

POWER RATE REVISION FOR MVP—Continued

Class	Present rate	Proposed rate
7,000 lumen unit, M.V.*	\$7.00	\$6.85
20,000 lumen unit, M.V.*	\$10.00	\$9.80
9,000 lumen unit, H.P.S.	\$6.50	\$6.35
22,000 lumen unit, H.P.S.	\$8.75	\$8.58
Area Lights Installed with New Pole:	Monthly Rate:	Monthly Rate:
7,000 lumen unit, M.V.*	\$8.75	\$8.60
20,000 lumen unit, M.V.*	\$11.50	\$11.25
9,000 lumen unit, H.P.S.	\$8.25	\$8.10
22,000 lumen unit, H.P.S.	\$10.50	\$10.30
Street Lighting (Metered):		
Basic Rate	\$11.00/mo. (includes 107 kwh)	\$5.00/mo.
Energy Rate	\$0.05615 (over 107 kwh)	\$0.05495/kwh.
Street Lighting (Unmetered):		
This rate class applies to municipalities or communities where there are ten or more lighting units billed in a group. This rate schedule is subject to a negotiated contract with MVP and is unchanged as part of this rate adjustment.		

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before September 17, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Written comments on rate adjustments should be sent to: Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Attn: Branch of Irrigation and Power, MS#4513–MIB, Code 210, 1849 “C” Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20240.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Area Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Portland Area Office, 911 N.E. 11th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97232–4169, telephone (503) 231–6702; or, General Manager, Mission Valley Power, P. O. Box 1269, Polson, Montana 59860–1269, telephone (406) 883–5361.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The authority to issue this document is vested in the Secretary of the Interior by 5 U.S.C. 301; the Act of August 7, 1946, c. 802, Section 3 (60 Stat. 895; 25 U.S.C. 385c); the Act of May 25, 1948 (62 Stat. 269); and the Act of December 23, 1981, section 112 (95 Stat. 1404). The Secretary has delegated this authority to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs pursuant to part 209 Departmental Manual, Chapter 8.1A and Memorandum dated January 25, 1994, from Chief of Staff, Department of the Interior, to Assistant Secretaries, and Heads of Bureaus and Offices.

MVP has been informed by its suppliers of wholesale power, Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), Montana Power Company (MPC), and the Louisiana Gas & Electric Company (LGE), that they are adjusting their rates to MVP. Accordingly, the BIA is proposing to adjust the rates at the recommendation of MVP to reflect the adjusted cost of service and power provided to MVP by the BPA, MPC, and LGE. The proposed rate change will impact MVP’s Basic Rate, Demand Rate, Horsepower Rate and various other energy rates within each rate class.

MVP is also proposing a general adjustment of electric rates. New, less expensive wholesale power rates from the Bonneville Power Administration, and the opportunity for additional savings available by purchasing a portion of the wholesale needs from an independent third-party source, will result in annual purchased power savings of approximately \$900,000 annually for the next five fiscal years. Through action by MVP’s Board of Directors, the Bureau of Indian Affairs proposes to lower rates across all customer classes by an average of 2.3% for the five year period, resulting in an effectual rebate to consumers of approximately 35% of the anticipated savings. The additional 65%, or approximately \$600,000, will be retained by the utility for funding the construction of new office and operations facilities which are critically required for the utility to continue providing safe, efficient and cost effective service. The proposed rate structure is the result of a Cost of Service study by the MVP consultant, Economic and Engineering Services, Inc., public comments and formal recommendations from the Consumer Council and the Utility Board. The effective date of the proposed BPA rate change will be the first of the month following the publication date of the final notice of Rate Adjustment.

Dated: August 8, 1997.

Ada E. Deer,
Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Missouri Recreational Riverways Final Environmental Impact Statement/General Management Plan

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.

ACTION: Availability of Final Environmental Impact Statement/General Management Plan for the Missouri/Niobrara/Verdigre Creek National Recreational Rivers in Charles Mix, Bon Homme, and Gregory counties, South Dakota, and Boyd and Knox counties, Nebraska.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, the National Park Service (NPS) announces the availability of the Final Environmental Impact Statement/General Management Plan (FEIS/GMP) for the Missouri/Niobrara/Verdigre Creek National Recreational Rivers. The Draft FEIS/GMP for the recreational rivers was on 58-day public review from July 19 to September 14, 1996.

The NPS will manage a 39-mile section of the Missouri River from Fort Randall Dam to the headwaters of Lewis and Clark Lake, a 20-mile section of the Niobrara measured upriver from its confluence with the Missouri River, and an 8-mile section of Verdigre Creek from the northern municipal boundary of the town of Verdigre to its confluence with the Niobrara River. The action is in response to a mandate by Congress in Pub. L. 102–50, an amendment to the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1271–1287). The FEIS/GMP was prepared by the National Park Service.

The NPS’s preferred alternative for the Missouri/Niobrara/Verdigre Creek National Recreational Rivers is identified in the FEIS/GMP as Alternative 5. Under the preferred

alternative the NPS would work cooperatively with landowners, local and state government agencies, and others to protect river resources. The boundary for the recreational rivers would include a minimum setback of 200 feet from the ordinary high water flow of the rivers, plus Federal and State fee lands within a quarter mile of the rivers and several significant fish and wildlife habitat areas.

