

**NOTICE OF HEARING TO CONSIDER
THE ADOPTION OF STANDARDS UNDER
THE INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT AND JOBS ACT**

Pursuant to amendments included in the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (the “Act”) to the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978, 16 U.S.C. § 2601 et seq., as amended, the Board of Directors of Nodak Electric Cooperative Inc. (hereafter the “Cooperative”) will hold a paper hearing on Tuesday, October 3, 2023, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at 4000 32nd Ave S, Grand Forks, ND 58201 to consider the following:

- 1) Whether the Cooperative will:
 - a. promote the use of demand-response and demand flexibility practices by commercial, residential, and industrial consumers to reduce electricity consumption during periods of unusually high demand; and,
 - b. establish rate mechanisms for the timely recovery of the costs of promoting demand-response and demand flexibility practices. 16 U.S.C. § 2621(d)(20).
- 2) Whether the Cooperative will consider measures to promote greater electrification of the transportation sector, including establishing rates that:
 - a. promote affordable and equitable electric vehicle charging options for residential, commercial, and public electric vehicle charging infrastructure;
 - b. improve the customer experience associated with electric vehicle charging, including by reducing charging times for light-, medium-, and heavy-duty vehicles;
 - c. accelerate third-party investment in electric vehicle charging for light-, medium-, and heavy-duty vehicles; and,
 - d. appropriately recover the marginal costs of delivering electricity to electric vehicles and electric vehicle charging infrastructure. 16 U.S.C. § 2621(d)(21).

All members of the Cooperative may participate by submitting written comments for consideration of the Board by delivering to the Cooperative at the address set forth below by close of business on September 15, 2023, a written statement detailing their position relative to the adoption of one or both of the above-proposed standards and any response to the written position of the Cooperative staff relative to all of the standards which will be available on or before August 1, 2023. Procedural rules and other information relating to the proceedings and how to participate may be obtained on the Cooperative’s web site at www.nodakelectric.com, or through a written request mailed to the following address:

Nodak Electric Cooperative
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