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Aida Camacho-Welch, Secretary New Jersey Board of Public Utilities 44 South Clinton Avenue, 3rd Fl, Ste 314 P.O. Box 350 Trenton, NJ 08625-0350

Re: IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF A RATE ADJUSTMENT PURSUANT TO THE INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT PROGRAM ("IIP")
BPU Docket No._____

Dear Secretary Camacho-Welch:

Enclosed please find a Petition and supporting documents of Elizabethtown Gas Company which have been filed electronically today through the Board's e-filing program. Due to the pandemic, and in accordance with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU") March 19, 2020 Order issued in BPU Docket No. EO20030254, hard copies are not being provided at this time, but can be provided at a later time, as needed.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me directly.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF	х :	BPU DOCKET NO.
ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY FOR	:	
APPROVAL OF A RATE ADJUSTMENT	:	
PURSUANT TO THE INFRASTRUCTURE	:	CASE SUMMARY
INVESTMENT PROGRAM ("IIP")		

Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Elizabethtown" or the "Company") files this Petition for approval of a rate adjustment pursuant to the Company's Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP"), which was approved by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("BPU") on June 12, 2019 in BPU Docket No. GR18101197. With the IIP, Elizabethtown is authorized to invest up to \$300 million in the Company's gas distribution system over the five (5) year period, July 1, 2019 through June 20, 2024, to replace up to 250 miles of cast iron and bare steel mains and related services, as well as the installation of excess flow valves on new service lines ("IIP Projects"). This filing reflects investments associated with in-service IIP Projects during Year 1 of the IIP, which is the period July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.

Cost recovery for IIP Projects is effectuated by an annual rate adjustment effective on October 1. The present Petition seeks Board approval to recover the revenue requirements associated with IIP Projects placed in service during the period July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, through a rate adjustment to take effect on October 1, 2020.

If approved by the Board, the impact of the proposed rate adjustment on the bill of a residential heating customer using 100 therms is a monthly increase of \$1.98 from \$105.63 to \$107.61, an increase of 1.9%, as compared to the Company's present rates.

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ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY FOR	:	BPU DOCKET NO
APPROVAL OF A RATE ADJUSTMENT	:	
PURSUANT TO THE INFRASTRUCTURE	:	VERIFIED PETITION
INVESTMENT PROGRAM ("IIP")	:	
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To The Honorable Board of Public Utilities:

Petitioner, Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Elizabethtown" or "Company"), a public utility corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Jersey subject to the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Utilities ("Board"), respectfully states:

I. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

- 1. Petitioner's principal business office is located at 520 Green Lane, Union, NJ, 07083.
- 2. Communications and correspondence concerning these proceedings should be sent as follows:

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- 3. Petitioner is engaged in the business of transmission and distribution of natural and mixed gas to approximately 295,000 customers within its service territory located principally in Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Morris, Sussex, Union and Warren Counties.
- 4. Elizabethtown is filing this Petition to seek approval of a rate adjustment to provide for cost recovery associated with the Company's Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") as approved by a Board Order dated June 12, 2019 in BPU Docket No. GR18101197 ("IIP Order"). The IIP Order adopted a Stipulation ("Stipulation") that established an IIP cost recovery process that is effectuated by annual rate adjustment filings ("Annual Filings") made in April of each year. The IIP Order and Stipulation authorizes this Annual Filing on April 30, 2020 for rates to be effective on or before October 1, 2020.

II. <u>BACKGROUND</u>

- 5. The IIP Order and Stipulation authorized Elizabethtown to implement the IIP which includes accelerated capital investment in Elizabethtown's gas distribution system and related cost recovery.
- 6. Under the IIP, the Company is authorized to invest up to \$300 million ("Program Cost Cap") in the Company's gas distribution system over the five (5) year period, July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024, to replace up to 250 miles of cast iron and bare steel mains and related services, as well as the installation of excess flow valves ("EFVs") on new service lines ("IIP Projects"). The Program Cost Cap is derived by applying a cost per mile cap of \$1.2 million per mile to an IIP mileage cap of 250 miles over the five (5) year term of the IIP. The \$300 million Program Cost Cap excludes Allowance for Funds Used During Construction ("AFUDC") and certain Baseline Capital Spending Amounts which are to recovered by the Company through base rates.

7. As reflected in the Stipulation, the IIP Projects are intended to enhance distribution safety and reliability to the benefit of Elizabethtown's customers, to help support the environment, and to facilitate economic development and employment in New Jersey. The IIP Projects and amounts are incremental to the Company's normal capital spending budget.

