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## Overview

In accordance with the Filing Requirements, Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation (CPUC) has calculated the Rate Base as an average of the Net Capital Balances at the beginning and the end of the 2016 Test Year plus a working capital allowance, which is $7.5 \%$ of the sum of the Cost of Power and Controllable Expenses.
CPUC has applied the 7.5\% default working capital allowance in accordance with the OEB letter dated June 3, 2015, Allowance for Working Capital for Electricity Distribution Rate Applications.

CPUC has adopted the change-over to Modified International Financial Reporting Standards (MIFRS) as of January 1, 2015 with comparatives completed in MIFRS for 2013 and 2014.

On July 17, 2012 the Board issued a statement that changes are to be made extending the usefull life of assets and reducing depreciation rates.

Chapleau PUC has completed the Fixed Asset Continuity Schedule (Appendix 2-BA) for the years 2011 to 2016 using the following accounting standards:

| 2011 | CGAAP |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2012 | CGAAP |
| 2013 | CGAAP and MIFRS |
| 2014 | CGAAP and MIFRS |
| 2015 | CGAAP and MIFRS |
| 2016 | CGAAP and MIFRS |

Rate Base Comparison to The Last Approved 2012

|  | 2016 COS Application |  | 2012 COS Application |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Particulars | Allow Work Cap | Application | Allow Work Cap | Application |
| Gross Fixed Assets (Ave) |  | $\$ 2,754,517$ |  | $\$ 2,554,525$ |
| Accumulated Depreciat'n (Ave) |  | $(1,662,622)$ |  | $(1,517,843)$ |
| Net Fixed Assets | $\$ 728,300$ |  |  | $\$ 1,036.682$ |
| Controllable Expenses | $3,267,388$ |  | $\$ 654,490$ |  |
| Cost of Power | $\$ 3,995,688$ |  | $\$ 3,170,673$ |  |
| Working Capital Base | $@ 7.5 \%$ |  | $15.0 \%$ | $\$ 183$ |
| Working Capital Rate | $\$ 299,677$ | $\$ 299,677$ | $\$ 47,601$ | $\$ 475,601$ |
| Allowance for Working Capital |  |  |  | $\$ 1,512,283$ |
|  |  | $\$ 1,391,572$ |  |  |
| Total Rate Base |  |  |  |  |

The above analysis shows that the Total Rate Base for 2016 reduced from 2012 by $\$ 166,650$ or $11.02 \%$. Reasons for this change is:

- The change of working Capital Rate from $15.0 \%$ to $7.5 \%$ - impact is \$175,924.
- Changes in the accounting standard from CGAAP to MIFRS, changes to the useful life of assets and the various capital additions over the last 4 years shows an increase in Net Fixed Assets of \$55,213.

The reduction in Working Capital is attributed to the change in the default working capital allowance from the 15\% used in Chapleau's 2012 Cost of Service Rate Application to a new default value of $7.5 \%$.

Rate Base Comparison 2016 MIFRS and CGAAP without any changes

|  | 2016 MIFRS | 2016 GAAP without Policy Changes | Difference |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Closing NBV 2015 | 1,097,956 | 984,936 | 113,022 |
| Closing NBV 2016 | 1,085,835 | 958,959 | 126,876 |
| Average NBV | 1,091,897 | 971,948 | 119,949 |
| Working Capital | $\begin{array}{r} (7.5 \%) \\ 299,677 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} (15.0 \%) \\ 599,354 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $(299,677)$ |
| Rate Base | 1,391,574 | 1,571,302 | $(179,728)$ |
| Return on Rate Base | 87,452 | 96,678 | $(9,226)$ |
| OM\&A | 728,300 | 728,300 | 0 |
| Depreciation | 49,787 | 63,640 | $(13,853)$ |
| PILs or Income Taxes | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Less: Revenue Offsets | 43,505 | 43,505 | 0 |
| Total Base Revenue Requirement | 822,034 | 845,113 | $(23,079)$ |

Below is a summary of CPUC Rate Base based on a Working Capital Allowance of $15 \%$ and compared to the current Working Capital Allowance of $7.5 \%$ for the years 2012 Board Approved and actual, 2013 and 2014 actual, 2015 Bridge Year and 2016 Test Year.

|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ <br> Board <br> Approved | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ <br> Actual <br> CGAAP | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ <br> Actual <br> MIFRS | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ <br> Actual <br> MIFRS | Bridge <br> Year 2015 <br> MIFRS | Test Year <br> 2016 <br> MIFRS |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Average Gross fixed Assets | $2,554,525$ | $2,331,013$ | $2,606,150$ | $2,672,225$ | $2,714,936$ | $2,754,517$ |
| Average Accumulated Depreciat'n | $1,517,843$ | $1,421,821$ | $1,503,926$ | $1,556,911$ | $1,611,235$ | $1,662,622$ |
| Average Net Book Value | $\mathbf{1 , 0 3 6 , 6 8 2}$ | $\mathbf{9 0 9 , 1 9 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 2 , 2 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 1 5 , 3 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 3 , 7 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 0 9 1 , 8 9 5}$ |
| Working Capital | $3,212,844$ | $3,127,769$ | $3,479,121$ | $4,257,330$ | $3,979,705$ | $3,995,688$ |
| Work. Capital Allowance (15\%) | $\mathbf{4 7 5 , 6 0 1}$ | 469,165 | 521,868 | 638,600 | 596,956 | 599,353 |
| Rate Base | $\mathbf{1 , 5 1 2 , 2 8 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 7 8 , 3 5 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 6 2 4 , 0 9 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 7 5 3 , 9 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 7 0 0 , 6 5 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 6 9 1 , 5 8 3}$ |
| Variance from Previous Year | 0 | $\mathbf{( 1 3 3 , 9 2 6 )}$ | $\mathbf{2 4 5 , 7 3 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 0 , 1 9 0}$ | $\mathbf{( 5 3 , 2 5 7 )}$ | N/A |
| Work. Capital Allowance (7.5\%) | $\mathbf{2 3 7 , 8 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 3 4 , 5 8 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 6 0 , 9 3 4}$ | $\mathbf{3 1 9 , 3 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 9 8 , 4 7 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 9 9 , 6 7 7}$ |
| Rate Base | $\mathbf{1 , 2 7 4 , 4 8 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 4 3 , 7 7 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 6 3 , 1 5 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 4 3 4 , 6 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 4 0 2 , 1 7 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 9 1 , 5 7 2}$ |
| Variance from Previous Year | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | $\mathbf{( 1 0 , 6 0 7 )}$ |

The following is the breakdown of the working capital calculation at $15 \%$ and $7.5 \%$ used in the above table for true comparisons.

|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ <br> Board <br> Approved | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ <br> Actual <br> CGAAP | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ <br> Actual <br> MIFRS | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ <br> Actual <br> MIFRS | Bridge <br> Year 2015 <br> MIFRS | Test Year <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ <br> MIFRS |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Cost of Power | $2,516,183$ | $2,449,277$ | $2,835,527$ | $3,507,606$ | $3,283,105$ | $3,267,388$ |
| Operation and Maintenance | 215,590 | 199,644 | 220,412 | 223,210 | 230,363 | 242,020 |
| Admin and General Expenses | 354,700 | 293,195 | 308,096 | 390,904 | 370,757 | 389,080 |
| Billing and Collecting | 84,200 | 185,653 | 115,086 | 135,609 | 95,480 | 97,200 |
| Working Capital | $3,170,673$ | $3,127,769$ | $3,479,121$ | $4,257,330$ | $3,979,705$ | $3,995,688$ |
| Work. Capital Allowance (15\%) | $\mathbf{4 7 5 , 6 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 6 9 , 1 6 5}$ | $\mathbf{5 2 1 , 8 6 8}$ | $\mathbf{6 3 8 , 6 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{5 9 6 , 9 5 6}$ | $\mathbf{5 9 9 , 3 5 3}$ |
| Work. Capital Allowance (7.5\%) | $\mathbf{2 3 7 , 8 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 3 4 , 5 8 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 6 0 , 9 3 4}$ | $\mathbf{3 1 9 , 3 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 9 8 , 4 7 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 9 9 , 6 7 7}$ |

