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APPLICATION OF SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY TO ADJUST ITS ENERGY EFFICIENCY COST RECOVERY FACTOR

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY'S AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF NOTICE

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AFFIDAVIT OF J. RICH SPARKS

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF POTTER

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared J. Rich Sparks, who being by me first duly sworn, on oath, deposed and said the following:

- 1. My name is J. Rich Sparks. I am employed by Southwestern Public Service Company ("SPS") as Regulatory Case Specialist. I am authorized to make this affidavit and I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein.
- 2. On April 29, 2022, SPS filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas an application to adjust its Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor ("EECRF"). The application has been assigned Docket No. 53540.
- 3. SPS served notice of the EECRF filing by electronic mail to the parties to SPS's most recent completed base rate case, Docket No. 49831; to all parties that participated in the case in which SPS's 2021 EECRF was adjusted, Docket No. 52072; and to the state agency that administers the federal weatherization program, which is the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs ("TDHCA"). A list of those to whom notice was sent is attached as Exhibit A.

J. Rich Sparks

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, a Notary Public, in and for the State of Texas, this 11^{th} day of May 2022.

Mary Columnson

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

MARY C. JOHNSON
Notary Public, State of Texase
Comm. Expires 08-28-2024
Notary ID 12084834

My Commission Expires:

8-28-24

Exhibit A Service List

Alliance of Xcel Municipalities (AXM) Alfred R. Herrera Herrera Law & Associates, PLLC aherrera@herrerapllclaw.com	Amarillo Recycling Company, Inc. Rick Russwurm Moore, Lewis, and Russwurm RRusswurm@mlr-lawfirm.com	Canadian River Municipal Water Authority Gunner Seaquist Bickerstaff gseaquist@bickerstaff.com
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Certificate of Service

I certify that on the 11th day of May 2022, this instrument was filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and a true and correct copy of it was served on the parties of record in this docket by electronic mail.