III. REQUEST FOR COST RECOVERY OF IIP PROJECT INVESTMENTS

- 8. Through this Petition, which represents the Company's first Annual Filing, Elizabethtown seeks Board approval to recover the revenue requirements associated with in-service IIP Projects during Year 1 of the IIP, which is the period July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, as well as certain IIP non-construction expenditures, such as planning and engineering of IIP Projects incurred as of July 1, 2019. The IIP investments projected to be in service during Year 1 of the IIP total approximately \$60.0 million, excluding AFUDC and the costs of the IIP Independent Monitor and methane leak survey. The Company further proposes that the IIP rate adjustment take place on October 1, 2020 as authorized by the IIP Order and Stipulation. The Schedules attached to the Direct Testimony of Thomas Kaufmann, Manager, Rates and Tariffs, set forth the calculation of the revenue requirement, which is calculated in accordance with the IIP Order and Stipulation.
- 9. With this Annual Filing, the Company includes actual data through March 31, 2020 and projected data through June 30, 2020. The projected data for the period April 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020 will be replaced with actual data in a 12+0 update filing to be made with the Board no later than July 15, 2020.
- 10. The IIP rate adjustment sought herein and authorized by the IIP Order and Stipulation are subject to the requirements that: (1) this rate filing includes plant in-service additions during the filing period in excess of \$30 million; and (2) the Company's calculated return on equity ("ROE") not exceed the allowed ROE from its last base rate case by 50 basis points or more. These requirements have been satisfied for this Annual Filing as set forth in testimony of Mr. Kaufmann

and Mr. Michael P. Scacifero. Elizabethtown is also required to comply with certain baseline capital spending requirements, which as discussed by Mr. Scacifero have also been satisfied.

- 11. Pursuant to the IIP Order and Stipulation, the rate adjustment proposed herein is based on the rate design methodology utilized to set base rates in the Company's most recent base rate case in BPU Docket No. Docket No. GR19040486.
- 12. The impact of the proposed IIP rate adjustment on a residential heating customer using 100 therms in a winter month would be an increase of \$1.98 from \$105.63 to \$107.61, an increase of 1.9%, as compared to the Company's present rates.

IV. SUPPORTING TESTIMONY

- 13. Attached hereto and incorporated herein is the testimony of:
 - Thomas Kaufmann, Manager, Rates and Tariffs, Elizabethtown Gas Company;
 and
 - Michael P. Scacifero, Director, Engineering Services, Elizabethtown Gas Company.

V. MINIMUM FILING REQUIREMENTS

14. In accordance with the IIP Order and Stipulation, Elizabethtown is required to provide in its Annual Filings information responsive to certain Minimum Filing Requirements ("MFRs"). A summary of the MFRs and their location in this Annual Filing is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

VI. PUBLIC NOTICE

15. Elizabethtown will provide notice of the filing of this Petition for the IIP rate adjustment and modification of its Tariff to all of its customers through the publication of a public notice in newspapers of general circulation within the Company's service territory. A copy of the proposed Public Notice is attached as hereto as Exhibit B.

16. The municipalities and counties served by Elizabethtown will be further notified of the filing of this Petition by letter to be mailed upon publication of the Public Notice.

VII. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>

- 17. The Company is serving notice of this Petition and supporting documentation on the Director, Division of Rate Counsel ("Rate Counsel") via electronic mail in lieu of providing hard copies. Due to the pandemic, and in accordance with the BPU's March 19, 2020 Order issued in BPU Docket No. EO20030254, hard copies cannot be provided at this time, but can be provided at a later time, as needed.
- 18. Similarly, Elizabethtown has also served notice on the Department of Law and Public Safety ("Department of Law") via electronic mail in lieu of providing hard copies, but hard copies can be provided at a later time, as needed.
- 19. To the extent necessary, Elizabethtown respectfully requests a waiver of the need to provide hard copies of this Petition and supporting documentation to the Board, Rate Counsel and the Department of Law subject to copies being provided at a later time, as needed.

VIII. <u>CONCLUSION</u>

- 20. **WHEREFORE**, Elizabethtown respectfully requests that the Board retain jurisdiction of this matter and issue and final decision and order:
 - finding that Elizabethtown is authorized to effectuate the IIP rate adjustment sought by this Petition;
 - ii. granting a waiver, as necessary, of the requirement to provide hard copies of this Petition and supporting documentation to the Board, Rate Counsel and the Department of Law subject to the condition that hard copies be provided at a

later time, as needed; and

iii. granting such other and further relief as the Board shall deem just, lawful and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY

By: Deborah M. Franco

Director, Regulatory Affairs Counsel

SJI Utilities, Inc.