Explanation of the above year over year variances

## 2012 Board Approved (CGAAP) and 2012 Actual (CGAAP)

The Rate Base variance of $(\$ 133,926)$ is attributed mainly to the addition of smart meters and smart meter software to gross assets for the 2012 Board Approved at January 1, 2012 (opening balance) for $\$ 373,474$ and $\$ 55,156$ respectively, whereas in 2012 actual, smart meters and smart meter software were considered as additions in 2012 to fixed assets and therefore there is no true comparison. By adjusting the average gross assets in the 2012 Board Approved to be as additions the average gross fixed assets would be as follows:

Opening Gross Fixed Assets
Less smart meters and smart meter software
Adjusted Opening Gross Fixed Assets
Closing Gross Fixed Assets
Average Gross Fixed Assets
\$2,525,380
\$428,630
\$2,096,750
\$2,583,670
$\$ 2,340,210$

Accumulated depreciation will also require adjustment as follows:

| Opening Accumulated Depreciation | $\$ 1,403,947$ <br> Less smart meters and smart meter software Depr'n |
| :--- | ---: |
| $\$ 33,842$ <br> Adjusted Opening Accumulated Depreciation | $\$ 1,370,105$ <br> Closing Accumulated Depreciation |
| Less smart meters and smart meter software Depr'n <br> Adjusted Closing Accumulated Depreciation | $\$ 1,521,842$ |
| Average Accumulated Depreciation | $\underline{\$ 1,445,947}$ |
| Average Net Book Value | $\$ 894,263$ |

Therefore the adjusted variance between the 2012 Board Approved and 2012 Actual would be as follows:

| Average Net Book Value as above | $\$ 894,263$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Working capital Allowance | $\frac{\$ 475,601}{\$ 1,369,864}$ |
| Rate Base for 2012 Board Approved | $\$ 1,378,357$ |
| Rate Base for 2012 Actual | $\$ 88,493$ |


|  | 2012 Board <br> Approved | 2012 Actual <br> CGAAP | Variance From <br> 2012 Board <br> Approved |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Average Gross fixed Assets | $2,340,210$ | $2,331,013$ | $(9,197)$ |
| Average Accumulated Depreciat' n | $1,445,947$ | $1,421,821$ | $(24,126)$ |
| Average Net Book Value | $\mathbf{8 9 4 , 2 6 3}$ | 909,192 | $\mathbf{1 4 , 9 2 9}$ |
| Work. Capital Allowance (15\%) | $\mathbf{4 7 5 , 6 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 6 9 , 1 6 5}$ | $\mathbf{( 6 , 4 3 6 )}$ |
| Rate Base | $\mathbf{1 , 3 6 9 , 8 6 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 7 8 , 3 5 7}$ | $\mathbf{8 , 4 9 3}$ |

The change in gross fixed assets is due to lower than expected capital additions in 2012 by $\$ 24,872$. The change in accumulated amortization is a result of changes in capital additions, depreciation expense and depreciation adjustments to smart meters and smart meter software. Changes in working capital is mainly due to changes in the market price of electricity and changes to the weather in Northern Ontario.

## 2012 Actual (CGAAP) and 2013 Actual (MIFRS)

|  | 2012 Actual <br> CGAAP | 2013 Actual <br> MIFRS | Variance from <br> 2013 Actual |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Average Gross fixed Assets | $2,331,013$ | $2,606,150$ | 275,137 |
| Average Accumulated Depreciation | $1,421,821$ | $1,503,926$ | 82,105 |
| Average Net Book Value | $\mathbf{9 0 9 , 1 9 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 2 , 2 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 9 3 , 0 3 2}$ |
| Work. Capital Allowance (15\%) | $\mathbf{4 6 9 , 1 6 5}$ | $\mathbf{5 2 1 , 8 6 8}$ | $\mathbf{5 2 , 7 0 3}$ |
| Rate Base | $\mathbf{1 , 3 7 8 , 3 5 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 6 2 4 , 0 9 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 4 5 , 7 3 5}$ |

Rate Base increase is attributable to the following:
Increase in Average Gross Fixed Assets of $\$ 275,137$ is due to Smart Meters and Smart Meter Software (Total $\$ 438,593$ ) being added as new additions in 2012 and therefore the variance is impacted by $\$ 219,297$. The balance is attributed to capital additions in 2013.
Increase in the Average Accumulated Depreciation is attributable to the above Smart Meters and Smart Meter Software.
Working Capital Allowance increase is attributable mainly to the increase in Cost of Power for 2013 by $\$ 386,250$.

## 2013 Actual (MIFRS) and 2014 Actual (MIFRS)

|  | 2013 Actual <br> MIFRS | 2014 Actual <br> MIFRS | Variance from <br> 2014 Actual |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Average Gross fixed Assets | $2,606,150$ | $2,672,225$ | 66,075 |
| Average Accumulated Depreciation | $1,503,926$ | $1,556,911$ | 52,985 |
| Average Net Book Value | $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 2 , \mathbf { 2 2 4 }}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 1 5 , 3 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 , 0 9 0}$ |
| Work. Capital Allowance (15\%) | $\mathbf{5 2 1 , 8 6 8}$ | $\mathbf{6 3 8 , 6 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 6 , 7 3 2}$ |
| Rate Base | $\mathbf{1 , 6 2 4 , 0 9 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 7 5 3 , 9 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 9 , 8 2 2}$ |

Rate Base increase is attributable to the following:
Increases in Average Gross Fixed Assets and Average Accumulated Depreciation are due to additions to fixed assets and additions to depreciation. Working Capital Allowance increase of $\$ 116,732$ is attributable to the Cost of Power increase from 2013 by $\$ 672,079$.

## 2014 Actual (MIFRS) and 2015 Bridge Year (MIFRS)

|  | 2014 Actual <br> MIFRS | Bridge Year <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ MIFRS | Variance from <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ Bridge <br> Year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Average Gross fixed Assets | $2,672,225$ | $2,714,936$ | 42,711 |
| Average Accumulated Depreciation | $1,556,911$ | $1,611,235$ | 54,324 |
| Average Net Book Value | $\mathbf{1 , 1 1 5 , 3 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 3 , 7 0 1}$ | $(11,613)$ |
| Work. Capital Allowance (15\%) | $\mathbf{6 3 8 , 6 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{5 9 6 , 9 5 6}$ | $\mathbf{( 4 1 , 6 4 4 )}$ |
| Rate Base | $\mathbf{1 , 7 5 3 , 9 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 7 0 0 , 6 5 7}$ | $\mathbf{( 5 3 , 2 5 7 )}$ |

Rate Base decrease is attributable to the following:

Increases in Average Gross Fixed Assets and Average Accumulated Depreciation are due to additions to fixed assets and additions to depreciation. Working Capital Allowance decrease of $(\$ 41,644)$ is attributable to the Cost of Power decrease from 2014 by $(\$ 224,501)$ and is weather related.

## 2015 Bridge Year (MIFRS) and 2016 Test Year (MIFRS)

|  | Bridge Year <br> 2015 MIFRS | Test Year <br> $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ MIFRS | Variance from <br> 2015 Test <br> Year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Average Gross fixed Assets | $2,714,936$ | $2,754,517$ | 39,581 |
| Average Accumulated Depreciation | $1,611,235$ | $1,662,622$ | 51,387 |
| Average Net Book Value | $\mathbf{1 , 1 0 3 , 7 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 0 9 1 , 8 9 5}$ | $\mathbf{( 1 1 , 8 0 6 )}$ |
| Working Capital Allowance (7.5\%) | $\mathbf{2 9 8 , 4 7 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 9 9 , 6 7 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 9 9}$ |
| Rate Base | $\mathbf{1 , 4 0 2 , 1 7 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 9 1 , 5 7 2}$ | $\mathbf{( 1 0 , 6 0 7 )}$ |

For comparison purposes Working Capital Allowance for 2015 Bridge Year was calculated at 7.5\%.

