

March 28, 2025

Ms. Lisa Felice  
Executive Secretary  
Michigan Public Service Commission  
7109 West Saginaw Highway  
Post Office Box 30221  
Lansing, MI 48909

**RE: Case No. U-21870 – In the matter of the application of Consumers Energy Company for authority to increase its rates for the generation and distribution of electricity and for other relief.**

Dear Ms. Felice:

Enclosed for electronic filing in the above captioned case please find **Consumers Energy Company's Filing Announcement**. This is a paperless filing and is therefore being filed only in PDF. I have also included a Proof of Service showing electronic service upon the parties to Case Nos. U-21389 and U-21585.

Sincerely,

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cc: Parties per Attachment 1 to Proof of Service

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the application of )  
**CONSUMERS ENERGY COMPANY** )  
for authority to increase its rates for )  
the generation and distribution of )  
electricity and for other relief. )  
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Case No. U-21870

**CONSUMERS ENERGY COMPANY’S FILING ANNOUNCEMENT**

In accordance with MCL 460.6a(1) and the Rate Case Filing Requirements approved by the Michigan Public Service Commission in Case No. U-18238, Consumers Energy Company (“Consumers Energy”) submits its Filing Announcement indicating its intent to file an Application requesting authority to increase its rates for the generation and distribution of electricity and for other requested relief, on or after June 2, 2025. The requested rate relief will impact customers located in Consumers Energy’s electric service territory and is based on a projected test year for the 12-month period ending April 30, 2027, utilizing a historical test year of 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSUMERS ENERGY COMPANY

Dated: March 28, 2025

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

STATE OF MICHIGAN )  
 ) SS  
COUNTY OF JACKSON )

Crystal L. Chacon, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is employed in the Legal Department of Consumers Energy Company; that on March 28, 2025, she served an electronic copy of **Consumers Energy Company’s Filing Announcement** upon the persons listed in Attachment 1 hereto, at the e-mail addresses listed therein.

*Crystal L. Chacon*

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Crystal L. Chacon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025.

*Melissa K. Harris*

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Melissa K. Harris, Notary Public  
State of Michigan, County of Jackson  
My Commission Expires: 06/11/2027  
Acting in the County of Hillsdale

**ATTACHMENT 1 TO CASE NO. U-21870**  
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