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### FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20426

#### OFFICE OF ENERGY MARKET REGULATION

Guardian Pipeline, L.L.C. Docket No. RP25-80-000

Issued: November 13, 2024

On October 18, 2024, Guardian Pipeline, L.L.C. filed a revised tariff record<sup>1</sup> to remove certain non-conforming agreements which have expired or have been amended and extended as conforming agreements. Pursuant to authority delegated to the Director, Division of Pipeline Regulation, under 18 C.F.R. § 375.307, the tariff record is accepted, effective November 20, 2024, as requested.

The filing was publicly noticed. No protests or adverse comments were filed. Pursuant to Rule 214 of the Commission's regulations (18 C.F.R. § 385.214), notices of intervention, timely-filed motions to intervene, and any unopposed motions to intervene out-of-time filed before the issuance date of this order are granted.

This action shall not be construed as a waiver of the requirements of section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended; nor shall it be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such rate or service contained in the applicant's tariff; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against the applicant.

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Issued by: Marsha K. Palazzi, Director, Division of Pipeline Regulation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Guardian Pipeline, L.L.C., Guardian FERC Gas Tariff, <u>Part 8, Section 38, GT&C - Non-Conforming Agreements (5.0.0)</u>.

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October 18, 2024

Ms. Debbie-Anne Reese, Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: Guardian Pipeline, L.L.C.

Tariff Volume No. 1

Update to Part 8, Section 38 - Removal of Non-Conforming Agreements

Docket No. RP24- -000

Dear Ms. Reese:

Pursuant to Section 4 of the Natural Gas Act and Part 154 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("Commission") Regulations, Guardian Pipeline, L.L.C. ("Guardian") respectfully submits for filing and acceptance the tariff records listed below as part of its FERC Gas Tariff, Volume No. 1 ("Tariff"). The proposed Tariff revisions are submitted to become effective November 20, 2024:

Part 8.0, Section 38, Non-Conforming Agreements, v. 5.0.0

#### Statement of Nature, Reasons, and Basis for Proposed Change

In compliance with section 154.602.1 of the Commission's regulations, Guardian proposes to remove from Part 8.0, Section 38 of its Tariff, Volume 1, certain non-conforming agreements that will expire as of October 31, 2024 or have been amended and extended as fully conforming agreements as of November 1, 2024.2

Guardian seeks a waiver of the 30-day notice requirement for removing the service agreements listed below. No customers were adversely affected by the proposed changes to these service agreements. Guardian submits tariff record changes, as noted above, to remove the following non-conforming agreements:

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 18 C.F.R. § 154.602 (2024).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Concurrently with this filing, Guardian is also filing to remove these service agreements from its Volume No. 1A Tariff.

Customer	Contract No.	Maximum Daily Quantity (Dekatherms)	Explanation of Removal from Non-Conforming list
Wisconsin Gas LLC	FT2002	72,085	Agreement was replaced with a conforming agreement, effective 11/1/2024
Wisconsin Gas LLC	FW0001	434,176	Agreement was replaced with a conforming agreement, effective 11/1/2024
Wisconsin Gas LLC	FW2002	72,222	Agreement was replaced with a conforming agreement, effective 11/1/2024
Wisconsin Gas LLC	MA0002	0	Agreement was not extended by shipper and expires on 10/31/2024
Wisconsin Electric Power Company	FT2001	161,325	Agreement was replaced with a conforming agreement, effective 11/1/2024
Wisconsin Electric Power Company	FW2001	161,632	Agreement was replaced with a conforming agreement, effective 11/1/2024
Wisconsin Electric Power Company	MA0001	0	Agreement was not extended by shipper and expires on 10/31/2024
Wisconsin Public Service Corporation	FT2003	181,245	Agreement was replaced with a conforming agreement, effective 11/1/2024

Additionally, in compliance with section 154.602 of the Commission's regulations, Guardian proposes to remove from Part 8, Section 38 of its Tariff, Volume 1, reference to certain previously non-conforming agreements that have been amended as fully conforming and previously were approved for removal from Guardian's Tariff, Volume 1A under Docket No. RP23-591-000.<sup>3</sup> Due to an administrative oversight, two previously non-conforming service agreements referenced in Part 8, Section 38 of Tariff, Volume 1 were not concurrently submitted for removal at the time of Guardian's filing in RP23-591-000. Therefore, Guardian now submits tariff record changes to remove:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Guardian Pipeline, L.L.C., Letter Order, Docket No. RP23-591-000 (April 19, 2023).