Rate Base decrease is attributable to the following:
Increases in Average Gross Fixed Assets and Average Accumulated Depreciation are due to, additions to fixed assets and additions to depreciation. for the year. Work in Progress expenditures are not included in Rate Base and has not been depreciated.

Opening and closing balances of gross assets and accumulated depreciation corresponds to the fixed asset continuity statement.

## Gross Assets - Property Plant and Equipment and Accumulated Depreciation

## Breakdown of Gross Assets by Function

The table below shows CPUC's gross assets into three categories; distribution plant general plant and WIP.

- Distribution plant gross asset accounts include, land, substation equipment, poles, wires, transformers and meters.
- General plant asset accounts include computer software and hardware.
- Work in Progress.

| Description | 2012 OEB <br> Approved | 2012 <br> Actual | 2013 <br> Actual <br> MIFRS | 2014 <br> Actual <br> MIFRS | 2015 <br> Bridge <br> MIFRS | 2016 Test <br> MIFRS |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Distribution Plant | $2,511,526$ | $2,492,714$ | $2,540,940$ | $2,559,863$ | $2,601,362$ | $2,639,026$ |
| General Plant | 72,144 | 69,323 | 109,323 | 134,323 | 134,323 | 134,323 |
| Gross Assets before WIP | $2,583,670$ | $2,562,037$ | $2,650,263$ | $2,694,186$ | $2,735,685$ | $2,773,349$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| WIP | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 785,000 |
| Total Gross Assets | $2,583,670$ | $2,562,037$ | $2,650,263$ | $2,694,186$ | $2,735,685$ | $3,558,349$ |

## Major Plant Items

Work in Progress is the only major plant item for 2016 Test Year for $\$ 785,000$. The investment strategy by CPUC will entail a significant capital investment in their distribution plant over an eleven year period. Phase one of the investment strategy is to build a new 25 kV substation and Phase two will convert and upgrade its distribution system assets (i.e. poles meters and distribution assets) to the new 25 kV standard at a total project cost of \$3,055,000.

CPUC has completed the Advanced Capital Module (ACM) and is included in this Application as Attachment L.

## Approved ICM's

Chapleau PUC does not have any ICM's approved in previous IRM applications.

## Fixed Asset Continuity Schedules

Opening and closing balances of gross assets and accumulated depreciation correspond to the fixed asset continuity statements. The net book value balances, excluding construction work in progress in 2016, are the balances included in the rate base calculation.

CPUC has completed the Appendix 2-BA as required in the Filing Requirements for each of 2011 Actual, 2012 Actual, 2013 Actual, 2014 Actual, 2015 Bridge Year, and 2016 Test Year.

Continuity schedule as at December 31, 2013 is provided for both before and after the policy changes. Appendix 2-BA provides the comparative continuity schedules assuming no changes to accounting policy ("Old CGAAP") and the Revised CGAAP (MIFRS) continuity schedules used for Rate Base purposes.

Appendix 2-BA
Fixed Asset Continuity Schedule ${ }^{1}$

## Accounting Standard

Year 2011

| $\begin{aligned} & \text { CCA } \\ & \text { Class } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { OEB } \\ \text { Account }_{3} \end{gathered}$ | Description ${ }^{3}$ | Cost |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Opening Balance |  | Additions ${ }^{4}$ |  | Disposals |  | Closing Balance |  |
| 12 | 1611 | Computer Software (Formally known as Account 1925) | \$ | 11,186 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CEC | 1612 | Land Rights (Formally known as Account 1906) |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| N/A | 1805 | Land | \$ | 141 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1808 | Buildings |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 13 | 1810 | Leasehold Improvements |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1815 | Transformer Station Equipment $>50 \mathrm{kV}$ | \$ | 462,817 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1820 | Distribution Station Equipment < 50 kV |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1825 | Storage Battery Equipment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
| 47 | 1830 | Poles, Towers \& Fixtures | \$ | 1,120,455 | \$ | 6,934 |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1835 | Overhead Conductors \& Devices |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1840 | Underground Conduit | \$ | 77,511 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1845 | Underground Conductors \& Devices |  |  | \$ | 3,516 |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1850 | Line Transformers | \$ | 388,667 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1855 | Services (Overhead \& Underground) |  |  |  |  |  |  | S | - |
| 47 | 1860 | Meters | \$ | 174,647 |  |  | -\$ |  |  |  |
| 47 | 1860 | Meters (Smart Meters) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
| N/A | 1905 | Land |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
| 47 | 1908 | Buildings \& Fixtures |  |  |  |  |  |  | S | - |
| 13 | 1910 | Leasehold Improvements |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
| 8 | 1915 | Office Furniture \& Equipment (10 years) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
| 8 | 1915 | Office Furniture \& Equipment (5 years) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
| 10 | 1920 | Computer Equipment - Hardware | \$ | 661 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 45 | 1920 | Computer Equip.-Hardware(Post Mar. 22/04) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 45.1 | 1920 | Computer Equip.-Hardware(Post Mar. 19/07) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
| 10 | 1930 | Transportation Equipment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ - |



| 8 | 1935 | Stores Equipment |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ - | \$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | 1940 | Tools, Shop \& Garage Equipment |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1945 | Measurement \& Testing Equipment |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ - | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1950 | Power Operated Equipment |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ - | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1955 | Communications Equipment |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1955 | Communication Equipment (Smart Meters) |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ - | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1960 | Miscellaneous Equipment |  |  |  | \$ |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1970 | Load Management Controls Customer Premises |  |  |  | \$ |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1975 | Load Management Controls Utility Premises |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ - | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1980 | System Supervisor Equipment |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1985 | Miscellaneous Fixed Assets |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1990 | Other Tangible Property |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ - | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1995 | Contributions \& Grants |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| 47 | 2440 | Deferred Revenue ${ }^{5}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
|  |  | Sub-Total | \$ 2,236,085 | \$ 10,450 | -\$ 146,546 |  |  | -\$ 1,426,415 | -\$ 37,675 | $\begin{aligned} & \$ \\ & 99,219 \end{aligned}$ |  | \$ 1,364,871 | \$ | 735,118 |
|  |  | Less Socialized Renewable Energy Generation Investments (input as negative) |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ - | \$ |  |
|  |  | Less Other Non Rate-Regulated Utility Assets (input as negative) |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
|  |  | Total PP\&E | \$ 2,236,085 | \$ 10,450 | -\$ 146,546 |  |  | -\$ 1,426,415 | -\$ 37,675 | $\begin{aligned} & \$ \\ & 99,219 \end{aligned}$ |  | \$ 1,364,871 | \$ | 735,118 |
|  |  | Depreciation Expense adj. from gain or loss on the retirement of assets (pool of like assets), if applicable ${ }^{6}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

Less: Fully Allocated Depreciation
Transportatio
Stores Equipment
Net Depreciation $\quad-\$ 37,675$



| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

Less: Fully Allocated Depreciation
Transportation
Stores Equipment
Net Depreciation

- $\$ 113,900$

|  |  |  | Cost |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { CCA } \\ \text { Clas } \\ \mathrm{s}^{2} \end{gathered}$ | Account | Description ${ }^{3}$ | Opening Balance |  | Additions ${ }^{4}$ |  | Disposals | Closing Balance |  |
| 12 | 1611 | Computer Software (Formally known as Account 1925) | \$ | 68,662 | \$ | 40,000 |  | \$ | 108,662 |
| CEC | 1612 | Land Rights (Formally known as Account 1906) | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| N/A | 1805 | Land | \$ | 141 |  |  |  | \$ | 141 |
| 47 | 1808 | Buildings | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 13 | 1810 | Leasehold Improvements | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1815 | Transformer Station Equipment $>50 \mathrm{kV}$ | \$ | 478,223 | \$ | 34,700 |  | \$ | 512,923 |
| 47 | 1820 | Distribution Station Equipment <50 kV | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1825 | Storage Battery Equipment | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1830 | Poles, Towers \& Fixtures | \$ | 1,129,891 | \$ | 8,956 |  | \$ | 1,138,847 |
| 47 | 1835 | Overhead Conductors \& Devices | \$ |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1840 | Underground Conduit |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1845 | Underground Conductors \& Devices | \$ | 3,516 |  |  |  | \$ | 3,516 |
| 47 | 1850 | Line Transformers | \$ | 393,106 | \$ 3,691 |  |  | \$ 396,797 |  |
| 47 | 1855 | Services (Overhead \& Underground) |  | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1860 | Meters | \$ | 29,209 | \$ | 193 |  | \$ | 29,402 |
| 47 | 1860 | Meters (Smart Meters) | \$ | 381,117 | \$ | 687 |  | \$ | 381,804 |
| N/A | 1905 | Land | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1908 | Buildings \& Fixtures | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 13 | 1910 | Leasehold Improvements | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 8 | 1915 | Office Furniture \& Equipment (10 years) | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 8 | 1915 | Office Furniture \& Equipment (5 years) | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 10 | 1920 | Computer Equipment - Hardware | \$ | 661 |  |  |  | \$ | 661 |
| 45 | 1920 | Computer Equip.-Hardware(Post Mar. 22/04) |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 45.1 | 1920 | Computer Equip.-Hardware(Post Mar. 19/07) |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |


