

## **AOBA Utility Committee Meeting DC, Maryland, and Virginia**

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#### **AOBA Utility Committee Meeting Agenda**

- I. DC Water Rate Update
- II. Competitive Energy and Market Update
- III. Virginia Power Rate Case, Case No. PUE-2013-00020
- IV. Natural Gas Utility Rate Requests Rate Impacts & Proposed Surcharges Washington Gas Light Company Rate Cases (WGL)
  - A. WGL Rate Proceeding In Maryland, Case No. 9322 Case Concludes, Rate increase will follow
  - B. WGL MD Case No. 9335 STRIDE Surcharge Request Filed Nov. 7, 2013 \$200 million will be invested in the first five years-How will this affect your properties?
  - C. WGL Renews Request for Surcharge for Pipeline Replacement in DC, Formal Case No. 1093-How will this impact your bills?
  - D. WGL DC PSC Case to Consider Interruptible Issues, Formal Case No. 1106
  - E. WGL DC PSC, Weather Normalization Adjustment, Formal Case No. 1110
- V. Electric Utility Rate Proceedings Rate Impacts & Proposed Surcharges Potomac Electric Power Company Rate Cases (Pepco)
  - A. Pepco DC Rate Request, Formal Case No. 1103, Hearings Conclude Request for \$52 million increase revised to \$44 million
  - B. Bill Undergrounding of Pepco's Distribution Service in DC B20-387 "Electric Company Infrastructure Improvement Financing Act of 2013"
  - C. Pepco MD PSC New Rate Request Filed December 4, 2013, Case No. 9336 Pepco MD Case No. 9311, Rates Increased August 1, 2013





## Washington Gas Light Company Utility Rate Requests Maryland





#### Washington Gas – Maryland Case No. 9322

- ➤ Base Rate Increase Request Filed April 26, 2013
- ➤ The Company sought:
  - ✓ \$28.3 million in additional Base Rate Revenue, revised from original request of \$30.7 million
  - ✓ An 8.7% Rate of Return (ROR) including a 10.7% Return on Equity (ROE)
  - ✓ Test Year 12 months ended March 31, 2013

#### Drivers –

- ✓ Updated test period expenses and capital investment in accelerated pipe replacement first 12 months
- ✓ Employee pension and benefits, cost of equity/equity ratio
- ✓ Resolve pending items currently in litigation (cost to achieve savings from Accenture Agreement and Medicare Part D)





#### Washington Gas – Maryland

Case No. 9322

#### **➤** Commission Decision and Results:

- ✓ On November 22, 2013, the MD PSC approved an \$8,904,000 Million increase in additional Base Rate Revenue, Order No. 86013. The Company requested a rate increase of \$28.3 million.
- ✓ The Order stated WGL may earn a 7.54% Rate of Return (ROR) including a 9.50% Return on Equity (ROE). WGL requested an 8.7% Rate of Return (ROR) including a 10.7% Return on Equity (ROE).
- ✓ New rates effective for usage on and after November 23, 2013 based on a revenue increase of \$8.904 Million





#### Washington Gas – Maryland

**Budget Impacts - Case No. 9322** 

	Increase in Delivery Over Present Rates Excluding Gas Costs <sup>1</sup>		<u>Increase in Delivery</u> <u>Over Present Rates</u> <u>Including Gas Costs</u> <sup>1</sup>	
	<b>Proposed</b>	Approved <sup>2</sup>	<b>Proposed</b>	Approved <sup>2</sup>
<u>Residential</u>				
Heating/Cooling	9.46%	2.74%	5.07%	1.47%
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	6.47%	0.00%	4.08%	0.00%
Total Residential	9.45%	2.72%	5.07%	1.46%
Commercial & Industrial				
Heating/Cooling <3000 therms	10.34%	4.55%	6.69%	2.94%
Heating/Cooling>3000 therms	13.73%	4.53%	9.14%	3.02%
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
<b>Group Metered Apartments</b>				
Heating/Cooling	12.10%	4.55%	8.98%	3.37%
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Firm Non-Residential	11.80%	4.19%	7.98%	2.83%
Interruptible	7.26%	2.63%	7.26%	2.63%
Total All Classes	9.98%	3.13%	5.87%	1.84%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Case No. 9322 – Supplemental Direct Testimony, Witness Wagner, JBW-SUP1, Schedule C, Page 1 of 2

<sup>2</sup> Case No. 9322 – Compliance Filing, JBW-1, Schedule C, Revised 12/3/2013





#### Washington Gas - Maryland

#### **Other Charges:**

#### Montgomery County Fuel Energy Tax for Natural Gas Customers

Tax Rate as of 6/30/10 \$0.1192100 per therm

Tax Rate Effective 7/1/10 - 6/30/12 \$0.1944390 per therm

Tax Rate Effective 7/1/12 - 6/30/13 \$0.1868761 per therm

Tax Rate Effective 7/1/13 - 6/30/14 \$0.1753900 per therm

#### Prince Georges County Energy Tax for Natural Gas Customers

Tax Rate Effective 7/1/10 - 6/30/12 \$0.064931 per therm

Tax Rate Effective 7/1/12 - 6/30/13 \$0.059719 per therm

Tax Rate Effective 7/1/13 - 6/30/14 \$0.061328 per therm





## Washington Gas - Maryland

#### STRIDE Surcharge <sup>1</sup> (Infrastructure Surcharge)

- The Maryland General Assembly passed a Bill in the 2013 Legislative Session which allows for a natural gas infrastructure surcharge in MD
- The surcharge may be charged monthly to all residential and non-residential natural gas customers
- ➤ WGL estimates that non-residential rate payers will pay \$5.1 million annually in surcharges
- STRIDE will set a \$2 per month cap on the surcharge for residential customers
- ➤ The MD PSC will set the rate cap for Commercial and Industrial Customers based on the allocated costs to residential and non-residential customers consistent with the proportions of distribution revenue that those classes bear in accordance with the most recent rate case.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> WGL Holdings, Inc. Press Release, Governor Martin J. O'Malley Signs STRIDE Bill for Natural Gas Infrastructure Replacements in Maryland, http://www.wglholdings.com/releasedetail.cfm?ReleaseID=761666





## Washington Gas – Maryland "STRIDE RIDER", Case No. 9335 1

- ➤ WGL filed for approval of the "STRIDE Rider" on November 7, 2013
- ➤ WGL proposes to invest ~ \$863 million over 22 years in four infrastructure replacement programs, with \$200 million invested in the first five years
- ➤ In Case No. 9335, WGL is requesting Commission approval of the STRIDE Rider for a five year period to fund the initial \$200 million
- ➤ First Replacement Program consists of:
  - ➤ Targeted Service Replacement (replacement of all bare and/or unprotected steel services, targeted copper and pre-1975 plastic services)
- > STRIDE Rider rates effective May 6, 2014

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Washington Gas Light Company - an Application for Authority to Implement a Strategic Infrastructure Development and Enhancement Plan ("Stride Plan") and Associated Cost Recovery Mechanism ("Stride Rider"). Case No. 9335, Filed November 7, 2013





## Washington Gas – Maryland "STRIDE RIDER", Case No. 9335

#### STRIDE Rider Costs First Year FY 2014

<b>COST DISTRIBUTION</b>	<b>FIXED CHARGE PER MONTH</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
	PER ACCOUNT	
Residential Heating/Cooling	\$0.28	\$1,400,213
Residential Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	\$0.16	\$6,562
C&I Heating/Cooling <3000	\$0.41	\$79,764
C&I Heating/Cooling >3000	\$3.20	\$294,796
C&I Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	\$1.08	\$21,881
GMA Heating/Cooling	\$3.84	\$93,294
GMA Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	\$0.76	\$18,699
Interruptible	\$27.43	\$74,197

Total Costs FY 2014 \$1,989,407





#### Washington Gas – Maryland

Washington Gas Light Company - Maryland <sup>1</sup> STRIDE Impacts - Case No. 9335

