THE VERBIAGE IN THE COMPANY'S GAS TARIFF SO THAT THE GRSA-P RATES ARE AUTOMATICALLY TERMINATED EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 2024, TO BECOME EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 2024.

INTERIM COMMISSION DECISION GRANTING REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE

Mailed Date: April 24, 2024 Adopted Date: April 17, 2024

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. On April 8, 2024, pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E) C.R.S. and Commission Rule 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* (CCR) 723-1207(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, Public Service Company of Colorado, filed an Amended Motion for Approval of an Alternative Form of Notice applicable to Advice Letter No. 1031 Amended - Gas. By Advice Letter No. 1031 Amended - Gas, Public Service seeks to amend its General Rate Schedule Adjustment – Pipeline System Integrity Adjustment (GRSA-P) tariff. The proposed GRSA-P will terminate effective May 21, 2024.

2. Public Service seeks Commission approval to use the following alternative forms of notice:

a. Posting the customer notice on the Company's website pursuant to $\S 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)$, C.R.S.; and

- b. Publishing a legal notice, as outlined in Attachment A to the Motion for Alternative Form of Notice, in *The Denver Post*, once during the first twenty days of the thirty-day period prior to May 21, 2024.
- 3. Public Service argues there is good cause for the alternative form of notice requested by this Motion. Public Service believes that these forms of notice will provide sufficient notice to the public at a reasonable cost, and it will do so in a more cost effective manner than other forms of statutory notice.
- 4. Pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and 4 CCR 723-1-1207(b) a utility may request to provide an alternative form of notice of proposed tariff changes. We find that the alternative forms of notice Public Service proposes in its Motion will provide sufficient notice to its customers and will do so efficiently. We therefore find good cause to approve the alternative forms of notice Public Service requests.

II. ORDER

A. It Is Ordered That:

1. The Amended Motion for Approval of an Alternative Form of Notice filed by Public Service Company of Colorado on April 8, 2024, is granted.

2. This Decision is effective on its Mailed Date.

B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING April 17, 2024.

(SEAL)

THE PUBLIC VILITIES CO.

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

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Commissioners

COMMISSIONER TOM PLANT ABSENT.

Rebecca E. White, Director