| Accumulated Depreciation |  |  |  | Net Book Value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Opening <br> Balance | Additions | Disposals | Closing Balance |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \hline-\$ \\ & 26,659 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline-\$ \\ & 34,101 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { - } \$ \\ & 60,761 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \$ \\ & 47,901 \end{aligned}$ |
| \$ - |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| S |  |  | $\leqslant$ | \$ |
|  |  |  | S | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ - | - |
|  | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| -\$ 226,084 | 12,127 |  | 238,211 | 274,712 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
| -\$ 832,362 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline-\$ \\ & 12,120 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & -\$ \\ & 844.482 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\$$ |
|  |  |  |  | 294,365 |
| \$ |  |  | \$ - | \$ |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ |  |
| 52,562 | 998 |  | 53,560 | 23,951 |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 208 | 132 |  | 340 | 3,176 |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 259,079 | 5,435 |  | 264,514 | 132,283 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
| - | -\$ |  |  | \$ |
| 19,081 | 1,022 |  | 20,103 | 9,299 |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ |  |
| 62,118 | 31,866 |  | 93,984 | 287,820 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ - |  |  | \$ | - |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 617 | 24 |  | 641 | 20 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
|  |  |  | \$ | - |
|  |  |  | \$ | $\$$ |



| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

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Transportation
Stores Equipment
Net Depreciation $\quad-\$ 97,825$

|  |  |  | Cost |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { CCA } \\ & \text { Class } \end{aligned}$ | OEB <br> Account $_{3}$ | Description ${ }^{3}$ | Opening Balance |  | Additions ${ }^{4}$ |  | Disposals | Closing Balance |  |
| 12 | 1611 | Computer Software (Formally known as Account 1925) | \$ | 68,662 | \$ | 40,000 |  | \$ | 108,662 |
| CEC | 1612 | Land Rights (Formally known as Account 1906) | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| N/A | 1805 | Land | \$ | 141 |  |  |  | \$ | 141 |
| 47 | 1808 | Buildings | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 13 | 1810 | Leasehold Improvements | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1815 | Transformer Station Equipment $>50 \mathrm{kV}$ | \$ | 478,223 | \$ | 34,700 |  | \$ | 512,923 |
| 47 | 1820 | Distribution Station Equipment <50 kV | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1825 | Storage Battery Equipment | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1830 | Poles, Towers \& Fixtures | \$ | 1,129,891 | \$ | 8,956 |  | \$ | 1,138,847 |
| 47 | 1835 | Overhead Conductors \& Devices | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1840 | Underground Conduit | \$ | 77,511 |  |  |  | \$ | 77,511 |
| 47 | 1845 | Underground Conductors \& Devices | \$ | 3,516 |  |  |  | \$ | 3,516 |
| 47 | 1850 | Line Transformers | \$ | 393,106 | \$ | 3,691 |  | \$ | 396,797 |
| 47 | 1855 | Services (Overhead \& Underground) | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1860 | Meters | \$ | 29,209 | \$ | 193 |  | \$ | 29,402 |
| 47 | 1860 | Meters (Smart Meters) | \$ | 381,117 | \$ | 687 |  | \$ | 381,804 |
| N/A | 1905 | Land | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 47 | 1908 | Buildings \& Fixtures | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 13 | 1910 | Leasehold Improvements | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 8 | 1915 | Office Furniture \& Equipment (10 years) | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 8 | 1915 | Office Furniture \& Equipment (5 years) | \$ | - |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 10 | 1920 | Computer Equipment - Hardware | \$ | 661 |  |  |  | \$ | 661 |
| 45 | 1920 | Computer Equip.-Hardware(Post Mar. 22/04) |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 45.1 | 1920 | Computer Equip.-Hardware(Post Mar. 19/07) |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |
| 10 | 1930 | Transportation Equipment |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |


| Accumulated Depreciation |  |  |  | Net Book Value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Opening <br> Balance | Additions | Disposals | Closing Balance |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \hline-\$ \\ & 26,659 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \begin{array}{l} -\$ \\ 12,401 \end{array} \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline-\$ \\ & 39,060 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \$ \\ & 69,602 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | \$ |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | 141 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
| \$ |  |  | \$ - | \$ |
|  | -\$ |  | -\$ |  |
| -\$ 226,084 | 6,737 |  | 232,821 | 280,102 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
| -\$ 832,362 | $\begin{aligned} & -\$ \\ & 6,080 \end{aligned}$ |  | -\$ 838,442 | $\begin{aligned} & \$ \\ & 300,405 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 52,562 | 499 |  | 53,061 | 24,450 |
| - | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 208 | 66 |  | 274 | 3,242 |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 259,079 | 2,717 |  | 261,797 | 135,000 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 19,081 | 511 |  | 19,592 | 9,810 |
| -\$ | -\$ |  |  | \$ |
| 62,118 | 21,289 |  | -\$ 83,408 | 298,396 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 5 |  |  | ¢ - | \$ |
| -\$ |  |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 617 | -\$ 9 |  | 626 | 35 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
|  |  |  | \$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
|  |  |  | \$ |  |
|  |  |  | \$ | \$ |



| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

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Stores Equipment
Net Depreciation




| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

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Transportation
Stores Equipment
Net Depreciation


| Accumulated Depreciation |  |  |  | Net Book Value |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Opening <br> Balance | Additions | Disposals | Closing Balance |  |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline-\$ \\ & 55,480 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | \$ |
| 39,060 | 16,420 |  |  | 78,182 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
|  |  |  | \$ - | - |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | $\stackrel{\$}{141}$ |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ |  |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 232,821 | 8,403 |  | 241,224 | 271,699 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ - |  |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
| -\$ 838,442 | $-\$$ |  | -\$ 844,590 | \$ 308,230 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
| \$ |  |  | \$ | - |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 53,061 | 489 |  | 53,550 | 23,961 |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ 339 | \$ |
| 274 | 65 |  |  | 3,177 |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ 264,546 | \$ |
| 261,797 | 2,750 |  |  | 137,201 |
|  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| \$ |  |  |  |  |
| -\$ | -\$ |  | -\$ 20,082 | \$ |
| 19,592 | 490 |  |  | 9,319 |
| -\$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline-\$ \\ & 104,297 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 83,408 | 20,889 |  |  | 277,507 |
|  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| \$ |  |  |  | - |
|  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| \$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| \$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| \$ |  |  |  | - |
|  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| \$ |  |  |  |  |
| - | -\$ |  | -\$ | \$ |
| 626 | 7 |  | 633 | 28 |
|  |  |  |  | \$ |
|  |  |  | \$ - | - |
|  |  |  | \$ | $\$$ |


| 10 | 1930 | Transportation Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | 1935 | Stores Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1940 | Tools, Shop \& Garage Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1945 | Measurement \& Testing Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1950 | Power Operated Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1955 | Communications Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1955 | Communication Equipment (Smart Meters) |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1960 | Miscellaneous Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1970 | Load Management Controls Customer Premises |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1975 | Load Management Controls Utility Premises |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1980 | System Supervisor Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1985 | Miscellaneous Fixed Assets |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1990 | Other Tangible Property |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1995 | Contributions \& Grants |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 2440 | Deferred Revenue ${ }^{5}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | $\$$ |
|  |  | Sub-Total | \$ 2,650,263 | \$ 43,923 | \$ | - |  |  | -\$ 1,529,080 | -\$ 55,661 | \$ | - |  | \$1,584,741 | \$ 1,109,445 |
|  |  | Less Socialized Renewable Energy Generation Investments (input as negative) |  |  |  |  | \$ | . |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
|  |  | Less Other Non Rate-Regulated Utility Assets (input as negative) |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
|  |  | Total PP\&E | \$ 2,650,263 | \$ 43,923 | \$ | - |  |  | -\$ 1,529,080 | -\$ 55,661 | \$ | - |  | \$1,584,741 | \$ 1,109,445 |
|  |  | Depreciation Expense adj. from gain or loss on the retirement of assets (pool of like assets), if applicable ${ }^{6}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

