



Public Service Commission of West Virginia

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PSC Announces Public Comment Hearings on APCo and WPCo Rate Case

The Public Service Commission has scheduled ten public comment hearings in the pending Appalachian Power Company and Wheeling Power Company, together American Electric Power (AEP) Rate Case. Those hearings will be held:

- November 5, 2014, 1:00 pm, Bradshaw Community Center, Bradshaw
- November 5, 2014, 6:00 pm, Bradshaw Community Center, Bradshaw
- November 6, 2014, 1:00 pm, Mercer County Courthouse, Princeton
- November 6, 2014, 6:00 pm, Mercer County Courthouse, Princeton
- November 13, 2014, 1:00 pm, Cabell County Courthouse, Huntington
- November 13, 2014, 6:00 pm, Cabell County Courthouse, Huntington
- November 20, 2014, 1:00 pm, Ohio County Courthouse, City-County Complex, Wheeling
- November 20, 2014, 6:00 pm, Ohio County Courthouse, City-County Complex, Wheeling
- January 12, 2015, 1:00 pm, PSC Office, 201 Brooks Street, Charleston
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AEP has requested a \$226 million or approximately 17 percent, increase of rates and charges for their West Virginia customers. It has also requested a revision of its depreciation rates. The Commission has set an evidentiary hearing in these matters for January 13 - 16, 2015, in Charleston.

AEP serves approximately 476,600 customers in Boone, Cabell, Clay, Fayette, Greenbrier, Jackson, Kanawha, Lincoln, Logan, Marshall, Mason, McDowell, Mercer, Mingo, Monroe, Nicholas, Ohio, Putnam, Raleigh, Roane, Summers, Wayne, and Wyoming Counties. More information may be obtained from the PSC website: www.psc.state.wv.us by referencing Case Nos. 14-1151-E-D and 14-1152-E-42T.

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