

### Notice of Utility Tariff Filing

The REGULATORY COMMISSION OF ALASKA (Commission) gives notice that Matanuska Electric Association, Inc. (MEA) filed TA488-18, proposing to add a new cost element to its Cost of Power Adjustment surcharge calculation. With the new cost element, MEA proposes to recover all costs associated with fuel purchases under a multi-year sales agreement for the furnishing of Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel #2 (ULSD #2) for MEA's Eklutna Generation Station (EGS) with Crowley Fuels LLC. MEA filed a copy of the agreement as required by 3 AAC 52.470(e); however, MEA is not requesting approval of the agreement.

The proposed agreement is to supply ULSD #2 fuel for the ten generating engines at EGS as needed. The ULSD #2 will primarily be used as a pilot fuel and a backup in case of a system emergency. Under the agreement, the ULSD #2 will also be used in MEA's two hot water boilers and two 1000kW standby generators. The agreement has an effective date of December 12, 2017, with an initial term of 24 months, and may be renewed for up to two one-year terms.

This notice does not contain every pertinent revision or request associated with the filing and the Commission may approve a rate or classification which varies from that proposed. You may obtain more information about this filing by contacting Mary Vittone, Fuel Supply Manager at MEA, at P. O. Box 2929, Palmer, AK 99645; phone: (907) 689-9360. The complete filing is also available for inspection at the Commission's office, at 701 West 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 300, Anchorage, AK 99501; phone: (907) 276-6222, or may be viewed at the Commission's website at <http://rca.alaska.gov> by typing "TA488-18" in the *Find a Matter* search box.

To comment on this filing, please file your comments by 5:00 p.m., December 4, 2017, at the Commission address given above or via our website at:

<https://rca.alaska.gov/RCAWeb/WhatsNew/PublicNoticesComments.aspx>

Please reference TA488-18 and include a statement that you have filed a copy of the comments with MEA at its address given above or by email at [tariff-comment@matanuska.com](mailto:tariff-comment@matanuska.com). Individuals or groups of people with disabilities, who require special accommodations, auxiliary aids or service, or alternative communication formats, please contact Valerie Fletcher-Mitchell at (907) 276-6222, toll-free at 1-800-390-2782, or TTY (907) 276-4533 or send a request via electronic mail to [rca.mail@alaska.gov](mailto:rca.mail@alaska.gov) by November 27, 2017.

DATED at Anchorage, Alaska, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2017.

REGULATORY COMMISSION OF ALASKA



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