Four other alternatives were also considered: A no action alternative; an alternative that emphasizes rural landscape protection through cooperative approaches with a boundary setback of 200 feet from the ordinary high water flow; an alternative that emphasizes biological resource protection with a boundary that includes significant bottomlands and areas affected by a discharge flow of 60,000 cfs from Fort Randall Dam; and an alternative that emphasizes recreational development with a boundary typically at 200 feet from the ordinary high water mark, but extending further on Corps of Engineers-owned land, potential public use areas, and on biologically significant lands.

DATES: The 30-day no action period for review of the FEIS/GMP will end on September 22, 1997. A record of decision will follow the no action period.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Superintendent, Niobrara/Missouri National Scenic Riverways, P.O. Box 591, O'Neill, Nebraska 68763-0591. Telephone: 402-336-3970.

Dated: August 11, 1997.

William W. Schenk,

Regional Director, Midwest Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places; Notification of Pending Nominations

Nominations for the following properties being considered for listing in the National Register were received by the National Park Service before August 9, 1997. Pursuant to section 60.13 of 36 CFR Part 60 written comments concerning the significance of these properties under the National Register criteria for evaluation may be forwarded to the National Register, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, D.C. 20013-7127. Written

comments should be submitted by September 2, 1997.

Patrick Andrus,

Acting Keeper of the National Register.

ARIZONA

Coconino County

Railroad Addition Historic District (Boundary Increase), 122 E US 66, Flagstaff, 97001086

Maricopa County

Kenilworth Historic District (Boundary Increase), (Roosevelt Neighborhood MRA), 312 W. Culver, Phoenix, 97001085

Yavapai County

West Prescott Historic District (Boundary Increase), (Prescott Territorial Buildings MRA), 619-621 Glendale Ave., Prescott, 97001087

FLORIDA

Dade County

Sweeting Homestead, Address Restricted, Biscayne National Park vicinity, 97001088

GEORGIA

Charlton County

Mizell, William, Sr., House, 101 Palm St., Folkston, 97001089

Terrell County

Dawson Historic District, Roughly bounded by US 80, Pecan St., Seaboard Airline RR tracks, Crawford St., Thirteenth Ave., and Central of Georgia RR track, Dawson, 97001090

MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester County

Harvard Center Historic District, Ayer, Still River, Old Littleton, Bolton and Oak Hill Rds, Elm and Fairbanks Sts, Lovers Ln., Massachusetts Ave. and Old Boston Tnpk., Harvard, 97001091

MICHIGAN

Wayne County

Cass—Davenport Historic District, (Cass Farm MPS), Roughly bounded Cass Ave., Davenport, and Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Detroit, 97001100

Chapel of St. Theresa—the Little Flower, (Cass Farm MPS), 46 Parsons, Detroit, 97001099

Detroit Edison Company Willis Avenue Station, (Cass Farm MPS), 50 W. Willis, Detroit, 97001097

Detroit—Columbia Central Office Building, (Cass Farm MPS), 52 Seldon, Detroit, 97001098

Graybar Electric Company Building, (Cass Farm MPS), 55 W. Canfield, Detroit, 97001096

Hotel Stevenson, (Cass Farm MPS), 40 Davenport, Detroit, 97001095

Jefferson Intermediate School, (Cass Farm MPS), 938 Seldon, Detroit, 97001094

League of Catholic Women Building, (Cass Farm MPS), 100 Parsons, Detroit, 97001093

Sts. Peter and Paul Academy, (Cass Farm MPS), 64 Parsons, Detroit, 97001101

West Canfield Historic District, (Cass Farm MPS), Roughly bounded by Third Ave., Calumet, Second Ave., and W. Canfield, Detroit, 97001092

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Belknap County

Washington Mooney House, Jct. of NH 104 and I-93, New Hampton, 97001102

NEW MEXICO

Bernalillo County

Pyle, Ernie, House, 900 Girard Blvd., SE, Albuquerque, 97001103

SOUTH CAROLINA

Spartanburg County

Cowpens Depot, 120 Palmetto St., Cowpens, 97001104

Reidville Academy Faculty House, Jct. of College and Main Sts., Reidville, 97001105

SOUTH DAKOTA

Hyde County

Gerhart, Augustus and Augusta, House, 321 Iowa St., Highmore, 97001106

Spink County

Salem Church, 208 Ohio St., Tulare vicinity, 97001107

TENNESSEE

Washington County

Bowers—Kirkpatrick Farmstead, 3033 Boone's Creek Rd., Gray vicinity, 97001108

TEXAS

Tarrant County

Cotton Belt Railroad Industrial Historic District, (Grapevine MPS), Along RR tracks, roughly bounded by Hudgins, Dooley, and Dallas Sts., Grapevine, 97001109

Travis County

Conner, Dr. Beadie E. and Willie R., House and Park, 3111 E. 13th St., Austin, 97001110

VIRGINIA

Arlington County

Washington National Airport Terminal and South Hangar Line, Thomas Ave., Arlington, 97001111

Page County

Skyline Drive Historic District (Boundary Increase), (Historic Park Landscapes in National and State Parks MPS), Within Shenandoah National Park, areas known as Headquarters, Big Meadows, Dickey Ridge, Simmons Gap, and Piney R, Luray vicinity, 97001112

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