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	STRIDE Amount to be Billed FY 2014	STRIDE Amount to be Billed FY 2015	STRIDE Amount to be Billed FY 2016	STRIDE Amount to be Billed FY 2017	STRIDE Amount to be Billed FY 2018
<u>Residential</u>					
Heating/Cooling	1,400,213	4,580,359	7,270,528	9,613,117	9,905,817
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	6,562	21,476	34,092	45,072	46,446
Commercial & Industrial					
Heating/Cooling <3000	79,764	260,975	414,256	547,713	564,404
Heating/Cooling>3000	294,796	964,523	1,530,975	2,024,217	2,085,913
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	21,881	71,590	113,636	150,247	154,824
Group Metered Apartments					
Heating/Cooling	93,294	305,238	484,500	640,594	660,117
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	18,699	61,777	97,108	128,392	132,306
<u>Interruptible</u>	74,197	242,759	385,327	509,470	524,998
TOTAL	1,989,407	6,508,697	10,330,423	13,658,821	14,074,825

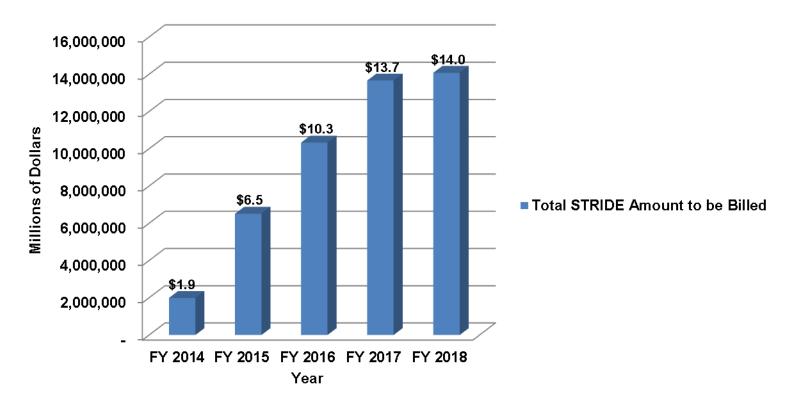
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> JBW -1, Workpaper 7, p. 1 and 2, Nov. 7, 2013, Revised December 11, 2013





#### Washington Gas – Maryland Case No. 9335

#### Total STRIDE Amount to be Billed Initial Five Years FY 2014-2018







#### Washington Gas – Maryland

Recent Purchased Gas Charges and Balancing Charges<sup>1</sup>

#### Washington Gas Purchased Gas Costs\* Maryland

**Dollars Per** Month, Year Therm Oct-12 \$0.5113 Nov-12 \$0.5649 Dec-12 \$0.5408 Jan-13 \$0.5533 Feb-13 \$0.5924 Mar-13 \$0.5246 Apr-13 \$0.6525 May-13 \$0.6935 Jun-13 \$0.6582 Jul-13 \$0.5926 Aug-13 \$0.4720 \$0.5028 Sep-13 Oct-13 \$0.5452 Nov-13 \$0.5452 \$0.5651 Dec-13

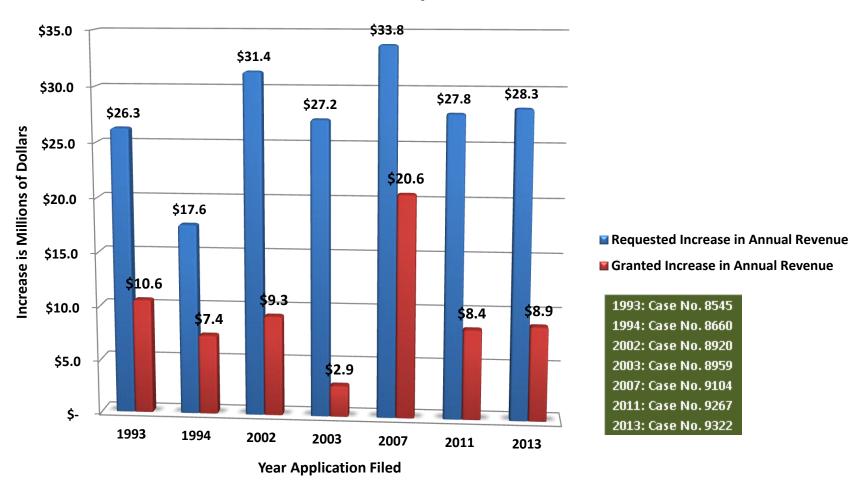
\*Reflects purchased gas costs minus balancing charges listed below. Effective April 2001, the Balancing Charge is billed to third party suppliers by Washington Gas to recover a portion of Washington Gas' capacity and peaking operation's costs. The Balancing Charge does not include a portion of Washington Gas' storage costs, which are billed separately to third party suppliers.

#### **Washington Gas Balancing Charges Maryland**

Month, Year	Dollars Per Therm
Mar 2012 - Nov 2012	\$0.0169
Dec 2012 - Feb 2013	\$0.0109
Mar 2013 - Nov 2013	\$0.0103

<sup>1</sup> Washington Gas MD – Purchased Gas Costs and Balancing Charges http://www.washgas.com/pages/MDRESPurchasedGasCosts

#### Summary of WGL Rate Increase Applications and Results Maryland







## Washington Gas Light Company Utility Rate Requests District of Columbia Formal Case No. 1093 Decision May 15, 2013





### Washington Gas – District of Columbia Formal Case No. 1093

- ➤ Base Rate Increase Request Filed February 29, 2012
- ➤ The Company sought:
  - \$28,970,000 million in additional Base Rate Revenue
  - A separate surcharge to fund \$119 million in Accelerated Pipe Replacement (APRP) costs over 5 years
  - An 8.91% ROR including a 10.9% Return on Equity (ROE)

#### Formal Case No. 1093

#### <u>Washington Gas Light Company - District of Columbia</u> Effect of Proposed Rates by Class of Firm Service in District of Columbia <sup>1</sup>

Operating Revenues Excluding Operating Revenues Including Gas

Gas Cost

Cost

	Gas Cost	<u>Cost</u>
Rate Class Description	Percentage Increase in Delivery Revenue	Percentage Increase in Total Revenue
Distribution of Gas Revenue		
Residential		
Heating and/or Cooling	30.40%	15.70%
Non-heating and Non-cooling	26.50%	18.50%
Other	24.10%	13.60%
Commericial & Industrial		
Heating and/or Cooling		
Less than 3,075 therms	23.40%	13.00%
3,075 therms or more	22.40%	15.40%
Non-heating and Non-cooling	10.10%	6.90%
Group Metered Apartments		
Heating and/or Cooling		
Less than 3,075 therms	23.00%	12.60%
3,075 therms or more	22.70%	16.20%
Non-heating and Non-cooling	10.30%	6.90%
Total Non-Residential		
Total Firm Classes	25.80%	15.00%
Interruptible	0.30%	0.30%
Total Sales/Delivery Revenue	23.40%	14.20%
Other Operating Revenue		7.60%
Total Operating Revenue \$28,970,000		14.00%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Formal Case No. 1093 WG (J-1) Schedule C, page 1 of 2

Rates Effective May 2013





Formal Case No. 1093

#### **Commission Decision and Results:**

- ➤ On May 15, 2013, the DC PSC approved an \$8,381,089 Million increase in natural gas rates, Order No. 17132
- ➤ DC PSC **denied** the WGL request for implementation of a \$119 Million accelerated pipeline replacement surcharge
- ➤ WGL may earn a 9.25% Return on Equity, which is significantly less than the 10.9% requested
- ➤ WGL may earn a 7.93% Rate of Return (ROR of 8.91% requested)
- ➤ The \$8,381,089 Million is recovered as follows:
  - 1. 63% from Residential Class
  - 2. 24.5% from Commercial and Industrial Class
  - 3. 12.2 % from Group Metered Class
  - **4**. Remainder from Interruptible class ~ 0.3%





