

# PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF MONTANA

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Energy West Montana, Inc.  
In Cascade

Tariff No. 01, Schedule TS, Sheet 01, Release 15.4  
Canceling Sheet No. 15.3

## Natural Gas Distribution Transportation (DT)

**RS** Service is available to all single or two family dwellings service through a single meter.

**SGS** Service is available to all customers not eligible for residential service, who take service through a meter rated 600 CF/Hour or less.

**LGS** Service is available to all commercial customers who take service through a meter rated 601 to 7000 CF/Hour.

**EGS** Service is available to commercial customers who take service through a meter rated above 7001 CF/Hour.

**RS - LI** Service is available to all single or two family dwellings served through a single meter rated at 600 cubic feet per hour or less, where the customer has qualified for LIEAP. The rate for this service is the same as the rate for RS service except that a discount on the total bill is applied as follows:

If the household income is at or less than 30% of the poverty level, a discount of 28% is applied to the Total Bill.

If the household income is between 31% and 60% of the poverty level, a discount of 24% is applied to the Total Bill.

If the household income is between 61% and 90% of the poverty level, a discount of 20% is applied to the Total Bill.

If the household income is at or greater than 91% of the poverty level, a discount of 16% is applied to the Total Bill.

### DISTRIBUTION TRANSPORTATION

	CUSTOMER CHARGE
RESIDENTIAL (RS)	\$ 6.50
SMALL GENERAL (SGS)	18.00
LARGE GENERAL (LGS)	98.65
EXTENDED GENERAL (EGS)	762.30

### RATES ARE EXPRESSED PER ONE HUNDRED CUBIC FEET (CCF)

	DISTRIBUTION BASE RATE	PSC/MCC RATE	TRANSPORT RATE	USBC SURCHARGE	NON-GAS COST SURCHARGE	EFFECTIVE RATE	(I) INCREASE/ (D) DECREASE
RESIDENTIAL (RS) ALL USAGE (CCF)	\$ 0.10541	\$ 0.00159	\$ 0.13359	\$ 0.00523	\$ (0.01597)	\$ 0.22985	(I)
SMALL GENERAL (SGS) ALL USAGE (CCF)	0.08593	0.00147	0.13359	0.00523	(0.01597)	0.21025	(I)
LARGE GENERAL (LGS) ALL USAGE (CCF)	0.07319	0.00112	0.13359	0.00523	(0.01597)	0.19716	(I)
EXTENDED GENERAL (EGS) ALL USAGE (CCF)	0.07378	0.00139	0.13359	0.00523	(0.01597)	0.19802	(I)

Tax Tracking Adjustment of 23.99602% applicable to Customer Charge and Distribution Base Rate amounts as further described in the Property Tax Tracking Adjustment tariff.

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 AUTHORIZED AGENT OF ENERGY WEST MONTANA, INC.  
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Tariff No. 01, Schedule DT, Sheet 02, Release 04.4  
Canceling Sheet No 04.3

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### Special Terms and Conditions:

A late charge of one percent (1%) per month on residential accounts sixty days past due subject to the conditions stated in the Finding of Fact 38 in Order #5153a.

A late charge of one percent (1%) per month on commercial accounts thirty days past due subject to the conditions stated in the Finding of Fact 38 in Order #5153a.

Customers meter size will be determined solely in the judgment of the company based upon the service requirements of the customer at a pressure base of 13.28 P.S.I.A., unless customer load characteristics, in the judgment of the company, require a different pressure base.

Customers using or requiring in excess of 50,000 ccf per month may be served only after securing written consent of the Company. If such consent is given, service may be supplied under special contracts subject to approval of the Montana Public Service Commission.

If a customer terminates service and subsequently requests renewal of service at the same address, the Company may charge the customer the monthly fixed charges not paid during the time of termination. Fixed charges can only be recovered from customers who terminate and renew service at the same address where no other customer has taken service in the interim at the address. Rates for all tariffs are based on continuing service and collection of monthly fixed charges at each service location.

### Conditions of Service

1. Eligibility For Service - In order to receive transportation service hereunder customer must provide evidence that he has made final arrangement for securing and transporting the gas to the delivering pipeline.
2. The customer and their supplier must agree to all conditions in the DT Tariff.
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4. Multiple services - In the event customer desires traditional service in addition to the requirement he specifies in his request for transportation service, the Company and customer will negotiate the monthly amount to be attributed to traditional service. That amount will be assumed to be the first volumes sold to customer each month and will be priced at customers applicable traditional tariff. Customer will remain responsible for the service charge contained herein and will be billed for consumption above the negotiated amount at the commodity rate specified herein.

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- 5. Priority of Service - The priority of service shall be as follows, the highest priority is listed first, with curtailments occurring first to those listed last:  
  
Residential Customers  
Commercial Customers without alternative fuel sources  
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Interruptible Customers
- 6. Penalty for Failure to Curtail or Interrupt - If customer fails to curtail or interrupt his use of gas hereunder when requested to do so by the Company, customer shall pay, in addition to the appropriate rates prescribed previously, an amount equal to any payment the Company is required to make to its pipeline supplier under the terms of its contract as a result of such failure to curtail or interrupt, plus \$10.00 per Mmbtu of gas used in excess of the volume of gas to which customer was requested curtail or interrupt, whichever amount is greater. Such payments, however, shall not preclude the Company from shutting off customer's supply of gas in the event of his failure to curtail or interrupt his use of gas when requested to do so by the Company.
- 7. Change of Service Election - Request for transportation hereunder constitutes an irrevocable election of its requirements for a minimum term of one year unless mutually agreed to by the Company and customer. If customer and Company mutually agree, the customer may be served under the appropriate sales rate schedule for the customer's operation. Upon expiration of service, the customer may apply for and receive, at the sole discretion of the Company and with a minimum of nine months notice, gas service under the appropriate sales rate schedule for the customer's classification.
- 8. Upon request of the Company, customer may be requested to enter into an agreement for service hereunder.
- 9. DT tariff rates annually will be increased or decreased to provide for the over or under recoveries of gas costs that would have been applicable to the customer as a full service customer of the utility. The increase is shown on page 1 of the tariff.

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