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Transportation
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| Net Depreciation | $-\$ \quad 55,661$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |




| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

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Transportation
Stores Equipment
Net Depreciation


| 45.1 | 1920 | Computer Equip.-Hardware(Post Mar. 19/07) |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10 | 1930 | Transportation Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1935 | Stores Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1940 | Tools, Shop \& Garage Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1945 | Measurement \& Testing Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1950 | Power Operated Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1955 | Communications Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| 8 | 1955 | Communication Equipment (Smart Meters) |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 8 | 1960 | Miscellaneous Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1970 | Load Management Controls Customer Premises |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ |  |
| 47 | 1975 | Load Management Controls Utility Premises |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1980 | System Supervisor Equipment |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1985 | Miscellaneous Fixed Assets |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1990 | Other Tangible Property |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 1995 | Contributions \& Grants |  |  |  |  | \$ | . |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
| 47 | 2440 | Deferred Revenue ${ }^{5}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | - |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
|  |  | Sub-Total | \$ 2,694,186 | \$ 41,499 | \$ | - |  |  | -\$ 1,584,741 | -\$ 52,986 | \$ | - |  | \$ 1,637,728 | \$ 1,097,958 |
|  |  | Less Socialized Renewable Energy Generation Investments (input as negative) |  |  |  |  | \$ | . |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
|  |  | Less Other Non Rate-Regulated Utility Assets (input as negative) |  |  |  |  | \$ | . |  |  |  |  |  | \$ | \$ |
|  |  | Total PP\&E | \$ 2,694,186 | \$ 41,499 | \$ | - |  |  | -\$ 1,584,741 | -\$ 52,986 | \$ | - |  | \$ 1,637,728 | \$ 1,097,958 |
|  |  | Depreciation Expense adj. from gain or loss on the retirement of assets (pool of like assets), if applicable ${ }^{6}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | -\$ 52,986 |  |  |  |  |  |


| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

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| 10 |  | Transportation |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 8 |  | Stores Equipment |

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Net Depreciation
$\qquad$

## Allowance For Working Capital

## Working Capital

Chapleau PUC has not performed a Lead/Lag study and has not received a previous OEB Direction, therefore the Working Capital used is $7.5 \%$.

## Cost of Power

Cost of Power has been determined by a split between RPP and non-RPP customers using the most recent data available and using the most current price.

The following information is taken from the Weather Normalization Worksheet, Attachment G, sheet "COP- RPP, NonRPP"

Load Forecast RPP and non RPP

| Customer Classes | 2016 Load Forecast |  | RPP Customers |  |  | Non-RPP Customers |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | kWh | kW | kWh | kW | Est \% | kWh | kW | Est \% |
| Residential Customers | 14,291,097 |  | 14,240,010 |  | 99.643\% | 51,087 |  | 0.357\% |
| Gen Service <50 kW Customers | 4,842,432 |  | 4,745,498 |  | 97.998\% | 96,935 |  | 2.002\% |
| Gen Service > 50 kW Customers | 6,630,340 | 17,297 | - | - | 0\% | 6,630,340 | 17,297 | 100.000\% |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | 3,584 |  | 3,584 |  | 100\% | 0 |  | - |
| Sentinel Lighting | 26,757 | 66 | 26,757 | - | 100\% | 0 |  | - |
| Street Lighting | 267,045 | 724 | 267,045 | - | 100\% | 0 |  | - |
| TOTAL | 26,061,255 | 18,086 | 19,282,894 | 0 |  | 6,778,361 | 17,297 |  |

COP RPP Customers

| Customer Classes | RPP Customers |  |  |  |  | Cost of Power |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | kWh | $\begin{aligned} & 2016 \\ & \text { Loss } \\ & \text { Factor } \end{aligned}$ | Total kWh |  | rice per kWh |  |
| Residential Customers | 14,240,010 | 1.0898 | 15,518,763 | \$ | 0.10384 | \$ 1,611,468 |
| Gen Service < 50 kW Customers | 4,745,498 | 1.0898 | 5,171,644 | \$ | 0.10384 | \$ 537,023 |
| Gen Service > 50 kW Customers | - | 1.0898 | - | \$ | 0.10384 | \$ |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | 3,584 | 1.0898 | 3,906 | \$ | 0.10384 | \$ 406 |
| Sentinel Lighting | 26,757 | 1.0898 | 29,160 | \$ | 0.10384 | \$ 3,028 |
| Street Lighting | 267,045 | 1.0898 | 291,025 | \$ | 0.10384 | \$ 30,220 |
| TOTAL | 19,282,894 |  | 21,014,498 |  |  | \$ 2,182,145 |

COP NonRPP Customers

| Customer Classes | Non-RPP Customers |  |  |  | Cost of Power |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | kWh | $\begin{gathered} \hline 2016 \\ \text { Loss } \\ \text { Factor } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Total kWh | Price per kWh |  |  |
| Residential Customers | 51,087 | 1.0898 | 55,675 | \$ 0.09060 | \$ | 5,044 |
| Gen Service < 50 kW Customers | 96,935 | 1.0898 | 105,639 | \$ 0.09060 | \$ | 9,571 |
| Gen Service > 50 kW Customers | 6,630,340 | 1.0898 | 7,225,744 | \$ 0.09060 | \$ | 654,652 |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | - | 1.0898 | - | \$ 0.09060 | \$ | - |
| Sentinel Lighting | - | 1.0898 | - | \$ 0.09060 | \$ | - |
| Street Lighting | - | 1.0898 | - | \$ 0.09060 | \$ | - |
| TOTAL | 6,778,361 |  | 7,387,058 |  | \$ | 669,267 |

Total Load Forecast and Total Cost of Power

| Customer Classes | 2016 Load Forecast/Cost of Power |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | kWh | kW | 2016 Loss Factor | Total kWh | Cost of Power |
| Residential Customers | 14,291,097 |  | 1.0898 | 15,574,438 | \$ 1,616,513 |
| Gen Service < 50 kW Customers | 4,842,432 |  | 1.0898 | 5,277,283 | \$ 546,594 |
| Gen Service > 50 kW Customers | 6,630,340 | 17,297 | 1.0898 | 7,225,744 | \$ 654,652 |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | 3,584 |  | 1.0898 | 3,906 | \$ 406 |
| Sentinel Lighting | 26,757 | 66 | 1.0898 | 29,160 | \$ 3,028 |
| Street Lighting | 267,045 | 724 | 1.0898 | 291,025 | \$ 30,220 |
| TOTAL | 26,061,255 | 18,086 |  | 28,401,556 | \$ 2,851,413 |

The Allowance for Working Capital also includes Transmission Network and Connection charge, Wholesale Market Service charge, Low Voltage Service charge and Smart Meter Entity charge calculated as follows:

| Transmission - Network |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Customer Classes | Unit | kW/kWh | Cost per Unit |  | Cost |  |
| Residential Customers | kWh | 15,574,438 | \$ | 0.0073 | \$ | 113,693 |
| Gen Service <50 kW Customers | kWh | 5,277,283 | \$ | 0.0064 | \$ | 33,775 |
| Gen Service >50 kW Customers | kW | 17,297 | \$ | 2.2158 | \$ | 38,327 |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | kWh | 3,906 | \$ | 0.0064 | \$ | 25 |
| Sentinel Lighting | kW | 66 | \$ | 2.0415 | \$ | 134 |
| Street Lighting | kW | 724 | \$ | 2.0311 | \$ | 1,470 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  | \$ | 187,424 |