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DATED: April 30, 2020

VERIFICATION

I, Stefany M. Graham, of full age, being duly sworn according to law, upon my oath, depose and say:

- 1. I am Director, Rates & Regulatory Affairs of SJI Utilities Inc., the parent company to Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Company") and I am authorized to make this verification on behalf of the Company.
- 2. I have reviewed the within petition and the information contained therein is true according to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Stefany M Graham

Director, Rates & Regulatory Affairs

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of April 2020

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NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY

My Commission Expires October 28, 2023

MINIMUM FILING REQUIREMENTS (MFRs) INDEX

	Minimum Filing Requirements	Schedule
1.	Elizabethtown's income statement for the most recent 12 month period	TK-12
	ended on a quarter, as filed with the Board.	
2.	2. Elizabethtown's balance sheet for the most recent quarter, as filed with the	
	Board.	
3.	Elizabethtown's actual baseline capital spending for both the recovery	MPS-1
	period and the prior calendar year.	
4.	Elizabethtown's overall approved IIP capital budget broken down by major	MPS-2
	categories, both budgeted and actual amounts.	
5.	For each IIP project:	MPS-3
	a. The original project budget;	(items a.
	b. Expenditures incurred to date;	through c.)
	c. Work completed, including identified tasks completed, e.g. design phase,	
	material procurement, permit gathering, phases of construction, etc.;	
	d. Anticipated project timeline, including estimated completion date, with	Direct
	updates and expected and unanticipated changes, along with an explanation	Testimony
	of the reasons for any changes; and	of Michael
	e. A narrative discussion of the effectiveness of the project in improving	Scacifero
	system performance; including identification of improved facilities	at pages
	including specific feeders), where appropriate.	5-9
6.	Consistent with the methodology set out in Appendix B (of the Stipulation	TK-1 to 10
	approved in the June 12 Order), a calculation of the proposed revenue	
	requirements related to the IIP projects included in Plant-in-Service in that	
	rate recovery period. The calculation should show the actual capital	
	expenditure for the period for which the filing is made, as well as	
	supporting calculations.	TILE O
7.	A calculation of the associated depreciation expense, based on those	TK-8
0	projects close to Plant-in-Service during the period.	D'
8.	A list of any and all funds or credits received from the United States	Direct
	government, the State of New Jersey, a county or a municipality, for work	Testimony
	related to any of the IIP projects, such as relocation, reimbursement, or	of Thomas
	stimulus money, and an explanation of the financial treatment associated	Kaufmann
0	with the receipt of the government funds or credits.	at page 12
9.	Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:3-2A.6(h), the results of an earnings test calculation where ROE shall be determined based on the actual net income	TK-6
	of the Company for the most recent 12-month period ended on a calendar	

MINIMUM FILING REQUIREMENTS (MFRs) INDEX

	quarter divided by the average of the beginning and ending common equity balances for the corresponding period.	
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF A RATE ADJUSTMENT PURSUANT TO THE INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT PROGRAM ("IIP") BPU Docket No. _______

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on April 30, 2020, Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Elizabethtown") or "Company") filed a petition (Petition) with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") seeking Board approval to increase rates associated with the Company's Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP"). The Board approved the IIP and the associated cost recovery mechanism on June 12, 2019 in Docket No. GR18101197 ("Order"). The Order authorized the Company to invest up to \$300 million, over a five-year period commencing July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2024, to replace up to 250 miles of cast iron and bare steel mains and related services, as well as the installation of excess flow valves on new service lines ("IIP Projects"). The Order also authorized the Company to make annual filings with the Board to recover the costs associated with the IIP Projects investments and to earn a return on and a return of those investments through annual adjustments to rates. This Petition seeks Board approval to recover \$6.5 million of revenue requirements associated with approximately \$60.0 million of IIP Projects placed in-service from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020 with an October 1, 2020 rate effective date. The IIP Projects are intended to enhance distribution safety and reliability to the benefit of Elizabethtown's customers, to help support the environment, and to facilitate economic development and employment in New Jersey.

If the proposed rate increase is approved by the Board, effective October 1, 2020, the rates, inclusive of taxes, to all firm customers served under Service Classifications RDS, SGS, GDS, NGV, LVD, EGF, and GLS including certain firm, Board approved special contract customers served under the Company's firm rate classes would be as follows:

		Per Therm
RDS	Residential	\$0.0198
SGS	Small General Service	\$0.0220
GDS	General Delivery Service	\$0.0131
GDS	Seasonal SP#1 May-Oct	\$0.0029
NGV	Natural Gas Vehicles	\$0.0355
LVD	Large Volume Demand	\$0.0063
EGF	Electric Generation	\$0.0042
GLS	Gas Lights, per mantel	\$0.27
Firm S ₁	pecial Contracts	\$0.0011

The rates are subject to BPU approval and may be higher or lower depending on the Board's final determination and the date on which such rate is made effective.

The impact of the proposed rate increase to the residential heating customer using 100 therms is to increase the customer's monthly bill by \$1.98 from \$105.63 to \$107.61, an increase of 1.9% compared to the Company's present rates.

Any assistance required by Customers in ascertaining the impact of the proposed rate increase will be provided by the Company upon request.