Customer	Contract No.	Maximum Daily Quantity (Dekatherms)	Explanation of Removal from Non-Conforming
Wisconsin Electric Power Company	RT0183	188,210	Replaced with a conforming Service Agreement effective 4/1/2023
Wisconsin Gas, LLC	FT0001	433,351	Replaced with a conforming Service Agreement effective 4/1/2023

No customers are adversely affected by these proposed changes.

#### **List of Materials Enclosed**

In accordance with section 154.7 of the Commission's regulations, Guardian submits the following materials:

- 1. An eTariff XML package containing the proposal in electronic format;
- 2. A transmittal letter in PDF format, which incorporates the Statement of Nature, Reasons, and Basis for the filing required by section 154.7(a)(6) of the Commission's regulations;
- 3. Appendix A a clean copy of the tariff records in PDF format for publishing in eLibrary; and
- 4. Appendix B a marked copy of the tariff records in PDF format for publishing in eLibrary.

#### **Proposed Effective Date**

Pursuant to section 154.7(a)(3) of the Commission's Regulations, Guardian respectfully requests that the tariff records submitted herein be approved by the Commission effective November 20, 2024. In accordance with section 154.7(a)(9) of the Commission's Regulations, Guardian moves to place the proposed Tariff section into effect at the end of any suspension period if one is so ordered by the Commission.

#### Waivers

Pursuant to section 154.7(a)(7) of the Commission's regulations, Guardian respectfully requests that the Commission grant a waiver to its 30-day notice of cancellation requirement found in section 154.602 of the Commission's regulations. Guardian has not identified any additional waivers of the Commission's Regulations needed to permit this filing to become effective as proposed; however, Guardian respectfully requests that, should the Commission determine that any such waivers are required, the Commission grant such waivers as are necessary in order that the revised tariff records may be made effective as proposed. No waiver of Guardian's Tariff is herein requested.

#### **Service and Correspondence**

In accordance with section 154.208 of the Commission's regulations, the undersigned certifies that a copy of this filing has been served electronically on Guardian's customers and affected state regulatory commissions. A paper copy of this filing may only be served if a customer has been granted waiver of electronic service pursuant to Part 390 of the Commission's regulations. In addition, a copy of this filing is available for public inspection during regular business hours at Guardian's office at 100 West Fifth Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74103.

Guardian respectfully requests that all Commission orders and correspondence, as well as pleadings and correspondence from other persons, concerning this filing be served upon:

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Questions pertaining to this filing may be directed to any of the individuals listed above.

Pursuant to section 385.2005 and section 385.2011(c)(5) of the Commission's regulations, the undersigned has read this filing and knows its contents, and the contents are true as stated, to the best knowledge and belief of the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Denise Adams

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Attachments

# Appendix A Clean Tariff Record

Guardian Pipeline, L.L.C. FERC Gas Tariff Volume No. 1

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## Appendix B Marked Tariff Record

#### RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE38. NON-CONFORMING AGREEMENTS

- 1. Wisconsin Electric Power Company, FT-2 Service Agreement dated February 29, 2008, effective February 10, 2009. Contract No. FT2001.
- Wisconsin Gas LLC, FT-2 Service Agreement dated February 29, 2008, effective February 10, 2009. Contract No. FT2002.
- 3. Wisconsin Public Service Corporation, FT-2 Service Agreement dated February 29, 2008, effective February 10, 2009. Contract No. FT2003.
- 4. Wisconsin Electric Power Company, EAW Service Agreement dated February 29, 2008, effective February 10, 2009. Contract No. FW2001.
- 5. Wisconsin Gas LLC, EAW Service Agreement dated February 29, 2008, effective February 10, 2009. Contract No. FW2002.
- 6. Wisconsin Electric Power Company, MA Service Agreement dated February 29, 2008, effective February 1, 2009. Contract No. MA0001.
- 7. Wisconsin Gas LLC, MA Service Agreement dated February 29, 2008, effective February 1, 2009. Contract No. MA0002.
- 8. Wisconsin Gas LLC, FT-1 Service Agreement, effective date December 7, 2002. Contract No. FT0001.
- 9. Wisconsin Gas LLC, EAW Service Agreement, effective date February 1, 2003. Contract No. FW0001.
- 10. Wisconsin Electric Power Company, FT-1 Service Agreement, effective November 1, 2011. Contract No. RT0183.

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