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Response to Proposed UNC Modification 0297: "Extending Rights to Protected Information Provisions for Meter Asset Managers / Registered Metering Applicants"

Dear Tim,

First Utility supports the above Proposed UNC Modification.

It would seem appropriate to align information provision processes in the gas industry with those of the electricity industry in order to avoid discrepancies between the two.

In addition, the implementation of the Modification will provide a "single version of the truth" relating to information provided to MAMs and will promote efficiency by reducing the number of requests for this information made to Shippers.

If any Transporter Agency cost related to providing this information is incurred, we agree with the proposer that it would be appropriate for the Registered Metering Applicant to be liable for this cost.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or would like any further information.

Regards,

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