Copies of the Petition are available for inspection at the Company's office located at 520 Green Lane, Union, New Jersey, online at Elizabethtown's website: www.elizabethtowngas.com/rates-and-tariff under Regulatory Information, and at the Board's offices located at 44 South Clinton Avenue, 2nd Floor, Trenton, NJ, 08625-0350. Any member of the public who wants to inspect the Petition at the Board may contact the Board's Division of Case Management at (609) 292-0806 to schedule an appointment.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the following date, time and location for public hearings have been scheduled on the above filing so that members of the public may present their views:

_____ (DATE TBD)
4:30 pm and 5:30 pm
Hunterdon County Complex, 314 NJ-12, Building #1, Flemington, New Jersey 08822
_____ (DATE TBD)
4:30 pm and 5:30 pm

Liberty Hall Corporate Center, 1085 Morris Avenue, Union, New Jersey 07083

The public is invited to attend, and interested persons will be permitted to make a statement of their views on the proposed rate increase. Information provided at the public hearings will become part of the record and be considered by the Board in making its decision. To encourage full participation in this opportunity for public comment, please submit any requests for accommodations, including, but not limited to, an interpreter, listening devices and/or mobility assistance, 48 hours prior to these hearings. In addition, members of the public may submit written comments concerning the Petition to the BPU, regardless of attending the hearings, by addressing the comments to the following: Aida Camacho-Welch, Secretary, Board of Public Utilities, 44 South Clinton Avenue, 9th Floor, P.O. Box 350, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0350 or by email to board.secretary@bpu.nj.gov. Written comments should reference the name of the Petition and the above docket number in the subject line. Written comments will be provided the same weight as statements made at the hearings. Hearings will continue, if necessary, on such additional dates and at such locations as the Board may designate, to ensure that all interested persons are heard.

Elizabethtown Gas Company Christie McMullen – President and Chief Operations Officer

BEFORE THE NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

DIRECT TESTIMONY

OF

THOMAS KAUFMANN

Manager, Rates and Tariffs

On Behalf Of Elizabethtown Gas Company

April 30, 2020

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY DIRECT TESTIMONY OF THOMAS KAUFMANN

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I.

INTRODUCTION

2	Q.	PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.
3	A.	My name is Thomas Kaufmann. My business address is 520 Green Lane, Union, New
4		Jersey 07083.
5	Q.	BY WHOM ARE YOU EMPLOYED AND IN WHAT CAPACITY?
6	A.	I am employed by Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Elizabethtown" or "Company") as
7		Manager of Rates and Tariffs.
8	Q.	PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES.
9	A.	I am responsible for designing and developing rates and rate schedules for regulatory
10		filings with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") and internal
11		management purposes. I also oversee daily rate department functions, including tariff
12		administration, monthly parity pricing, competitive analyses and preparation of
13		management reports.
14	Q.	PLEASE SUMMARIZE YOUR EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL
15		BACKGROUND.
16	A.	In June 1977, I graduated from Rutgers University, Newark, N.J. with a Bachelor of
17		Arts degree in Business Administration, majoring in accounting and economics. In
18		July 1979, I graduated from Fairleigh Dickinson University, Madison, N.J. with a
19		Master of Business Administration, majoring in finance.
20		My professional responsibilities have encompassed financial analysis,
21		accounting, planning, and pricing in manufacturing and energy services companies in

both regulated and unregulated industries. In 1977, I was employed by Allied Chemical Corp. as a staff accountant. In 1980, I was employed by Celanese Corp. as a financial analyst. In 1981, I was employed by Suburban Propane as a Strategic Planning Analyst, promoted to Manager of Rates and Pricing in 1986 and to Director of Acquisitions and Business Analysis in 1990. In 1993, I was employed by Concurrent Computer as a Manager, Pricing Administration. In 1996, I joined NUI Utilities Inc., now part of South Jersey Industries, Inc. ("SJI"), as a Rate Analyst, was promoted to Manager of Regulatory Support in August 1997, Manager of Regulatory Affairs in February 1998, and named Manager of Rates and Tariffs in July 1998.

Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY IN THIS PROCEEDING?

The purpose of my testimony is to support Elizabethtown's proposed Rider rates related to the investments made pursuant to the Company's Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP"), which was approved by Board Order dated June 12, 2019 in BPU Docket No. GR18101197 (the "IIP Order"). Pursuant to the IIP Order, cost recovery for IIP projects is effectuated by an annual adjustment to the Company's tariff Rider "F" ("IIP Rider"). The proposed rate adjustment will become effective on October 1, 2020 and is currently based on the revenue requirements associated with IIP investments made and anticipated for the period July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, which for the first year may also include IIP non-construction expenditures such as planning and engineering for IIP projects incurred as of July 1, 2019. This testimony provides an overview of the IIP cost recovery mechanism and the calculation of the associated revenue requirement and rate design. It also addresses certain Minimum Filing Requirements ("MFRs") as set forth in the IIP Order.