Budget Impacts - Formal Case No. 1093

	Increase in Delivery Over Present Rates Excluding Gas Costs	Increase in Delivery Over Present Rates Including Gas Costs
Residential	Excluding Gas Costs	including Gas Costs
Heating/Cooling	8.0%	4.3%
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling – IMA	18.8%	13.3%
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling – Other	9.2%	5.3%
Commercial & Industrial		
Heating/Cooling <3075 therms	8.3%	4.5%
Heating/Cooling>3075 therms	5.4%	3.8%
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	5.4%	3.7%
Group Metered Apartments		
Heating/Cooling <3075 therms	8.6%	4.9%
Heating/Cooling>3075 therms	5.5%	4.1%
Non-Heating/Non-Cooling	5.4%	3.7%
Total Firm	7.1%	4.2%
Non-Firm	0.3%	0.3%
Total District of Columbia	6.5%	4.0%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Formal Case No. 1093 – Exhibit WG (J)-1, Schedule C, Page 1 of 3





#### Additional Surcharges, Formal Case No. 1093 –

- ➤ Annual Plant Recovery Adjustment (PRA) Proposed by WGL
  - ✓ The PRA was originally approved by Commission Order on December 11, 2009, Formal Case No. 1027
  - ✓ WGL proposes to Expand its PRA to provide for recovery of Accelerated Pipeline Replacement Plan costs.
  - ✓ Original PRA authorized for \$28 million over seven (7) years for recovery of the cost of replacing pipelines and mechanical couplings in response to leaks.
  - ✓ The monthly impact on ratepayers of the proposed accelerated pipeline replacement PRA has not been determined.
  - ✓ If the proposal is approved, the increase in the PRA will begin in 2013.
  - ✓ In the Company's next rate case, accelerated plant costs being recovered through the PRA will be rolled into the Company's base rates.
  - ✓ Annual Plant Recovery Adjustment Not Approved, FC 1093, Order No. 17132, May 15, 2013





Additional Surcharges, Formal Case No. 1093 (cont.) -

**NEW** WGL Renews Request for Accelerated Pipe Replacement Plan <sup>1</sup>

- ➤ On August 15, 2013 WGL filed a Request for approval of its **revised** Accelerated Pipe Replacement Plan
- ➤ WGL is seeking recovery of the costs through a surcharge
- ➤ WGL states the surcharge is needed to recover the costs associated with the accelerated repayment of the distribution pipeline system in the District of Columbia
- ➤ The Commission denied approval of WG's request for approval of the proposed surcharge in its Order dated May 15, 2013 because of Commission concerns with WG's risk assessments and pipe replacement priorities
- ➤ AOBA filed comments on Dec 5, 2013 requesting the surcharge be denied and has asked the Commission to conduct evidentiary proceedings, but withhold any surcharge, if approved, until after issuance of Commission order in WG's next rate base proceeding

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Formal Case No. 1093, Washington Gas's Request for Approval of a Revised Accelerated Pipe Replacement Plan – Public Version, Aug.15, 2013





## Washington Gas Light Company Utility Rate Requests District of Columbia Formal Case No. 1106 Interruptible Customers





### Washington Gas – District of Columbia Formal Case No. 1106

- ➤ On July 31, 2013, the DC PSC filed Order No. 17208, which opened an investigation into ¹:
  - 1. WGL's Interruptible Service Class
  - 2. The operation fo WGL's Distribution Charge Adjustment ("DCA")
  - 3. How WGL's Class Cost of Service Study accounts for revenues from certain classes of customers
  - 4. The proper design of interruptible service rates and other related issues
- AOBA has asked for a formal evidentiary proceeding for this, including the filing of testimony and evidentiary hearings, to address the issues raised by the Commission in this case.
- ➤ AOBA has intervened in the case and filed comments on October 15, 2013 and November 19, 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> DC PSC, Order No. 17208, Filed July, 31, 2013





# Washington Gas Light Company Utility Rate Requests District of Columbia Formal Case No. 1110 Weather Normalization Adjustment





## Washington Gas NEW Proposed Weather Normalization Adjustment Formal Case No. 1110

- On November 8, 2013, WGL filed its Application for approval of a Weather Normalization Adjustment ("WNA") with the DC PSC, Formal Case No. 1110 1
- ➤ WGL states that implementation of a WNA would eliminate the variability of weather form the calculation of revenues and offer customers more bill stability during colder-than-normal winter hearing seasons
- ➤ The WNA would apply to all Firm Service rate schedules
- ➤ AOBA has intervened in the case and filed comments in the case on December 20, 2013 stating that the WNA should be denied

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> WGL's Application for Approval of a Weather Normalization Adjustment, Including Supporting Testimony and Exhibits, filed Nov. 8, 2013





#### Additional Surcharges (cont.)

#### **▶** WGL Right of Way Surcharge (ROW) ¹

Rate Effective with the April 2012 Billing Cycle Rate Effective with the April 2013 Billing Cycle Rate Effective with the June 2013 Billing Cycle

\$ 0.0313 per therm

\$ 0.0364 per therm

\$ 0.0278 per therm

#### ➤ Sustainable Energy Trust Fund <sup>2</sup>

FY 2009 \$0.011 per therm FY 2010 \$0.012 per therm

FY 2012 \$0.014 per therm and each year thereafter

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>A per therm surcharge for all therms used shall be billed in addition to any other billings under this rate schedule. This surcharge will provide for the recovery of the District of Columbia Rights of Way Tax and be computed as set forth in General Service Provision No. 22, Surcharge for District of Columbia Rights of Way Fee. Source Washington Gas website under Tariff Information.

<sup>2</sup> Energy Assistance Trust Fund Surcharge & Sustainable Energy Trust Fund Surcharge effective billing month of October 2008. Amounts billed to customers shall include a surcharge to recover costs of programs implemented pursuant to the DC Clean and Affordable Energy Act of 2008 and amended by the Residential Aid Subsidy Amendment Act of 2010. Charges are mandated by the DC Government. See DC Code § 8-1774.10 Sustainable Energy Trust Fund, <a href="http://dccode.org/simple/sections/8-1774.10.html">http://dccode.org/simple/sections/8-1774.10.html</a>





#### Additional Surcharges (cont.)

Energy Assistance Trust Fund

\$0.006/therm 1

- Hexane Cost Adjustment
  - ✓ Implemented through Purchase Gas Charge (PGC) for Sales Service Customers
  - ✓ Implemented through Balancing Charges for Delivery Service Customers

<sup>1</sup>Energy Assistance Trust Fund Surcharge & Sustainable Energy Trust Fund Surcharge effective billing month of October 2008. Amounts billed to customers shall include a surcharge to recover costs of programs implemented pursuant to the DC Clean and Affordable Energy Act of 2008 and amended by the Residential Aid Subsidy Amendment Act of 2010. Charges are mandated by the DC Government. See DC Code § 8-1774.11 Energy Assistance Trust Fund, <a href="http://dccode.org/simple/sections/8-1774.11.html">http://dccode.org/simple/sections/8-1774.11.html</a>





## Washington Gas Revenue Normalization Adjustment

- ➤ *Billing Adjustment Mechanisms*. In Maryland, Washington Gas has a Revenue Normalization Adjustment (RNA) billing mechanism that is designed to stabilize the level of net revenues collected from Maryland customers by eliminating the effect of deviations in customer usage caused by variations in weather from normal levels and other factors such as conservation.
- ➤ In **Virginia**, Washington Gas has a Weather Normalization Adjustment (WNA) billing adjustment mechanism that is designed to eliminate the effect of variations in weather from normal levels on utility net revenues.
- Additionally in **Virginia**, as part of the Conservation and Ratemaking Efficiency (CARE) plan, Washington Gas has a Care Ratemaking Adjustment (CRA) mechanism, which, coupled with the WNA, eliminates the effect of both weather and other factors such as conservation for residential customers and beginning May 1, 2013 for small commercial and industrial customers in Virginia.
- For the RNA, WNA, and CRA mechanisms, warmer-than normal weather would generally result in increases in these surcharges to customers while colder-than-normal weather may result in Washington Gas refunding over-collected revenue to customers. However, factors such as volatile weather patterns and customer conservation may cause the RNA and the CRA mechanisms to function conversely because they adjust billed revenues to provide a designed level of net revenue per meter.





