

July 31, 2024

Ms. Debbie-Anne Reese
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: Kern River Gas Transmission Company
Docket No. RP24-_____
Revised Negotiated Rate Transactions

Dear Acting Secretary Reese:

Pursuant to Part 154 of the regulations of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“Commission” or “FERC”), Kern River Gas Transmission Company (“Kern River”) hereby tenders for filing and acceptance the following tariff sheets as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Third Revised Volume No. 1 (“Tariff”), to be effective August 1, 2024:

Sheet No. 450D, Version 10.0.0
Sheet No. 450E, Version 14.0.0
Sheet No. 450F, Version 3.0.0
Sheet No. 450G, Original Sheet, Version 0.0.0

Purpose

The purpose of this filing is to obtain Commission acceptance of revised negotiated rate transportation service agreements with BP Energy Company (“BP”), Concord Energy LLC (“Concord”), and Constellation Energy Generation, LLC (“Constellation”) in accordance with the Commission’s Statement of Policy on Alternatives to Traditional Cost of Service Ratemaking for Natural Gas Pipelines (“Policy Statement”).¹ The proposed revisions are more fully describe below.

¹ 74 FERC ¶ 61,076 (1996).

Proposed Revisions

BP - Contract No. 26000: Tariff Sheet No. 450D is updated to reflect new monthly variable Demand Maximum Daily Quantity (“DMDQ”) applicable to periods beyond December 31, 2024, and to remove the Painter receipt point and the Wheeler Ridge delivery point. The addition of the variable DMDQ detail has caused some of the currently effective content in Tariff Sheet No. 450D to move to Tariff Sheet Nos. 450E and 450F.

Concord – Contract No. 26003: Tariff Sheet No. 450E is updated to reflect new monthly variable DMDQ applicable to periods beyond December 31, 2024. The addition of the variable DMDQ detail has caused some of the currently effective content in Tariff Sheet No. 450E to move to Tariff Sheet No. 450F and to newly created Tariff Sheet No. 450G.

Constellation – Contract No. 26005: Tariff Sheet No. 450F is updated to reflect new monthly variable DMDQ applicable to periods beyond December 31, 2024.

Nothing in these revised transportation service agreements deviate in any material respect from the form of service agreement for Rate Schedule KRF-1 in Kern River's tariff.

Other Regulatory Requirements

In accordance with the Policy Statement and applicable precedent, Kern River will record separately the billing determinants, quantities transported, rates, surcharges and revenues associated with negotiated rate transactions so this information can be separately identified and totaled in Statements G, I and J in Kern River's future general rate proceedings. Also, the negotiated rate transactions shall be reflected on Kern River's transactional report pursuant to Order Nos. 637, 637A and 637B.

Waiver and Effective Date

The Policy Statement provides: "the Commission will readily grant requests to waive the 30-day notice requirement" for negotiated rate filings.² Accordingly, Kern River respectfully requests that the Commission grant a waiver of section 154.207 and any other waivers of its Regulations it deems necessary to allow the tendered tariff sheet to be effective August 1, 2024.

Materials Submitted

This filing is comprised of an eTariff.xml filing package containing:

- this transmittal letter;
- the proposed tariff sheets in electronic format, with metadata attached;
- clean copy of the tariff sheets for posting on the Commission’s eLibrary; and
- marked copy of the tariff sheets.

² 74 FERC ¶ 61,076 at 61,241-2 (1996). See *NorAm Gas Transmission Company*, 77 FERC ¶ 61,011 at 61,034-5 (1996).

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Posting

In accordance with Section 154.208, Kern River has served an electronic copy of this filing upon its customers and interested state regulatory commissions.

Communications

Kern River respectfully requests that all communications regarding this filing be served upon each of the following:

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Respectfully submitted,

KERN RIVER GAS TRANSMISSION COMPANY

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Manager, Rates and Tariffs

NEGOTIATED RATE AGREEMENTS (Continued)