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1	Q.	DOES YOUR TESTIMONY INCLUDE ANY ILLUSTRATIVE SCHEDULES?
2	A.	Yes. My testimony includes schedules supporting the development of proposed IIP
3		rates, and proposed tariff sheets that were prepared by me or under my direction and
4		supervision as well as Company financial statements. These schedules contain
5		information responsive to MFRs as referenced in the MFR Index attached to the
6		Petition. The MFRs were set forth in Appendix D to the May 29 Stipulation attached
7		to the IIP Order. The schedules are as follows:
8		Schedule TK-1: Revenue Requirement and Residential Bill Impact
9		Schedule TK-2: Summary of Schedules TK-3, TK-4 and the Proposed Rider F
10		IIP Rates inclusive of sales tax
11		Schedule TK-3: Revenue Requirement Allocation
12		Schedule TK-4: Proof of Revenue
13		Schedule TK-5: Weather Normalization Clause ("WNC") Margin Revenue
14		Factor
15		Schedule TK-6: Earnings Test
16		Schedule TK-7: In-Service amounts by month
17		Schedule TK-8: Depreciation Calculation
18		Schedule TK-9: Weighted Average Cost of Capital ("WACC")
19		Schedule TK-10: Revenue Expansion Factor
20		Schedule TK-11: Proposed Tariff sheets – clean
21		Schedule TK-12: Proposed Tariff sheets - redline
22		Schedule TK-13: Income Statement
23		Schedule TK-14: Balance Sheet
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II. <u>ANNUAL IIP FILING</u>

A.

2 Q. WHY IS THE COMPANY SUBMITTING THIS FILING WITH BPU?

A. The Company's Annual IIP filing is being made in compliance with the IIP Order,
4 which authorizes Elizabethtown to seek cost recovery for completed IIP projects in
5 accordance with the approved annual cost recovery filing schedule, shown below:

Filing Year	Initial 9+3 Filing	Program Year Ending Date	12+0 Update Filing	Rates Effective on
				or Before
1	April 30, 2020	June 30, 2020	July 15, 2020	Oct 1, 2020
2	April 30, 2021	June 30, 2021	July 15, 2021	Oct 1, 2021
3	April 30, 2022	June 30, 2022	July 15, 2022	Oct 1, 2022
4	April 30, 2023	June 30, 2023	July 15, 2023	Oct 1, 2023
5	April 30, 2024	June 30, 2024	July 15, 2024	Oct 1, 2024
Residual *	April 30, 2025	June 30, 2025	July 15, 2025	Oct 1. 2025

^{*}Residual Filing for restoration spending occurring after June 30, 2024.

7 Q. IS THIS FILING SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE IIP ORDER?

Consistent with the requirement contained in N.J.A.C. 14:3-2A.6(b), Elizabethtown is permitted to make annual filings to recover IIP costs when eligible in-service amounts exceed ten (10%) percent of the total proposed program spending, except however, given the nature of the work, the Signatory Parties recognize that the April 2025 filing may be less than 10% of total program spending as it will reflect residual spending associated with restoration work occurring after June 30, 2024. Based on the total approved program budget of \$300 million, the eligible in-service amounts must exceed \$30 million to allow for the annual roll-in. As shown on Schedule TK-7, the Company is currently projecting a total of approximately \$60.0 million (excluding the costs of the Independent Monitor and methane leak study and Accumulated Funds Used During Construction, "AFUDC") in service as of June 30, 2020.

Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE IIP COST RECOVERY MECHANISM APPROVED

1		BY THE BOARD.
2	A.	The IIP cost recovery process is effectuated by annual rate adjustment filings ("Annual
3		Filings") made in April of each year. With this Annual Filing, Elizabethtown is seeking
4		cost recovery of IIP investments that are placed in service during the period July 1,
5		2019 to June 30, 2020 totaling \$60.0 million (excluding the independent monitor,
6		methane leak study and AFUDC), with a Rider rate adjustment to be effective October
7		1, 2020. Included with this filing is actual data for projects placed in service through
8		March 31, 2020, and projected data through June 30, 2020. The Company will provide
9		an updated filing with actual data through June 30, 2020 no later than July 15, 2020.
10	Q.	WHAT IS THE FORECASTED REVENUE REQUIREMENT PROPOSED
11		FOR THE IIP RATE ADJUSTMENT TO TAKE PLACE ON OCTOBER 1,
12		2020?
13	A.	The Company is proposing a revenue requirement of approximately \$6.5 million,
14		excluding Sales and Use Tax ("SUT"). The calculation of the revenue requirement
15		associated with the proposed IIP Rate Adjustment is provided in the attached Schedule
16		TK-1.
17	Q.	HOW ARE THE REVENUE REUQIREMENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE IIP
18		RATE ADJUSTMENT CALCULATED?
19	A.	IIP revenue requirements are calculated utilizing the following formula, approved in
20		the IIP Order:
21		Revenue Requirement = ((IIP Rate Base * After-Tax WACC) – O&M Credit +
22		Advanced Leak Detection expense (net of tax) + Depreciation Expense (net of

Q. HOW IS THE IIP RATE BASE CALCULATED?

tax)) * Revenue Factor.