### Washington Gas Revenue Normalization Adjustment (Cont.)

- ➤ WGL RNA DENIED—Formal Case No. 1079 AOBA Successfully Challenges Washington Gas Multi-Million Dollar Revenue Guarantee in DC.
- The DC Public Service Commission's (PSC) Order of Dec. 17, 2010 denied the request by Washington Gas for approval of a Revenue Normalization Adjustment (RNA). The implementation of the RNA would have guaranteed the revenues of Washington Gas from decline due to energy efficiency, weather, and other factors that could result in lost revenues to the Company. If the Washington Gas RNA had been approved, ratepayers would have seen a \$0.05 cent per therm increase in monthly gas bills effective January 2011, guaranteeing millions in revenues for the Company.
- ➤ The PSC agreed with AOBA's argument that it was more appropriate to consider the RNA in the next Washington Gas rate case with updated information, and not as a single issue ratemaking proposal. AOBA also opposed the implementation of the RNA because it was unnecessary, inappropriate and would increase charges to commercial customers. Further, AOBA argued that implementation of the RNA prior to Oct. 1, 2011 violated the terms of an earlier settlement agreement entered into between Washington Gas and AOBA and approved by the PSC.
- Washington Gas did not request an RNA in its next rate case, Formal Case No. 1093





#### Recent Purchased Gas Charges and Balancing Charges<sup>1</sup>

#### Washington Gas Purchased Gas Costs\* District of Columbia

Month, Year	Dollars Per Therm
Sep-12	\$0.5287
Oct-12	\$0.5287
Nov-12	\$0.5817
Dec-12	\$0.6035
Jan-13	\$0.6159
Feb-13	\$0.6545
Mar-13	\$0.6227
Apr-13	\$0.7491
May-13	\$0.7896
Jun-13	\$0.7539
Jul-13	\$0.6831
Aug-13	\$0.5648
Sep-13	\$0.5962
Oct-13	\$0.6380
Nov-13	\$0.6380
Dec-13	\$0.5646

#### Washington Gas Balancing Charges District of Columbia

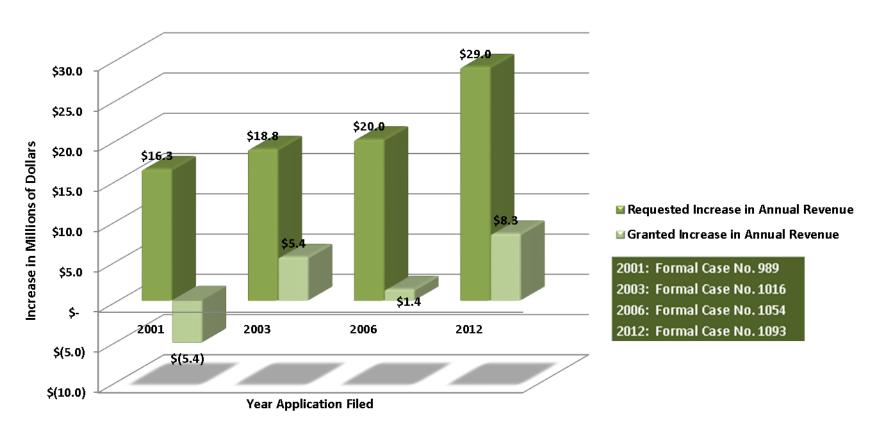
Month, Year	Dollars Per Therm
Mar 2012 - Nov 2012	\$0.0183
Dec 2012 - Feb 2013	\$0.0096
Mar 2013 - Nov 2013	\$0.0070

<sup>1</sup>Washington Gas DC Purchased Gas Costs and Balancing Charges http://www.washgas.com/pages/DCCOMWashingtonGasPurchasedGasCosts

<sup>\*</sup>Reflects purchased gas costs less balancing charges listed below. Effective April 2001, the Balancing Charge is billed to third party suppliers by Washington Gas to recover a portion of Washington Gas' capacity and peaking operation's costs. The Balancing Charge does not include a portion of Washington Gas' storage costs, which are billed separately to third party suppliers.

## Washington Gas – District of Columbia Case History

#### Summary of WGL Rate Increase Applications and Results District of Columbia







## Washington Gas Light Company Virginia





Formal Case No. PUE 2010-00139

- WGL filed a distribution rate increase request on January 31, 2011 with the State Corporation Commission ('SCC'), Formal Case No. PUE 2010-00139
- WGL requested an overall increase of \$28 million
- The Company's full requested increase became effective on October 1, 2011, subject to refund. With the Commission's final order, refunds will be provided.
- On July 2, 2012, WGL accepted the modifications to the \$20 million increase which provides no increase for GMA non-heating/non-cooling and C&I non-heating/non-cooling classes.
- Refunds were made in 2012 and for some customers in 2013
- We have no information at this time as to whether WGL will file a request for a rate increase in 2014





#### **Surcharges:**

#### SAVE Rider (accelerated infrastructure replacement), Case No. PUE-2011-0010

- ➤ The SAVE Rider was mandated by the legislation passed by the General Assembly and signed by the Governor
- ➤ On November 28, 2011, the SCC approved 2012 Save Rider Charges for WGL totaling \$3,847,432 to be recovered through bills rendered on and after January 1, 2012. The approved charges per therm for non-residential rate classifications are as follows:

Schedule 2 & 2A	\$0.0042/therm	Effective Jan. 1, 2012 – Sept. 30, 2012
Schedule 3 & 3A	\$0.0050/therm	Effective Jan. 1, 2012 – Sept. 30, 2012

➤ WGL requested to the Commission that they reconcile over-collection of the SAVE Rider revenue requirement in 2012 by not collecting for the Rider in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter 2012

Schedule 2 & 2A	\$0.0000/therm	Effective Oct. 1, 2012 – Sept. 30, 2012
Schedule 3 & 3A	\$0.0000/therm	Effective Oct. 1, 2012 – Sept. 30, 2012





#### **Surcharges:**

#### 2013 SAVE Rider (accelerated infrastructure replacement), Case No. PUE-2012-00105

➤ WGL's SAVE Rider Rates for 2013:

Schedule 2 & 2A \$0.0024/therm Effective Jan. 1, 2013 – Dec. 31, 2013 Schedule 3 & 3A \$0.0028/therm Effective Jan. 1, 2013 – Dec. 31, 2013

- ➤ The 2013 SAVE Rider rates reflect a decrease of ~ 75% over the 2012 SAVE Rider rates
- ➤ WGL files its rates in September of each year for the next calendar year





#### **Surcharges:**

2014 SAVE Rider (accelerated infrastructure replacement), Case No. PUE-2013-00099

**▶** WGL's SAVE Rider Rates for 2014:

Schedule 2 & 2A	\$0.0089/therm	Effective Jan. 1, 2014 – Dec. 31, 2014
Schedule 3 & 3A	\$0.00100/therm	Effective Jan. 1, 2014 – Dec. 31, 2014
Interruptible	\$0.0031/therm	Effective Jan. 1, 2014 – Dec. 31, 2014

- ➤ Increase in SAVE Rider rates for 2014 due to greater infrastructure activity
- ➤ WGL files its rates in September of each year for the next calendar year
- ➤ 2015 SAVE Rider Rates will be filed in September 2014





