

The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty

Case No. ER-2024-0261

Office Public Counsel Data Request - 1218

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REQUEST:

MARKET PRICE PROTECTION MECHANISM

Please provide in detail how any other issues noted by the Company in response to Data Request 1210, did or did not affect the Market Price Protection Mechanism ("MPPM"). Please provide all workpapers and supporting data.

RESPONSE:

The Company filed a claim for lost revenues associated with the failure of the main power transformers at Neosho Ridge in late March 2022. More specifically, the Company received reimbursements from the insurance company for lost revenues, which include SPP IM Revenues and REC Revenues. The reimbursements were included in accounts 447849 and 456215 which are components of the Market Price Protection Mechanism. Please see the periods of impact below:

- Year 1
 - o June 2022
 - November 2022
 - o December 2022
- Year 2
 - o October 2023
 - o March 2024

Additionally, the Company is pursuing a claim for the lightning damages that occurred in late 2023, but no insurance proceeds have been received to date.