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- 1 **A.** IIP Rate Base is calculated as the gross IIP Investment Costs for the IIP projects placed
 2 in-service during the program period, plus the costs of an Independent Monitor, a
 3 methane leak study and AFUDC, less depreciation expense and applicable deferred
 4 income taxes.
- 5 Q. WHAT TYPES OF EXPENDITURES ARE INCLUDED IN THE IIP
 6 INVESTMENT COSTS?
- Pursuant to the IIP Order, the Company is allowed to recover IIP project capital expenditures, including actual costs of engineering, design and construction, property acquisitions, if any, and monitoring, including actual labor, materials, overhead and capitalized AFUDC. In addition, the IIP Investment Costs for program year one include \$157,000 for a one-time advanced leak detection study and \$30,000 of Independent Monitor costs as of June 30, 2020. These costs are reflected in the rate base as shown on Schedule TK-1.

14 Q. HOW DID THE COMPANY CALCULATE AFUDC FOR IIP PROJECTS?

In accordance with the IIP Order, the AFUDC rate applied to IIP Projects is determined 15 Α. by applying the Modified FERC Uniform System of Accounts methodology 16 17 ("Modified FERC Method"), including compounding of AFUDC on a monthly basis. 18 The Modified FERC Method is as follows: (a) if the Company's total CWIP balance, 19 including all CWIP associated with IIP Projects is less than or equal to the Company's 20 outstanding short-term debt ("S/T debt") balance at each month-end, the applicable 21 AFUDC rate is equal to the Company's monthly cost of S/T debt; (b) if the Company's 22 total CWIP balance, including all CWIP associated with IIP Projects, is greater than 23 the Company's outstanding S/T debt balance, the applicable AFUDC rate for IIP 24 Projects is a monthly AFUDC calculation based on a blend of the S/T debt balance and the Company's WACC rate; or (c) if the Company has no short-term debt balance at month end, the AFUDC rate used is the adjusted WACC rate.

3 Q. HOW IS DEPRECIATION EXPENSE CALCULATED?

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A. Depreciation expense is calculated as the IIP Investments by asset class multiplied by
the associated depreciation rate applied to the same asset in current base rates
established in the Company's 2016 base rate case in Docket No. GR16090826 ("2016
rate case") for the period through November 14, 2019, and thereafter from the most
recent base rate case, BPU Docket No. GR19040486 ("2019 rate case"). The
depreciation calculation and associated depreciation rates are shown in Schedule TK
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11 Q. HOW HAS THE COMPANY CALCULATED DEFERRED INCOME TAXES?

A. Deferred taxes are calculated by multiplying the difference in the Company's book and tax depreciation expense for the plant subject to the IIP by the effective income tax rate for the period. The tax rate used in the calculation of the deferred tax benefit for Elizabethtown is 28.11% and includes Corporate Business Tax. The Company's deferred income tax calculation and related factors are shown in Schedule TK-1.

Q. WHAT IS THE WEIGHTED AVERAGE COST OF CAPITAL ("WACC") 18 UTILIZED IN CALCULATING THE REVENUE REQUIREMENT?

Pursuant to the IIP Order, the return on IIP Rate Base proposed in this Annual Filing is based on the WACC approved in the Company's most recent base rate case, Docket No. GR19040486, which was calculated utilizing a 9.60% return on equity ("ROE") and an equity level in the capital structure of 51.50%. This results in a WACC of 7.131%, or 6.5165% on an after-tax basis. This calculation is included in Schedule TK-9.

1	Q.	WHAT IS THE O&M CREDIT UTILIZED IN THE CALCULATION OF THE
2		REVENUE REQUIREMENT?
3	A.	Pursuant to the IIP Order, the operations and maintenance ("O&M") credit is \$90,000
4		per year, or \$64,701 net of tax. This credit reflects an O&M savings associated with
5		leak repair on facilities replaced in connection with the IIP. The total O&M credit of
6		\$64,701 is reflected in Schedule TK-1.
7	Q.	WHAT IS THE ADVANCED LEAK DETECTION O&M EXPENSE
8		REFLECTED IN THE REVENUE REQUIREMENT?
9	A.	If the Company were to incur O&M expenses related to advanced leak detection, other
10		than the previous study included in rate base and discussed above, it will include these
11		costs in the revenue requirement for recovery on an after-tax basis. The Company has
12		incurred \$0 costs to date, as reflected in Schedule TK-1.
13	Q.	WHAT IS THE REVENUE FACTOR UTILIZED IN THE CALCULATION OF
14		THE REVENUE REQUIREMENT?
15	A.	The revenue factor adjusts the revenue requirement to reflect Federal and State income
16		taxes, as well as the costs associated with the Board and the Division of Rate Counsel
17		annual assessments (collectively Public Utility Assessment Tax), and Bad Debt.
18		Pursuant to the IIP Order, the Company is using the revenue factor that was utilized to
19		set rates in the Company's most recent base rate case, which is 1.406762. The
20		calculation of the revenue factor is reflected on Schedule TK-10.
21	III.	RATE DESIGN AND CUSTOMER BILL IMPACTS
22	Q.	WHAT CUSTOMER CLASSES AND CUSTOMERS WILL THE IIP RIDER BE
23		APPLIED TO?

