

Decision No. C24-0904-I

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

PROCEEDING NO. 24AL-0518E

IN THE MATTER OF ADVICE NO. 1972 - ELECTRIC FILED BY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF COLORADO TO REVISE ITS P.U.C. No. 8 – ELECTRIC TARIFF TO INCREASE THE ELECTRIC DEMAND-SIDE MANAGEMENT COST ADJUSTMENT, TO BECOME EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025.

**INTERIM COMMISSION DECISION GRANTING
REQUEST FOR ALTERNATIVE FORM OF NOTICE**

Issued Date: December 11, 2024

Adopted Date: December 4, 2024

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement, Findings, and Conclusions

1. On November 27, 2024, Public Service Company of Colorado (“Public Service” or the “Company”) filed a Motion for Commission Approval of an Alternative Form of Notice (“Motion”) to apply to Public Service’s contemporaneous Advice Letter and tariff filing to revise its Electric Demand-Side Management Cost Adjustment (“DSMCA-E”) tariff to implement a revision in the DSMCA-E factors proposed to be effective January 1, 2025.

2. Public Service moves pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and Rule 1207(b), 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* (“CCR”) 723-1, to provide alternative forms of notice for the Company’s filing to its customers. Public Service requests Commission approval to use the following forms of notice:

- Posting the customer notice and proposed tariffs on the Company’s public website pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I), C.R.S.;
- Publishing a legal notice in *The Denver Post* for two consecutive Sundays; and

- Electronic service of the Advice Letter, associated tariffs, and testimony with associated exhibits to all parties in Proceeding Nos. 23A-0392EG, the first Clean Heat Plan proceeding, and 23A-0589EG, the 2024-2026 DSM Plan.

3. Public Service maintains that good cause exists for the Commission to approve the proposed alternative forms of notice, and this will avoid incurring the expenses associated with other forms of statutory notice. The Company concludes the proposed alternative forms of notice will be sufficient to alert affected and interested parties to the changes the Company is proposing.

4. Pursuant to § 40-3-104(1)(c)(I)(E), C.R.S., and 4 CCR 723-1-1207(b) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, a utility may request to provide alternative forms of notice of a tariff change. We find the alternative forms of notice the Company proposes in the Motion will provide sufficient notice in an efficient manner. We therefore find good cause to approve the alternative forms of notice that the Company requests.

II. ORDER

A. It Is Ordered That:

1. The Motion for Commission Approval of an Alternative Form of Notice, filed by Public Service Company of Colorado on November 27, 2024, is granted.

2. This Decision is effective upon its Issued Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
December 4, 2024.**

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ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rebecca E. White".

Rebecca E. White,
Director

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