<u>Shipper Name/ Agreement No.</u>	<u>Negotiated Reservation Rate (per Dth)</u>	<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Receipt Points</u>	<u>Delivery Points</u>	<u>Quantity (Dth/d)</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
BP Energy Company No. 26000	11/	KRF-1	Opal	Kramer Junction	*	05/31/2018 9/
* January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024					48,430	
January 1, 2025 – January 31, 2025					46,645	
February 1, 2025 – February 28, 2025					45,734	
March 1, 2025 – August 31, 2025					48,430	
September 1, 2025 – September 30, 2025					46,545	
October 1, 2025 – October 31, 2025					40,658	
November 1, 2025 – November 30, 2025					48,430	
December 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025					31,524	
January 1, 2026 – January 31, 2026					41,329	
February 1, 2026 – February 28, 2026					44,045	
March 1, 2026 – August 31, 2026					48,430	
September 1, 2026 – September 30, 2026					46,545	
October 1, 2026 – October 31, 2026					40,658	
November 1, 2026 – August 31, 2027					48,430	
September 1, 2027 – September 30, 2027					46,545	
October 1, 2027 – October 31, 2027					40,658	
November 1, 2027 – December 31, 2027					48,430	
Each Year Thereafter, Beginning January 1, 2028:						
January 1 – September 30					48,430	
October 1 – October 31					42,991	
November 1 – December 31					48,430	
Citadel Energy Marketing LLC No. 26002	18/	KRF-1	Opal	Wheeler Ridge	46,930	10/31/2024 17/
World Fuels Services Inc. No. 1908	29/	KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	*	2/28/2027 28/
* November 1, 2023 – February 29, 2024					2,000	
March 1, 2024 – October 31, 2024					0	
November 1, 2024 – February 28, 2025					2,000	
March 1, 2025 – October 31, 2025					0	
November 1, 2025 – February 28, 2026					2,000	
March 1, 2026 – October 31, 2026					0	
November 1, 2026 – February 28, 2027					2,000	

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<u>Shipper Name/ Agreement No.</u>	<u>Negotiated Rate (per Dth)</u>	<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Receipt Points</u>	<u>Delivery Points</u>	<u>Contract Quantity (Dth/d)</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
Concord Energy LLC No. 26003	11/	KRF-1	Opal	South Midway	*	3/31/2019 22/
January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024					48,430	
January 1, 2025 – January 31, 2025					46,645	
February 1, 2025 – February 28, 2025					45,734	
March 1, 2025 – May 31, 2025					48,430	
June 1, 2025 – June 30, 2025					47,815	
July 1, 2025 – August 31, 2025					48,430	
September 1, 2025 – September 30, 2025					46,545	
October 1, 2025 – October 31, 2025					40,658	
November 1, 2025 – November 30, 2025					48,430	
December 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025					31,525	
January 1, 2026 – January 31, 2026					41,329	
February 1, 2026 – February 28, 2026					44,045	
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Each Year Thereafter, Beginning January 1, 2028:						
January 1 – September 30					48,430	
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November 1 – December 31					48,430	
CIMA Energy, LP No. 26001	12/	KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	20,000	5/31/2018 9/
ConocoPhillips Company No. 26004	12/	KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	20,000	5/31/2018 9/
Direct Energy Business Marketing, LLC No. 26065	12/	KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	20,000	11/30/2021 21/
MIECO LLC No. 26006	12/	KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	20,000	5/31/2018 9/

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Constellation Energy Generation, LLC No. 26005	13/	KRF-1	Opal	Kern Front – Juniper	*	10/31/2020 20/
* January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024					48,430	
January 1, 2025 – January 31, 2025					46,645	
February 1, 2025 – February 28, 2025					45,734	
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Chevron U.S.A Inc. No. 26047	30/	KRF-1	Opal – WFS	Kramer Junction SoCal Gas	30,000	3/31/2031
Shell Energy North America (US), LP 12/ No. 26008		KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	20,000	5/31/2018 9/
Calpine Energy Services, L.P. No. 26009	12/	KRF-1	Opal	Kramer Junction Blue Diamond	*	5/31/2018 9/
* March 1, 2020 – May 31, 2021:					16,534	
June 1, 2021 – October 31, 2021:					4,139	
November 1, 2021, and month to month thereafter:					16,534	
Castleton Commodities Merchant Trading L.P. No. 26010	27/	KRF-1	Opal	Kramer Junction Blue Diamond	16,534	10/31/2020 25/

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EDF Trading North America, LLC No. 26011	12/	KRF-1	Opal	Kramer Junction Blue Diamond	*	5/31/2018 9/
					16,534	
					4,139	
					16,534	
World Fuel Services Inc. No. 26048	18/	KRF-1	Opal	Wecco	2,000	4/30/2027 26/