Cost per unit is based on the latest IESO price for Network Service of $\$ 3.66$ per kW effective January 1, 2016

| Transmission - Connection | Cost per <br> Unit |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Customer Classes | Unit | kW/kWh | Cost |  |  |
| Residential Customers | kWh | $15,574,438$ | 0.0018 | $\$$ | 28,034 |
| Gen Service <50 kW Customers | kWh | $5,277,283$ | 0.0018 | $\$$ | 9,499 |
| Gen Service >50 kW Customers | kW | 17,297 | 0.6339 | $\$$ | 10,965 |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | kWh | 3,906 | 0.0018 | $\$$ | 7 |
| Sentinel Lighting | kW | 66 | 0.5003 | $\$$ | 33 |
| Street Lighting | kW | 724 | 0.4901 | $\$$ | 355 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  | $\$$ | 48,892 |

Cost per unit is based on the latest IESO price for Connection Service of $\$ 0.87$ per kW effective January 1, 2016.

| Wholesale Market Service |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Customer Classes | Unit | kW/kWh | Cost per Unit | Cost |
| Residential Customers | kWh | 15,574,438 | 0.0036 | $\begin{aligned} & \$ \\ & 56,068 \\ & \$ \end{aligned}$ |
| Gen Service < 50 kW Customers | kWh | 5,277,283 | 0.0036 | $\begin{gathered} 18,998 \\ \$ \end{gathered}$ |
| Gen Service > 50 kW Customers | kWh | 7,225,744 | 0.0036 | $\begin{gathered} 26,013 \\ \$ \end{gathered}$ |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | kWh | 3,906 | 0.0036 | $\begin{gathered} \psi \\ 14 \\ \$ \end{gathered}$ |
| Sentinel Lighting | kWh | 29,160 | 0.0036 | $\begin{gathered} 105 \\ \$ \end{gathered}$ |
| Street Lighting | kWh | 291,025 | 0.0036 | 1,048 |
| TOTAL |  | 28,401,556 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \$ \\ & 102,246 \end{aligned}$ |

Cost per unit is based on the latest price for Wholesale Market Service of $\$ 0.0036$ per kWh effective January 1, 2016

| Low Voltage Charge |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Customer Classes | Unit | kW/kWh | Unit | Cost |  |
| Residential Customers | kWh | 15,574,438 | 0.0023 | \$ | 35,821 |
| Gen Service < 50 kW Customers | kWh | 5,277,283 | 0.0023 | \$ | 12,138 |
| Gen Service >50 kW Customers | kW | 17,297 | 0.9547 | \$ | 16,514 |
| Unmetered Scattered Load | kWh | 3,906 | 0.0023 | \$ | 9 |
| Sentinel Lighting | kW | 66 | 1.0097 | \$ | 66 |
| Street Lighting | kW | 724 | 0.9186 | \$ | 665 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  | \$ | 65,213 |

Cost per unit is based on the most recent price charged for by Hydro One Networks Inc.

Summary of Working Capital Allowance which includes Cost of Power, Transmission Network and Connection charge, Wholesale Market Service charge, Low Voltage Service charge and Smart Meter Entity charge.

| SUMMARY | Cost |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Cost of Power | $\$$ | $2,851,413$ |
| Transmission - Network | $\$$ | 187,424 |
| Transmission - Connection | $\$$ | 48,892 |
| Wholesale Market Service | $\$$ | 102,246 |
| Low Voltage Charge | $\$$ | 65,213 |
| Smart Meter Entity Charge | $\$$ | 12,200 |
| TOTAL | $\$ 3,267,387$ |  |

## Lead/Lag Study

CPUC has not performed Leads and Lags studies.

## Treatment of Stranded Assets related to Smart Meter Deployment

Chapleau PUC has already applied for the recovery of Stranded Meters in their 2012 Cost of Service Application and has been approved for a Rate Rider.

## Capital Expenditures/Planning

## Overview and Asset Management Plan

Hydro One Networks Inc. is the only neighboring utility serving all rural customers which also includes TEMBEC (the mill) who is the biggest employer for the town. Chapleau Energy Services who services the needs of Chapleau PUC also services the needs of Hydro One Networks Inc. during times of emergency and does maintenance work for them also. Communicating with HONI is a regular occurrence.

Chapleau PUC has not made significant capital investments to its distribution plant in recent years, resulting in a distribution system that is operational but aging. More recently CPUC experienced relatively high line loss ratios that escalated to a current 5 year average of 1.0898.

In 2014 Chapleau PUC engaged Burman Energy to develop their Distribution System Plan and to recommend ways to reduce CPUCs high energy losses, improve service reliability and safety.

Based on the presentations to CPUC and the Township Council, it was approved to proceed with the Utility's preferred option to reduce energy losses, improve service reliability and safety. The investment strategy chosen will entail a significant capital investment in CPUC's distribution plant over an eleven year period. Phase one of the investment strategy is to build a new 25 kV substation and Phase two will convert and upgrade its distribution system assets (i.e. poles meters and distribution assets) to the new 25 kV standard at a total project cost of $\$ 3,055,000$.

The timing and cost for the project is as follows:

|  | Substation | System |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Conversion |
| Start building 25 kV substation in 2016 | \$750,000 | \$35,000 |
| Completion of 25 kV substation in 2017 | \$750,000 | \$50,000 |
| Annual System Conversion from 4.16 kV to 25 kV at an annual cost of $\$ 200,000$ for 7 years to 2024 |  | \$1,400,000 |
| Final Year for conversion 2025/6 |  | \$70,000 |
|  | \$1,500,000 | \$1,555,000 |
| Total Project Cost |  | \$3,055,000 |

As Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation is a partially embedded utility receiving approximately $37 \%-40.0 \%$ of its load from Hydro One Networks Inc. from their 25 kV distribution station. CPUC contacted HONI to discuss the above and to
consider another option that they feel may be available to them. That is to purchase the existing 25 kV distribution station assets from HONI and transfer the additional loads from the 4.16 kV conversion to the 25 kV distribution station.

Hydro One Networks Inc.'s response was that they do not have the capacity to take on the additional loads from the 4.16 kV conversion to the 25 kV . and stated that to them this is not a viable option to sell the existing 25 kV distribution station assets.

At present the only option available to Chapleau PUC is to convert their 4.16 kV to a 25 kV distribution station and transfer the existing (embedded) 25 kV loads becoming only a Transmission Connected Customer to HONI.

CPUC has completed the Advanced Capital Module (ACM) and is included in this Application as Attachment L.

The Capital Budget for 2015 included upgrading of Chapleau's 4.16 kV and 25 kV distribution plant. CPUC's Board and Management upon the approval to proceed with the new 25 kV sub-station cancelled all 4.16 kV future capital projects.