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A.

The IIP Rider is assessed to all firm customers on a rate per service class to those served

1	under Service Classifications RDS, SGS, GDS, NGV, LVD, EGF, and GLS including
2	certain firm, Board approved special contract customers served under the Company's
3	firm rate classes.

4 Q. HOW IS THE REVENUE REQUIREMENT BEING ALLOCATED TO FIRM 5 RATE CLASSES AND FIRM SPECIAL CONTRACT CUSTOMERS?

As shown on Schedule TK-3, and specified in the IIP Order, the Company is allocating
the revenue requirement for each applicable firm class and firm special contracts for
IIP based on the percentage of revenues approved in the Company's most recent base
rate case.

10 Q. WHAT RATE DESIGN WAS UTILIZED FOR THE PROPOSED IIP RATE

ADJUSTMENT?

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Pursuant to the IIP Order, the IIP Rate Adjustment is effectuated by a volumetric distribution charge calculated for each class utilizing the billing determinants used to set rates in the Company's most recent base rate case. Schedule TK-3 sets forth the IIP allocated revenue to each class divided by the respective therm billing determinants from the Company's most recent base rate case to derive the proposed IIP rates, before sales and use tax, shown on Schedule TK-4 Proof of Revenues. The revenue requirement allocation, proof of revenues and proposed IIP rates by class inclusive of taxes are summarized on Schedule TK-2.

The Margin Revenue Factor set forth in the Company's Weather Normalization Clause ("WNC") tariff will also be revised to reflect the IIP rate adjustment, as shown on Schedule TK-5.

1 Q. WHAT IS THE IMPACT OF THE PROPOSED IIP RATE ADJUSTMENT FOR

- 2 A TYPICAL RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMER?
- 3 A. The bill impact of the proposed IIP Rate Adjustment for a typical residential heating
- 4 customer using 100 therms in a winter month will be an increase of 1.98 from \$105.63
- 5 to \$107.61, an increase of 1.9%.

6 IV. EARNINGS TEST

7 Q. HAS THE COMPANY PERFORMED AN EARNINGS TEST CALCULATION?

- 8 A. Yes. The Company has performed an earnings test calculation pursuant to the IIP
- 9 Order, as shown on Schedule TK-6. The earnings test calculation was based on a ROE
- determined based on the actual net income of the Company for the 12-month period
- ended December 31, 2019 divided by the average of the beginning and ending common
- equity balances for the corresponding period. The calculation also incorporates the
- removal of certain income adjustments as shown on Schedule TK-6.

14 Q. WHAT IS THE RESULT OF THE EARNINGS TEST?

- 15 **A.** The calculated ROE is 5.85%, which meets the requirement of the IIP Order that the
- calculated ROE be less than 10.10%, calculated as fifty (0.50%) basis points plus
- 9.60%, the ROE approved by the Board in the Company's most recent base rate case.
- 18 V. <u>MINIMUM FILING REQUIREMENTS (MFRS)</u>
- 19 Q. IN ADDITION TO THE SCHEDULES PREVIOUSLY REFERENCED IN
- 20 YOUR DIRECT TESTIMONY, ARE YOU SPONSORING ANY ADDITIONAL
- 21 SCHEDULES IN SUPPORT OF THE MFRS?
- 22 **A.** Yes. Also attached to my Direct Testimony are the Company's Income Statement for
- 23 the 12 months ending December 31, 2019 and the Company's Balance Sheet as of

- December 31, 2019. The information is attached hereto as Schedule TK-13 and TK-
- 2 14, respectively.
- 3 Q. HAS THE COMPANY RECEIVED ANY OUTSIDE FUNDS OR CREDITS FOR
- 4 WORK RELATED TO ANY IIP PROJECTS?
- 5 A. No, the Company has not received any such funds or credits.
- 6 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?
- 7 **A.** Yes, it does.