## Washington Gas – Virginia

#### Recent Purchased Gas Charges and Balancing Charges<sup>1</sup>

#### Washington Gas Purchased Gas Costs\* Virginia

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Month, Year	Commercial Customers Dollars per Therm*	Group Metered Apartments Customers Dollars per Therm*
Nov-12	\$0.5142	\$0.5733
Dec-12	\$0.4488	\$0.5746
Jan-13	\$0.4578	\$0.5835
Feb-13	\$0.4962	\$0.6220
Mar-13	\$0.4690	\$0.5929
Apr-13	\$0.5936	\$0.7175
May-13	\$0.6344	\$0.7583
Jun-13	\$0.6022	\$0.7177
Jul-13	\$0.5366	\$0.6521
Aug-13	\$0.4165	\$0.5320
Sep-13	\$0.4423	\$0.5582
Oct-13	\$0.4838	\$0.5996
Nov-13	\$0.4838	\$0.5996
Dec-13	\$0.5282	\$0.6773

<sup>\*</sup>Reflects purchased gas costs minus the balancing charges listed below. Effective April 2001, the Balancing Charge is billed to third party suppliers by Washington Gas to recover a portion of Washington Gas' capacity and peaking operation's costs. The Balancing Charge does not include a portion of Washington Gas' storage costs, which are billed separately to third party suppliers.

#### Washington Gas Balancing Charges - Virginia Commercial Customers

Month, Year	Dollars Per Therm
Mar 2012 - Nov 2012	\$0.0101
Dec 2012 - Feb 2013	\$0.0061
Mar 2013 - Nov 2013	\$0.0069

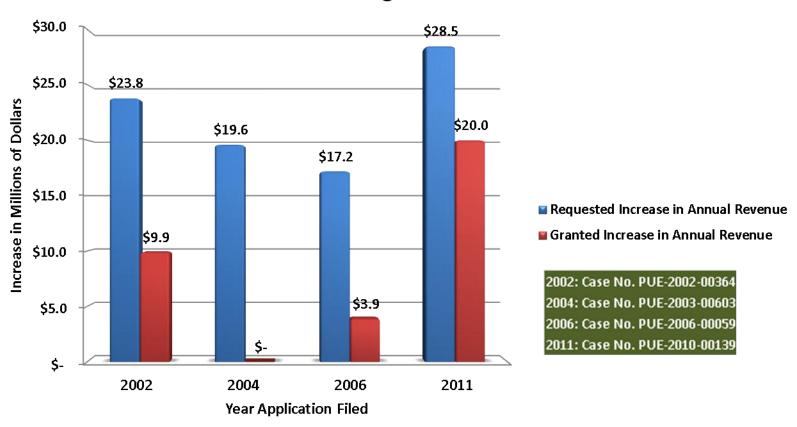
#### Washington Gas Balancing Charges - Virginia Group Metered Apartment Customers

Month, Year	Dollars Per Therm
Mar 2012 - Nov 2012	\$0.0096
Dec 2012 - Feb 2013	\$0.0051
Mar 2013 - Nov 2013	\$0.0079

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Washington Gas VA Purchased Gas Cost and Balancing Charges <a href="http://www.washgas.com/pages/VACOMWashingtonGasPurchasedGasCosts">http://www.washgas.com/pages/VACOMWashingtonGasPurchasedGasCosts</a>

## Washington Gas – Virginia Case History

## Summary of WGL Rate Increase Applications and Results Virginia







## Dominion Virginia Power Biennial Rate Review & Riders





## Dominion Virginia Power

#### Case No. PUE-2013-00020

- Filed Biennial Review of Rates on March 28, 2013
- ➤ Filing states DVP earned a 10.11% ROE, which is below the 10.9% ROE approved by the Commission in the 2011 Biennial Review
- ➤ DVP states that if the SCC finds that DVP has earned under 11.4% in 2011-2012, base rates cannot be lowered until December 2017 at the earliest
- > DVP is not seeking a base rate increase at this time
- ➤ DVP seeks 11.50% Return on Equity (ROE) to be applied to generation and distribution services for 2013-2014
- > DVP also seeks approval of a new line extension plan
  - ➤ Plan would expand use of underground lines for new Residential services
  - ➤ Plan would also enhance opportunity to convent overhead service feeds to underground lines for existing customers





## **Dominion Virginia Power**

Case No. PUE-2013-00020 (Cont.)

#### **SCC** Decision:

- > On November 26, 2013, the SCC issued a final order in the 2011-2012 biennial rate case.
- ➤ The SCC determined that Dominion Virginia Power's **base rates will be reduced slightly** since three demand-side management programs are no longer offered by the company. Other decisions set forth in the SCC's final order become the basis for the next biennial review for calendar years 2013 and 2014
- ➤ Among the significant decisions included in the SCC Order:
  - > DVP on average had earned an ROE of 10.25%, however, it was authorized to earn a minimum ROE of 10.4%
  - ➤ The SCC determined DVP experienced an under-recovery of ~\$22.7 million
  - ➤ The new **ROE** for **DVP** is now 10%
  - ➤ The SCC determined base rates should be reduced to account for three discontinued demand side management programs; base rates are estimated to be lowered by ~ \$7.9 million
- ➤ Changes were made to the tariffs and DVP has been directed to file revised tariff pages in accordance with the SCC Order





#### **Current and Proposed Surcharges**

Rider	Description/Rate	Previous <u>Rate</u>	New <u>Rate</u>	Effective Date of New Rate	Percent <u>Difference</u>
S	New Coal Plant (VC	CHEC) <sup>1</sup> Previous	s rates in effect 4	1/1/2012-3/31/2013	
	GS-1	0.335 ¢/kWh	0.343 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	2%
	<b>GS-2 Non-Dem</b>	0.302 ¢/kWh	0.366 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	2%
	<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	0.302 ¢/kWh	0.366 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	2%
	GS-3	1.282 \$/kW	1.326 \$/kW <sup>2</sup>	4/1/2013	3%
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	1.253 \$/kW	1.245 \$/kW <sup>2</sup>	4/1/2013	(0.6)%
1	Rates for Rider S and	Rider R change aı	nnually on April 1st		

<sup>2</sup> Applied to On-Peak Electric Demand





		<b>Previous</b>	New	<b>Effective Date</b>	Percent
<u>Rider</u>	Description/Rate	<u>Rate</u>	Rate	of New Rate	<u>Difference</u>
R	Gas-Fired Generating F	Plant (Bear Garden) ¹	Previous rates in ef	fect 4/1/2012 – 3/31/	′13
	GS-1	0.101 ¢/kWh	0.108 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	7%
	<b>GS-2 Non-Dem</b>	0.091 ¢/kWh	0.115 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	26%
	<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	0.091 ¢/kWh	0.115 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	26%
	GS-3	0.385 \$/kW	0.418 \$/kW <sup>2</sup>	4/1/2013	9%
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	0.366 \$/kW	0.392 \$/kW <sup>2</sup>	4/1/2013	7%
T1	Transmission Previous	rates in effect 4/1/201	2 – 9/1/12		
	GS-1	0.558 ¢/kWh	-0.053 ¢/kWh	9/1/12 <sup>3</sup>	
	<b>GS-2 Non-Dem</b>	1.239 ¢/kWh	-0.159 ¢/kWh	9/1/12 <sup>3</sup>	
	<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	1.674 \$/kW	-0.219 \$/kW	9/1/12 <sup>3</sup>	
	GS-3	2.077 \$/kW	-0.177 \$/kW	9/1/12 <sup>3</sup>	
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	1.527 \$/kW	-0.512 \$/kW	9/1/12 <sup>3</sup>	

<sup>1</sup> Rates for Rider S and Rider R change annually on April 1<sup>st</sup>

<sup>2</sup> Applied to On-Peak Electricity Supply Demand

Rates effective for usage on and after 4/1/12, on an interim basis, Rates from 3/31/12-8/31/12 were 0.00 ¢/kWh and 0.00 \$/kW. New Rates effective 9/1/12.