For 2016 and 2017 the Board and Management decided that only the refurbishment of the 25 kV distribution system assets will be made and approved the following projects:

## Schedule for 2016 Capital Projects

## Priority <br> Scale

## Priority Scale

1 - High
2 - Moderate
3 - Low
4 - Whenever

3 Project Location - Pole \#197-Pine Street Task \#1 Replace pole and transformer 45' Class 3 pole 451.00

1 - 50 Kva transformer 2,350.00
Labour $\quad 1,000.00$

|  |  | Location - Pole \#199 - Corner of Pine and |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
|  | Project | Young |
| Task |  |  |
| \#2 | Replace pole | 523.00 |
|  | 50' Class 3 pole | 550.00 |
|  | Material | $30,000.00$ |
|  | Labour | $31,073.00$ |

3 Project Location - Pole \#25-Connaught Street Task
\#3 Replace back guy pole 35' Class 4 pole 220.00
Materials 100.00
Labour $\quad \begin{array}{r}1,000.00 \\ \hline 1,320.00\end{array}$

3 Project Location - Pole \#77-Grey Street. Lane Task
\#4 Replace pole
40' Class 4 pole 370.00
Materials 100.00
Labour $\quad 1,000.00$
1,470.00

Total
\$37,664.00

## Schedule for 2017 Capital Projects

## Priority

Scale
1 - High
2 - Moderate
3 - Low
4 - Whenever

3 Project Location - Pole \#82 - Cherry St. Edwards House Task \#1 Replace pole and transformer

45 ' Class 3 pole 451.00
1-75 Kva transformer 2,924.00
Material 870.00
Labour $\quad 2,000.00$
6,245.00

3 Project Location - Pole \#70 - Connaught St. MacLeod House Task \#2 Replace pole and transformer 45 ' Class 3 pole 451.00

1 - 50 kva transformer $2,341.00$
Materials 470.00
Labour
$1,400.00$
4,662.00

3 Project Location - Pole \#72 - Pine Street - Besnier Task
\#3 Replace pole
40' Class 3 pole 371.00
Materials 500.00
Labour

3 Project Location - Pole \#11-Minto Street, Hryhurchuck House Task
\#4 Replace pole
40 ' class 4 pole 370.00
Materials 150.00
Labour $\quad 1,000.00$
1,520.00

3 Project Location - Pole \#10 - Minto Street, Deadend at Riverside Task
\#5 Replace pole
45 ' class 4 pole 400.00
Material 100.00
Labour $\quad 1,000.00$
$1,500.00$



## Capital Expenditure Comparisons

Capital Expenditures Appendix 2-AA has been completed for the 4 historical years 2011 to 2014, Bridge year 2015 and Test Year 2016 and explanation of variances to budget for 2012, 2013 and 2014 as summarized below:

| Year | Estimate | Actual | Variance |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| 2011 | N/A | 7,211 | N/A |
| 2012 | 431,474 | 461,054 | 29,580 |
| 2013 | 51,831 | 88,226 | 36,395 |
| 2014 | 60,869 | 43,923 | $(16,946)$ |
| 2015 | 49,679 | 41,449 | $(8,230)$ |
| 2016 | 822,664 | N/A | N/A |

Variance in 2012 is due to increase in smart meters by $\$ 6,143$, increase in smart meter software by $\$ 52,474$ decrease in system renewal by $\$ 24,970$ and decrease in cost to service distribution station by $\$ 4,359$.

Increase in 2013 capital expenditure is due to the unforeseen cost to service distribution station by $\$ 34,700$.

Decrease in capital expenditure in 2014 is due to decrease in Asset Management Plan software cost by $\$ 25,000$ and increase in system renewal by $\$ 8,054$.

Decrease in 2015 capital expenditures is due to reduced work to replace cross arms and insulators and increase in system renewal.

## Capital Expenditures/Distribution System Plan

## Distribution System Plan

The Chapleau PUC Distribution System Plan prepared by Burman Energy Consultants has been prepared as a stand-alone document and will be filed in support of CPUC's Cost of Service Rate Application.

The Distribution System Plan and Appendices are attached to this application as ATTACHMENT I.

## Capital Expenditures

Appendix table 2-AA, below, shows capital projects for 4 historical years 20112014, bridge year 2015 and test year 2016 and are on a project specific basis.

| Projects | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | $\begin{gathered} 2015 \text { Bridge } \\ \text { Year } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2016 \text { Test } \\ \text { Year } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reporting Basis | CGAAP | CGAAP | CGAAP | CGAAP | MIFRS | MIFRS |
| Project Name \#1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oak Street - Replace $45^{\prime}$ class 3 pole | 900 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Planner Rd - reolace $\mathbf{4 0}$ ' class $\mathbf{3}$ pole \& $\mathbf{2 5} \mathbf{~ k V}$ transformer |  | 2,432 |  |  |  |  |
| Substation - Hot Oil clean T3 \& Add/Replenish inhibitorT3 \& T4 |  |  | 34,700 |  |  |  |
| Planer Rd. Pole \#603 \& \#605 - replace 40' class 4 poles |  |  |  | 1,680 |  |  |
| Monk St. Replace 55' pole, \#250, \& insulators |  |  |  |  | 29,548 |  |
| Construction Work-in-Progress - Substation |  |  |  |  |  | 785,000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sub-Total | 900 | 2,432 | 34,700 | 1,680 | 29,548 | 785,000 |
| Project Name \#2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Monk St. - Replace 45' class 3 pole \& 75kV transformer | 4,050 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Laneway @ Birch St - replace 45' Class 3 pole \& 75 kV transformer |  | 3,780 |  |  |  |  |
| Birch St. (Lane behind RBC) Change 50 ' class 3 pole $\& 350 \mathrm{kV}$ transformers |  |  | 13,526 |  |  |  |
| Martel Rd. Pole \#635-Replace 40' class 4 pole |  |  |  | 840 |  |  |
| Replace pole \#222 and 3 Trasformers |  |  |  |  | 7,443 |  |
| Replace 45' pole \#197 and 50kV Trasformer - Pine St. |  |  |  |  |  | 3,801 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sub-Total | 4,050 | 3,780 | 13,526 | 840 | 7,443 | 3,801 |
| Project Name \#3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Golf Cource Rd \& Demers - Replace 40' class 3 pole \& span guy | 1,124 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Refurbish 3 old regulators @ substation |  | 15,406 |  |  |  |  |
| Asset Management Plan |  |  | 40,000 |  |  |  |
| Martel Rd. Pole \#631-Replace 40' class 4 pole \& switches |  |  |  | 6,160 |  |  |
| Lorne St. Replace pole \#169 |  |  |  |  | 1,813 |  |
| Replace 50' pole \#199-Corner of Pine \& Young |  |  |  |  |  | 31,073 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sub-Total | 1,124 | 15,406 | 40,000 | 6,160 | 1,813 | 31,073 |
| Project Name \#4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Martel Rd. - replace 45' class 4 pole | 860 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Demers St. - Rebuild |  | 730 |  |  |  |  |
| Demers St. - Rebuild Completed |  |  |  | 9,403 |  |  |
| Gervais Trailer Park - Replace pole |  |  |  |  | 795 |  |
| Replace back guy pole, 35' Class 4 pole \#25-Connaught St. |  |  |  |  |  | 1,320 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sub-Total | 860 | 730 | 0 | 9,403 | 795 | 1,320 |
| Project Name \#5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Underground backup supply | 3,516 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Smart Meters |  | 381,117 |  |  |  |  |


| Substation Rd. - Replace 40 class 4 pole \& relogate transformer |  |  |  | 840 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aberdine Lane - Replace pole |  |  |  |  | 1,460 |  |
| Replace 40' Class 4 Pole \#77-Grey St. Lane |  |  |  |  |  | 1,470 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sub-Total | 3,516 | 381,117 | 0 | 840 | 1,460 | 1,470 |
| Project Name \#6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Computer Software (Smart Meters) |  | 57,476 |  |  |  |  |
| Asset ManagementPlan |  |  |  | 25,000 |  |  |
| Birch St. \& Martel - Peplace Poles |  |  |  |  | 440 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sub-Total | 0 | 57,476 | 0 | 25,000 | 440 | 0 |
| Miscellaneous |  | 113 |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 10,450 | 461,054 | 88,226 | 43,923 | 41,499 | 822,664 |
| Less Renewable Generation Facility Assets and Other Non-RateRegulated Utility Assets (input as negative) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 10,450 | 461,054 | 88,226 | 43,923 | 41,499 | 822,664 |

Capital Expenditure variances for the 4 historical years 2011-2014, bridge year 2015 and test year 2016 above are:

2011 and 2012. Increase of $\$ 450,604$ over 2011, is mainly due to smart meters and smart meter software for $\$ 381,177$ and $\$ 57,476$ respectively. The balance is for the refurbishment of 3 regulators at the 4 kV substation for $\$ 15,406$.

2012 and 2013. Decrease in 2013 over 2012 is due to the smart meters and smart meter software, as above.

2013 and 2014. Decrease of $\$ 44,303$ in 2014 is due to increased spending in 2013 for the Asset Management Plan for $\$ 40,000$.