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Shipper Name/ Agreement No.	Negotiated Reservation Rate (per Dth)	Rate Schedule	Receipt Points	Delivery Points	Quantity (Dth/d)	Term Expires
BP Energy Company No. 26000	11/	KRF-1	Opal Painter	Kramer Junction Wheeler Ridge	*	05/31/2018 9/
* January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024					48,430	
January 1, 2025 – January 31, 2025					46,645	
February 1, 2025 – February 28, 2025					45,734	
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October 1 – October 31					42,991	
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June 1, 2021 – October 31, 2021:					43,220	
November 1, 2021, and month to month thereafter:					48,430	
Citadel Energy Marketing LLC No. 26002	18/	KRF-1	Opal	Wheeler Ridge	46,930	10/31/2024 17/
Concord Energy LLC No. 26003	11/	KRF-1	Opal	South Midway	*	03/31/2019 22/
* March 1, 2019 – May 31, 2021:					48,430	
June 1, 2021 – October 31, 2021:					46,545	
November 1, 2021, and month to month thereafter:					48,430	
Constellation Energy Generation, LLC No. 26005	13/	KRF-1	Opal	Kern Front Juniper	48,430	10/31/2020 20/
World Fuels Services Inc.	29/	KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	*	2/28/2027 28/

No. 1908

* November 1, 2023 – February 29, 2024	2,000
March 1, 2024 – October 31, 2024	0
November 1, 2024 – February 28, 2025	2,000
March 1, 2025 – October 31, 2025	0
November 1, 2025 – February 28, 2026	2,000
March 1, 2026 – October 31, 2026	0
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<u>January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024</u>					<u>48,430</u>	
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<u>CIMA Energy, LP No. 26001</u>	<u>12/</u>	<u>KRF-1</u>	<u>Opal</u>	<u>Blue Diamond</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>5/31/2018 9/</u>
<u>ConocoPhillips Company No. 26004</u>	<u>12/</u>	<u>KRF-1</u>	<u>Opal</u>	<u>Blue Diamond</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>5/31/2018 9/</u>
<u>Direct Energy Business Marketing, LLC No. 26065</u>	<u>12/</u>	<u>KRF-1</u>	<u>Opal</u>	<u>Blue Diamond</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>11/30/2021 21/</u>
<u>MIECO LLC No. 26006</u>	<u>12/</u>	<u>KRF-1</u>	<u>Opal</u>	<u>Blue Diamond</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>5/31/2018 9/</u>

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~~Calpine Energy~~

~~Services, L.P. 12/ KRF-1 Opal Kramer Junction * 5/31/2018 9/
 No. 26009 Blue Diamond~~

~~* March 1, 2020 – May 31, 2021: 16,534
 June 1, 2021 – October 31, 2021: 4,139
 November 1, 2021, and month to month thereafter: 16,534~~

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 No. 26011 Blue Diamond~~

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 No. 26048~~

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<u>Constellation Energy</u>						
Generation, LLC No. 26005	13/	KRF-1	Opal	Kern Front – Juniper	*	10/31/2020 20/
* January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024					48,430	
January 1, 2025 – January 31, 2025					46,645	
February 1, 2025 – February 28, 2025					45,734	
March 1, 2025 – August 31, 2025					48,430	
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<u>Shell Energy</u>						
North America (US), LP 12/ No. 26008		KRF-1	Opal	Blue Diamond	20,000	5/31/2018 9/
<u>Calpine Energy</u>						
Services, L.P. No. 26009	12/	KRF-1	Opal	Kramer Junction Blue Diamond	*	5/31/2018 9/
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November 1, 2021, and month to month thereafter:					16,534	
<u>Castleton Commodities</u>						
Merchant Trading L.P. No. 26010	27/	KRF-1	Opal	Kramer Junction Blue Diamond	16,534	10/31/2020 25/

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<u>EDF Trading North America, LLC No. 26011</u>	<u>12/</u>	<u>KRF-1</u>	<u>Opal</u>	<u>Kramer Junction Blue Diamond</u>	<u>*</u>	<u>5/31/2018 9/</u>
					<u>16,534</u>	
					<u>4,139</u>	
					<u>16,534</u>	
<u>World Fuel Services Inc. No. 26048</u>	<u>18/</u>	<u>KRF-1</u>	<u>Opal</u>	<u>Wecco</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>4/30/2027 26/</u>