A Fuel Charge Adjustment As of 7-1-13 Effective 12-1-13 1 All Rates 2.942 ¢/kWh 2.572 ¢/kWh 12/1/13  C1 Peak Shaving ¹ current rates in effect 1/27/12 GS-1 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-2 Non-Dem 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-3 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-4 Primary 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-2 Non-Dem 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-2 Demand 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-3 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-3 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-4 Primary 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹	Rider	Description/Rate	Current <u>Rate</u>	New <u>Rate</u>	Effective Date of New Rate
GS-1 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-2 Non-Dem 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-2 Demand 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-3 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-4 Primary 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹  C2 Energy Efficiency ¹ current rates in effect 1/27/12 GS-1 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-2 Non-Dem 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-2 Demand 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹ GS-3 0.000 ¢/kWh ¹	A	9			12/1/13
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GS-2 Demand 0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup> GS-3 0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		GS-1	0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		
GS-3 0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		<b>GS-2 Non-Dem</b>	0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		
		<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		
GS-4 Primary 0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		GS-3	0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		
		<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	0.000 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> SCC Approved, Case No. PUE-2013-00042, updated November 20, 2013 2 For C1 and C2, rates effective for usage on and after 1/27/12, on an interim basis.





Rider	<b>Description/Rate Class</b>	Previous Rate	New Rate	Effective Date	% Difference
INCREM	ENT RIDERS –				
C1A	Peak Shaving Increment R	ider Previous rates e	ffective 5/10/12 –	5/3/13	
	GS-1	0.007 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.005 ¢/kWh 1	5/4/13	- 40%
	<b>GS-2 Non-Dem</b>	0.006 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.005 ¢/kWh 1	5/4/13	- 20%
	<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	0.006 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.005 ¢/kWh 1	5/4/13	- 20%
	GS-3	0.005 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.004 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	5/4/13	- 25%
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	0.005 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.003 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	5/4/13	- 67%
C2A	Energy Efficiency Increme	nt Rider Previous rate	es effective 5/10/1	12 - 5/3/13	
	GS-1	0.017 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.034 ¢/kWh 1	5/4/13	100%
	<b>GS-2 Non-Dem</b>	0.015 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.031 ¢/kWh 1	5/4/13	106%
	GS-2 Demand	0.015 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.031 ¢/kWh 1	5/4/13	106%
	GS-3	0.013 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.027 ¢/kWh 1	5/4/13	107%
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	0.010 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	0.019 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup>	5/4/13	90%

<sup>1</sup> This increment is not part of the Distribution kWh Charge included in the Distribution Service Charges section of the Rate Schedules, nor is this increment part of the Distribution kWh Charge included in the Other Monthly Charges section of the Special Contracts. Therefore, such increment shall be applied in addition to the Distribution rates stated in the Rate Schedules and the Special Contracts.





Rider	Description/Rate	<b>Previous Rate</b>	Current Rate Et	fective Date	%Difference
W	Warren Co. Power Sta	tion Previous rates in e	effect 4/1/2012 – 3/31/13		
	GS-1	0.046 ¢/kWh	0.115 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	150%
	<b>GS-2 Non-Dem</b>	0.042 ¢/kWh	0.122 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup> , 0.449 \$/kW	<sup>1</sup> 4/1/2013	190%
	<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	0.042 ¢/kWh	0.122 ¢/kWh², 0.449 \$/kW	<sup>12</sup> 4/1/2013	190%
	GS-3	0.177 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	0.444 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	4/1/2013	151%
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	0.173 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	0.417 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	4/1/2013	141%
В	Biomass Conversions	Previous rates in effect	t 4/1/2012 – 3/31/13		
	GS-1	0.009 ¢/kWh	0.017 ¢/kWh	4/1/2013	89%
	GS-2 Non-Dem	0.008 ¢/kWh	0.018 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup> , 0.067 \$/kW	<sup>1</sup> 4/1/2013	125%
	<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	0.008 ¢/kWh	0.018 ¢/kWh², 0.067 \$/kW		125%
	GS-3	0.034 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	0.066 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	4/1/2013	94%
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	0.033 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	0.062 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	4/1/2013	88%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>If the monthly Load Factor is less than or equal to 50%, the Energy Rate (kWh) applies; otherwise the Demand Charge (kW) applies to the kW of Demand. Load Factor is calculated as Monthly Total kWh ÷ the number of Days in the Billing Month ÷ 24 ÷ the Maximum Measured kW of Demand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If the monthly Load Factor is less than or equal to 50%, the Energy Rate (kWh) applies; otherwise the Demand Charge (kW) applies to the On-Peak Electricity Supply Demand. Load Factor is calculated as Monthly Total kWh ÷ the number of Days in the Billing Month ÷ 24 ÷ the Maximum Measured kW of Demand.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Applied to On-Peak Electricity Supply Demand.





#### **Dominion Virginia Power**

#### **NEW** Rate Riders

Rider	<b>Description/Rate</b>	<u>Rate</u>	<b>Effective Date</b>
BW Bruns	wick County Power Station		
	GS-1	0.059 ¢/kWh	9/1/2013
	GS-2 Non-Dem	0.063 ¢/kWh <sup>1</sup> , \$0.230/ \$/kW <sup>1</sup>	9/1/2013
	<b>GS-2 Demand</b>	0.063 ¢/kWh, \$0.230/ \$/kW <sup>2</sup>	9/1/2013
	GS-3	0.229 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	9/1/2013
	<b>GS-4 Primary</b>	0.217 \$/kW <sup>3</sup>	9/1/2013

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Applied to On-Peak Electricity Supply Demand.





## Pepco DC Undergrounding Status District of Columbia

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- ➤ On May 15, 2013, the District of Columbia Mayor accepted the recommendations in an interim report presented by the Power Line Undergrounding Task Force (established in August 2012)
  - A seven year, \$1 billion program to underground up to 60 high voltage distribution feeder lines, which historically have been most impacted by storms and overhead related outages
  - ➤ The implementation of the recommendations is expected to result in 95% improved reliability for customers served by those power lines
- Funding would be split 50/50 between Pepco and the District of Columbia (District)
  - ➤ Pepco's funding will be approximately 50% debt and 50% equity (from parent) totaling \$500 million
  - ➤ District's funding will be \$375 million in securitized bonds and \$62-\$125 million in District Department of Transportation improvement funds
  - Pepco cost recover through a consumer surcharge until assets are moved to rate base
  - For residential customers, the rat impact will start at about \$1.50 per month and will increase to a maximum of \$3.25 after seven years, or about a 3.23% increase in total bill
- Next steps to execute recommendations, enabling legislation is required to:
  - Authorize the securitization financing mechanism
  - ➤ Direct the Public Service Commission (PSC) to establish a surcharge to recover debt payments associated with the securitized bonds
  - Direct the PSC to establish a surcharge to allow Pepco timely recovery of costs associated with the undergrounding work