2014 and 2015 Bridge Year difference of $\$ 2,424$ is minor.
2015 Bridge Year and 2016 Test Year. Increase spending in 2016 is for the expected work in progress construction of the 25 kV substation for $\$ 785,000$.

Chapleau PUC in its 2012 Cost of Service Application indicated that capital spending will increase from an average of $\$ 14,120$ from the previous 5 years to an average of $\$ 50,000$ over the next 4 years, 2012 to 2015. Chapleau's actual capital expenditures during this time averaged $\$ 49,027$, achieving $98.1 \%$ of its' spending expectations.

Non Distribution Activities - There are no capital expenditures budgeted.

## Capitalization Policy

Chapleau PUC's current capitalization policy is based on IFRS and guidelines set out by the Ontario Energy Board, where applicable. CPUC converted to IFRS January 1, 2015 and as such the capitalization policy in effect for the 2015 Bridge Year and 2016 Test Year is compliant with MIFRS.

CPUC reviewed its capitalization policy in anticipation of transitioning to IFRS; componentization of assets and depreciation changes were the focus of the review in light of the July 17, 2012 Board letter indicating that changes to depreciation expense and capitalization policies were required in 2013. CPUC confirms that the changes to its capitalization policy are consistent with the Board's regulatory accounting policies as set out for MIFRS as contained in the "Report of the Board, Transition to International Financial Reporting Standards", EB-2008-0408 and the Kinectrics Report dated July 8, 2010, effective January 1, 2013. Chapleau PUC's external auditors have also deemed CPUC's capitalization policy, to align with IFRS standards.

Cost includes expenditures that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. The cost of self-constructed assets includes the cost of materials, direct labour, and any other costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to a working condition for its intended use.

Borrowing costs on qualifying assets are capitalized as part of the cost of the asset based upon the weighted average cost of debt incurred on the Corporation's borrowings. Qualifying assets are considered to be those that take in excess of six months to construct.

When parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment.

Gains and losses on the disposal of an item of PP\&E are determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal, if any, with the carrying amount of the item of PP\&E and are recognized net within other income in profit or loss.

Major spare parts and standby equipment are recognized as items of PP\&E.
The cost of replacing a part of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognized in the net book value of the item if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied within the part will flow to the Corporation and its cost can be measured reliably. In this event, the replaced part of property, plant and equipment is written off, and the related gain or loss is included in profit or loss. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognized in profit or loss as incurred.

Depreciation is calculated over the depreciable amount and is recognized in profit or loss on a declining-balance basis over the estimated useful life of each part or component of an item of property, plant and equipment. The depreciable amount is cost. Land is not depreciated.

## Changes to Capitalization Policy

Changes have been made to CPUC's capitalization policy since the last rebasing application in 2012 as a result of the Board's letter dated July 17, 2012 and the changes have impacted componentization and depreciation. Changes made as a result of the direction provided by the Board in this letter have been tracked in Account 1576.

## Capitalization of Overhead

Chapleau PUC does not apply overhead expenditures to Capitalization.

## Costs Of Eligible Investments for Connection of Qualifying Generation Facilities

Chapleau PUC has not incurred any costs for the connection of qualifying generation facilities.

## New Policy Options for the Funding of Capital

Chapleau PUC has not made significant capital investments to its distribution plant in recent years, resulting in a distribution system that is operational but aging. More recently CPUC experienced relatively high line loss ratios that escalated to a current 5 year average of 1.0898 .

In 2014 Chapleau PUC engaged Burman Energy to develop their Distribution System Plan and to recommend ways to reduce CPUCs energy losses, improve service reliability and safety.

CPUC and the Township Council, were presented by Burman Energy with an investment strategy that will reduce energy losses, improve service reliability and safety. The investment strategy will however entail a significant capital investment in CPUC's distribution plant over an eleven year period. Phase one of the investment strategy is to build a new 25 kV substation and Phase two will convert and upgrade its distribution system assets (i.e. poles meters and distribution assets) to the new 25 kV standard at a total project cost of $\$ 3,055,000$ plus the costs for the stranded asset. (Chapleau Public Utilities Corporation is a partially embedded utility receiving approximately $37 \%$ of its load from Hydro One Networks Inc. from its 25 kV substation).

Chapleau PUC wanted to inform their customers and retained Burman Energy Consultants Group Inc. and CGC Educational Communications Inc. to develop and execute tailored consumer research.

The outcome of this Customer Engagement activity was very positive in this regard and the Board of Directors and Management of CPUC decided to pursue the investment strategy to build a new 25 kV substation and convert and upgrade its distribution system assets (i.e. poles meters and distribution assets) to the new 25 kV .

CPUC's 2016 Cost of Service Application includes \$785,000 Work in Progress in its 2016 Test Year and completing the substation in 2017. Phase two will convert and upgrade its distribution system assets (i.e. poles meters and distribution assets) to the new 25 kV standard.

The timing and cost for the project is as follows:

Start building 25 kV substation in 2016
Completion of 25 kV substation in 2017
Annual System Conversion from 4.16 kV to 25 kV at an annual cost of $\$ 200,000$ for 7 years to 2024
Final Year for conversion 2025/6
Total Cost $(\$ 3,055,000)$

|  | System <br> Substation <br> Conversion |
| :--- | :--- |

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\$ 750,000 & \$ 35,000 \\
\$ 750,000 & \$ 50,000
\end{array}
$$

\$1,400,000
\$70,000
\$1,500,000 \$1,555,000

CPUC contemplates that they will enter into a long term debt agreement to finance $\$ 1,035,000$ of the $\$ 3,055,000$ most likely with Infrastructure Ontario. Balance of the funds to complete building of the 25 kV substation will come from the CPUC's cash and short term investments of approximately 500,000. Most of this cash is redundant or is in excess to the operating needs of the Company.

CPUC has completed the Advanced Capital Module (ACM) and is included in this Application as Attachment L.

## Addition of ICM Assets to Rate Base

CPUC does not have previously approved ICMs.

## Service Quality and Reliability

## Appendix 2-G

## Service Reliability Indicators

## 2010-2014

| Index | Including outages caused by loss of supply |  |  |  |  | Excluding outages caused by loss of supply |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
| SAIDI | 101.680 | 2.630 | 0.440 | 2.320 | 5.090 | 1.980 | 1.930 | 0.440 | 2.180 | 0.280 |
| SAIFI | 3.250 | 2.450 | 0.280 | 2.850 | 2.460 | 0.920 | 0.450 | 0.280 | 2.580 | 0.380 |



SAIDI = System Average Interruption Duration Index
SAIFI = System Average Interruption Frequency Index

| Indicator | OEB <br> Minimum <br> Standard | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Low Voltage Connections | $90.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
| High Voltage Connections | $90.0 \%$ | $\mathrm{~N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ |
| Telephone Accessibility | $65.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
| Appointments Met | $90.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
| Written Response to Enquires | $80.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
| Emergency Urban Response | $80.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
| Emergency Rural Response | $80.0 \%$ | $\mathrm{~N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$ |
| Telephone Call Abandon Rate | $10.0 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ | $0.0 \%$ |
| Reconnection Performance Standard | $85.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |
| Rescheduling a Missed Appointment | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ | $100.0 \%$ |

## Outages caused by loss of supply

These outages are due to loss of supply or electricity was not delivered to Chapleau PUC and therefore these outages are out of its operational control.

## Outages Excluding Loss of Supply

The historical average for CPUC over the last 5 years for SAIDI is 1.362 and is within the Board's acceptable range of 0.44 to 2.18. The historical 5 year average for SAIFI is 0.922 and is within the Board's acceptable range of 0.28 to 2.58 .

The anomaly in 2013 (excluding outages caused by loss of supply) occurred when CPUC performed oil reclamation and re-inhibit treatment to its transformer station. This required three half-hour scheduled power outages to 1,001 customers.

## 5 Historical Years of ESQRs

There are no under-performing ESQRs - all are at 100.0\%

## Benchmark Proposals

Chapleau PUC is not proposing different 5 year average benchmarks for SAIDI and SAIFI.