#### AOBA Assessment of Rate Impacts for DC Undergrounding Plan Pepco Financing Assumptions

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			Pepco Financing	Securitized Bonds	Total
Invested Capital Assumed Rate of Retu	rn		\$ 500,000,000 6.50%	The state of the s	\$ 875,000,000
Return on Investment Taxes on Equity Return			\$ 32,500,000 \$ 8,418,508	\$ 9,375,000	\$ 41,875,000 \$ 8,418,508
Depreciation/Loan Amo			50	yrs 15 yrs	
Depreciation/Loan Amo			\$ 10,000,000	' '	\$ 30,912,421
Total Revenue Require	ement		\$ 50,918,508	\$ 30,287,421	\$ 81,205,929
Pepco Capital Cost fo	or Increment	al Financing		Composite	Tax
		Cost	Weighted	Tax	Adjusted
		Rate	Cost Rate	Factor	Cost Rate
Long-Term Debt	50.00%	3.50%	1.75%		1.75%
Common Equity	50.00%	9.50%	4.75%	58.51625%	8.12%
Total	100.00%		6.50%		9.87%
		FC 1087		Undergrounding	Percent
		Compliance		Revenue	Base Rate
Allocation by Class		Filing		Requirement	Increase
Commercial		\$ 236,178,302	78.09%		22.66%
MMA		\$ 12,284,996	4.06%		34.17%
Residential (Excl RAD) Other (Metro/Blue Plair		\$ 46,410,209 \$ 7,570,649	15.35% 2.50%		20.02% 23.15%
Total	is/Ot Lgts)	\$ 302,444,156	100.00%		22.23%
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Residential Surcharge	e Revenue (F	Per Press Releas	e)		
			Annual Cost	No. of	Annual
		Rate	Per Customer	Customers	Revenue
Year 1		\$ 1.50	\$ 18.00	,	\$ 3,880,800
Years 6 - 9		\$ 3.25	\$ 39.00	247,657	\$ 9,658,609
Residential Full Implem	nentation (Yr	6-9) Revenue Red	luirement		\$ 12,461,091
Residential Revenue S Percent Revenue Shor					\$ 2,802,482 29.0%
Adjusted Year 7 Rate p Adjusted Year 7 Reven					\$ 4.19 \$ 50.32





# Pepco Rate Increase Request District of Columbia





### Pepco DC - Formal Case No. 1103

- ➤ Base Rate Increase Request Filed March 8, 2013
- ➤ The Company is seeking:
  - √ \$52.1 Million rate increase request, revised from the original request of \$51.745 Million, further revised to \$44.1 million
  - ✓ An 8.07% Rate of Return (ROR), Revised from the original request of 8.23%. Currently authorized ROR is 8.03%
  - ✓ A 10.25% Return of Equity (ROE), an increase from the currently authorized ROE of 9.5%

#### > Drivers:

- ✓ Pepco argues a rate increase is needed to pay for reliability investments and to improve service to customers
- ➢ Hearings have concluded. PSC Final Order Expected 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2014





## Pepco DC - Formal Case No. 1103 Potential Budget Impacts

#### Requested Distribution Increases by Rate Class<sup>1</sup>:

Rate Class	Increase in Distribution
	<b>Over Present Rates</b>
Residential	33.1%
RAD	22.1%
RTM	15.9%
RES-AE	31.2%
Master Metered Apts (MMA)	-21.5%
GS-LV	14.1%
GS-HV	12.0%
GT-LV	15.8%
GT-3B	16.4%
GT-3A	15.4%
METRO	16.2%
SL-E	24.9%
ST LGHT-s	16.6%
TN	12.9%
Overall Increase	16.6%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Increase percentages from Pepco Application Filed on March 8, 2013, Pepco (I)-1, p 1 of 19





## Pepco - DC

#### **Other Charges:**

#### **Energy Assistance Trust Fund Surcharge**

Effective for Billing Months of October 2010 & After \$0.00006070 per kWh

#### **Public Space Occupancy Surcharge**

Rate Effective March 1, 2011 \$0.00194 per kWh

Rate Effective March 1, 2013 \$0.00199 per kWh

#### **Delivery Tax Surcharge**

Rate Effective February 20, 2008 \$0.0077 per kWh

#### Residential AID Surcharge (RADS)

Effective for Service On and After June 1, 2011 \$0.000691 per kWh

Effective for Service On and After October 1, 2012 \$0.000515 per kWh

#### Sustainable Energy Trust Fund Surcharge

Rate Effective October 1, 2010 \$0.00150 per kWh





## Pepco – DC

#### Bill Stabilization Adjustment (\$/kWh)

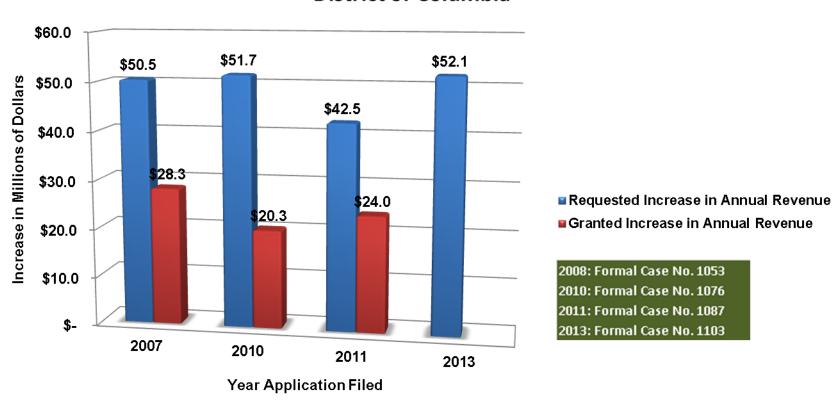
Recomputed Monthly; charges can vary noticeably from month-to-month.

The monthly charge is capped at 10% of base distribution charge. Any amount in excess of the cap is deferred for recovery in a future month.

	Oct-13	<b>Nov-13</b>	Dec-13
Rate Class			
R	0.002797	0.002863	0.001525
AE	0.000738	0.001571	0.001409
RTM	0.004602	0.004726	0.004656
GS ND	(0.005232)	(0.004787)	(0.004590)
GSD	0.005010	0.004282	0.004241
GS HV	(0.004611)	(0.003775)	(0.003787)
GTLV	0.002970	0.003117	0.002959
GT3A	0.001323	0.000267	0.000961
GT3B	0.000201	0.000211	0.000174

## Pepco- District of Columbia Case History

## Summary of Pepco Rate Increase Applications and Results District of Columbia







# Pepco Rate Increase Request Maryland





Case No. 9311

- Base Rate Increase Request Filed November 30, 2012
- > The Company is seeking:
  - ✓ A **\$60.8 Million** rate increase
  - ✓ Approval of a Separate Infrastructure Surcharge, or Grid Resiliency Charge to fund accelerated investments in reliability
    - Surcharge would permit the Company to pass-through additional rate increases without having to file a rate case before the MD PSC
  - ✓ A ROR of 8.06% based on a 10.25% Return on Equity (ROE), an increase from the currently authorized ROE of 9.31%





Case No. 9311

#### **Commission Decision and Results:**

- ➤ On July 12, 2013, the MD PSC approved a \$27.883 Million increase, Order No. 85724. The Company requested a rate increase of \$60.827 Million.
- Pepco may earn a 9.36% Return on Equity; Pepco requested a 10.25% Return on Equity
- ➤ In recognition of Governor O'Malley's Task Force Report, PSC approved \$24 million for a Priority Feeders project to accelerate the hardening of 24 feeders that are prone to outages during major storm events, 12 feeders each in 2014 and 2015, with conditions rejected \$151 million selective undergrounding (further study necessary –may help in DC), and \$17 million accelerated vegetation management
- New Case Filed December 4, 2013, Case No. 9336





## Pepco Maryland - Case No. 9311 **Budget Impacts**

#### **Distribution Increases by Rate Class:**

Rate Class	Proposed Increase in Distribution Over Present Rates <sup>1</sup>	Approved Increase in Distribution Over Present Rates <sup>2</sup>
Residential	19.47%	8.92%
RTM	19.47%	8.92%
GS-LV	12.13%	5.56%
MGT-LV	12.13%	5.56%
MGT-3A	0.00%	0.00%
GT-LV	12.13%	5.56%
GT-3B	0.00%	0.00%
GT-3A	12.13%	5.56%
TM-RT	12.13%	5.56%
SL	12.13%	5.56%
SSL	12.13%	5.56%
TN	0.00%	0.00%
Overall Increase	16.0%	7.30%

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}$  Increase percentages from Pepco Application Filed on November 26, 2012  $^{\rm 2}$  Pepco Compliance Filing , Case No. 9311, Attachment B, page 1 of 18





**NEW** Case No. 9336

- ➤ NEW Base Rate Increase Request Filed December 4, 2013
- ➤ The Company is seeking:
  - ✓ A \$43,343,000 million increase in distribution rates
  - ✓ An authorized rate of return on equity of 10.25%, an increase from the current ROE of 9.36%
  - ✓ New rates effective July 4, 2014





## Pepco Maryland - Case No. 9336 Potential Budget Impacts

#### **Distribution Increases by Rate Class:**

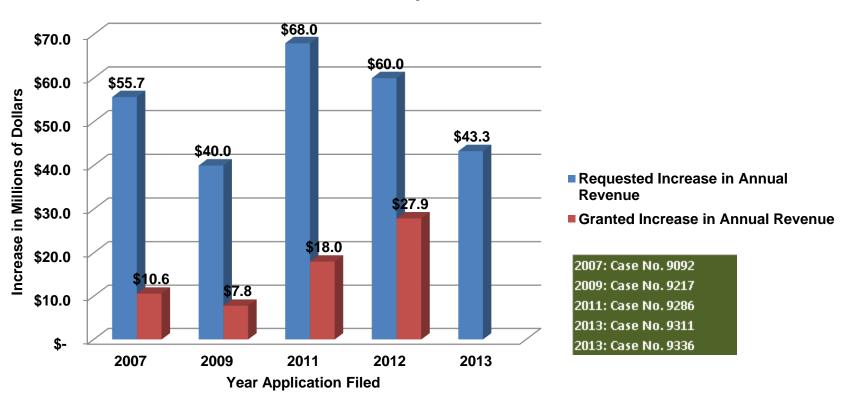
	<u>Proposed</u> Increase in Distribution		
Rate Class			
	Over Present Rates <sup>1</sup>		

Residential	12.28%
RTM	12.28%
GS-LV	8.04 %
MGT-LV	8.04%
MGT-3A	0.00%
GT-LV	8.04 %
GT-3B	0.00 %
GT-3A	12.28 %
TM-RT	8.04%
SL SSL	8.04 %
SSL	12.28 %
TN	0.00 %
Overall Increase	10.6 %

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Increase percentages from Pepco Application Filed on December 3, 2013

## Pepco- Maryland Case History

#### Summary of Pepco Rate Increase Applications and Results Maryland







# Pepco Other Charges Maryland





NEW - Grid Resiliency Charge Rider - Rider "GRC" 1

#### MONTHLY CHARGES AND RATES:

Rate Schedule	Effective January 1, 2014
"R"	\$0.00006 per kwhr
"R-TM"	\$0.00004 per kwhr
"GS", "T", "EV"	\$0.00006 per kwhr
"MGT LV II", "MGT LV III"	\$0.0135 per kw of maximum demand
"MGT 3A II", "MGT 3A III"	\$0.0127 per kw of maximum demand
"GT LV"	\$0.0143 per kw of maximum demand
"GT 3A"	\$0.0095 per kw of maximum demand
"GT 3B"	\$0.0066 per kw of maximum demand
"TM-RT"	\$5.92 per month per delivery point
"SL"	\$0.00004 per kwhr
"TN"	\$0.00004 per kwhr
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The Grid Resiliency Charge is currently expected to remain in effect for approximately three years beginning in January 2014, and thereafter will continue in effect until the completion of the first rate case filed after all of approved grid resiliency-related projects are placed into service.

Pepco MD Electric Tariff, Original Page No. 56, Based on \$25 million from Case No. 9311





#### Monthly BSA Charges (\$/kWh)

- ✓ Since first implementation in 2007, Commercial classes frequently subject to Maximum Monthly 10% Adjustment
- ✓ Large Deferred Balances have accumulated for MGT-3A, GT-LV, and MGT-LV classes
- ✓ Those Large Deferred Balances ensure that identified classes will continue to pay Maximum Monthly (10%) rate adjustments well into the future

Rate Class	Oct-13	<u>Nov-13</u>	<u>Dec-13</u>
R	0.005140	0.003503	0.003248
R-TM	0.003564	0.003734	0.003430
GS	0.003850	(0.000437)	0.003351
MGT-LV	0.001791	0.001437	0.001568
MGT-3A	0.002129	0.001492	0.001431
GT-LV	0.002348	0.001690	0.001626
GT-3A	0.001374	0.000969	0.000941
GT-3B	0.000897	0.000644	0.000649
Т	0.006871	0.003237	0.003146
EV	(0.001057)	(0.000805)	(0.000839)

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#### **Montgomery County Energy Tax**

Tax Rate as of 6-30-10 \$0.01384 per kWh

Tax Rate Effective 7-1-10 through 6-30-12 \$0.02210 per kWh

Tax Rate Effective 7-1-11 through 6-30-12 \$0.02259 per kWh

Tax Rate Effective 7-1-12 through 6-30-13 \$0.0217063 per kWh

Tax Rate Effective 7-1-13 through 6-30-14 \$0.020370 per kWh

#### **Prince Georges County Energy Tax**

Rate Effective 7/1/12 \$0.0064890 per kWh

Rate Effective 7/1/13 \$0.0059080 per kWh

#### Maryland Environmental Surcharge (Rider "MES")

Effective 7/1/12 through 6/30/14 \$0.000150 per kWh

Delivery Tax \$0.000620 per kWh

## Fuel/Energy Tax Estimates Montgomery County, Maryland Through FY 2019

	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
Current Law Collect % change	\$226,148,664 -3.1%			•			•	
Forecast		11 11 12 18 18	47 37 5 6 3 S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	udylead of	FORECAST		,	
December 12 Update		\$224,730,000	\$228,030,000	\$231,810,000	\$235,280,000	\$237,220,000	\$238,070,000	\$240,790,000
FY14 Budget (3/13)		\$219,060,000	\$222,300,000	\$225,970,000	\$229,550,000	\$232,030,000	\$233,430,000	\$234,750,000
Difference	1	(\$5,670,000)	(\$5,730,000)	(\$5,840,000)	(\$5,730,000)	(\$5,190,000)	(\$4,640,000)	(\$6,040,000)
Growth Factor		-3.1%	1.5%	1.7%	1.6%	1.1%	0.6%	0.6%
% change	į							. 1
December '12 Update		-0.6%	1:5%	1.7%	1.5%	0.8%	0.4%	1.1%
FY14 Budget (3/13)		-3.1%	1.5%	1.7%	1.6%	1.1%	0.6%	0.6%
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Growth Factors :								
- Households (Calendar Year)		1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%
- Businesses (1)	.	0.9%	1.7%	2.0%	1.8%	1.1%	0.3%	0.3%
Total	•	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.9%	2.2%	1.4%	1.4%
Weighted Average								
Growth Factor:		1.0%	1.5%	1.7%	1.6%	1.1%	0.6%	0.6%
- Add factor (weather		0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
and consumption)								
Agricultural Adjustment		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Rate change		-4.6%						
Total		-3.1%	1.5%	1.7%	1.6%	1.1%	0.6%	0.6%
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•	FY12 est.	FY13 est.	FY14 est.	FY15 est.	FY16 est.	FY17 est.	FY18 est.	FY18 est.
Energy Tax from Residential	\$83,756,972	\$75,892,830	\$77,015,320	\$78,286,783	\$79,527,066	\$80,386,256	\$80,871,283	\$81,328,594
Number of households	360,960	368,840	372,840	377,000	381,090	385,220	389,400	389,400
Average Tax per Household	\$232	\$206	\$207	\$208	\$209	\$209	\$208	\$209
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Energy Tax from Non-Residential	\$142,391,692	\$143,167,170	\$145,284,680	\$147,683,217	\$150,022,934	\$151,643,744	\$152,558,717	\$153,421,406

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