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Revenue Requirement and Residential Bill Impact

		June 2020 Roll-In Oct 1
Plant In Service (excl AFUDC)		\$60,000,140
Monitor		\$30,000
Advanced Leak Detection (ALD) Report		\$157,000
AFUDC		\$381,427
Total Plant In Service		\$60,568,567
Book Depreciation, half year		(\$547,814)
6.5		(\$484,478)
Rate Base		\$59,536,275
Rate of Return - net of tax		6.5165%
		\$3,879,681
O&M Red. for Leak Repairs - per Stip, net of tε	28.110%	(\$64,701)
Advanced Leak Detection expense, net of tax	28.110%	\$0
Depreciation Exp, net of tax	28.110%	\$787,647
Allowable Net Income		\$4,602,627
Revenue Factor		1.406762
Revenue Requirement		\$6,474,801
Cumulative Revenue Requirement		\$6,474,801
Average Book Depreciation Rate		1.81%
Tax Depreciation Rate		3.750%
Bonus Depreciation Rate		0%
Half Year Book Depreciation		\$547,814
Tax Bonus Depreciation		\$0
Tax Depreciation		\$2,271,321
Deferred Income Tax Credit, (Bk - Tax)* Tax Rate		(\$484,478)
O&M Red. for Leak Repairs - per Stip		(\$90,000)
Advanced Leak Detection expense		\$0
Residential Bill Impact:		
	Billing Determinants	
% / \$\$\$ to RDS per STIP 2016 Case	65.984%	\$4,272,333
Rate Case Therms 2019	229,151,904	\$0.0186
per Therm w/ SUT	106.625%	\$0.0198
Annual Increase, w/tax	1,000	\$19.80
Cumulative Increase	.	\$19.80
1,000 therm Bill as of 4/1/20 before / after IIP	\$1,076.77	\$1,096.57
% Increase from Prior Bill		1.8%

Schedule TK-2

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Proposed Rates - Oct 1, 2020 Summary

	2019 Rate Case			2019 Rate Case			
	% of Base	Revenue	Revenue	Distribution	Rates	Sales Tax	Rates
	Revenues	Requirement	Proof	Therms	Pre Tax	<u>6.625%</u>	w/ Tax
Residential	65.984294%	\$4,272,352	\$4,262,225	229,151,904	\$0.0186	\$0.0012	\$0.0198
Small General Service	6.352028%	\$411,281	\$411,336	19,967,772	\$0.0206	\$0.0014	\$0.0220
General Delivery Service	23.568738%	\$1,526,029	\$1,527,123	124,156,335	\$0.0123	\$0.0008	\$0.0131
GDS Seasonal SP#1 May-Oct	0.017537%	\$1,135	\$1,153	426,917	\$0.0027	\$0.0002	\$0.0029
Natural Gas Vehicles	0.089335%	\$5,784	\$5,786	173,750	\$0.0333	\$0.0022	\$0.0355
Large Volume Demand	3.771645%	\$244,207	\$245,010	41,527,129	\$0.0059	\$0.0004	\$0.0063
Electric Generation	0.007290%	\$472	\$476	122,163	\$0.0039	\$0.0003	\$0.0042
Gas Lights per Mantel	0.007680%	\$497	\$498	28,800	\$0.25	\$0.02	\$0.27
Firm Spec. Contracts	0.201453%	\$13,044 \$6,474,801	\$13,613 \$6,467,220	13,612,932	\$0.0010	\$0.0001	\$0.0011

Schedule TK-3

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Revenue Requirement Allocation

		Allocation per 2019 Rat	te Case	
Plant In-Service as of >>>	June 2020	Base	Overall	
Revenue Requirement, Cum To Date >>>	\$6,474,801	Revenues	%	Allocation
Residential		\$124,740,797	65.984294%	\$4,272,352
Small General Service		\$12,008,268	6.352028%	\$411,281
General Delivery Service		\$44,555,802	23.568738%	\$1,526,029
General Delivery Service SP#1 May - Oct		\$33,153	0.017537%	\$1,135
Natural Gas Vehicles		\$168,885	0.089335%	\$5,784
Large Volume Demand Combined with FTS, 20	19 Rate Case	\$7,130,151	3.771645%	\$244,207
Electric Generation		\$13,782	0.007290%	\$472
Gas Lights		\$14,518	0.007680%	\$497
Firm Base Rate Revenues		\$188,665,356	99.798547%	\$6,461,757
Firm Special Contracts Avg.		\$380,840	0.201453%	\$13,044
Total Firm Revenues		\$189,046,196	100.000000%	\$6,474,801
Interruptible Revenues		\$6,911,221		
Other Revenues		\$1,587,043		
TOTAL REVENUES		\$197,544,460		\$6,474,801

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANYInfrastructure Investment Program ("IIP")

Proof of Revenues \$6,474,801

per IIP Stipuation	Determinants per 201	9 Rate Case	Proposed Rider F Rates Pre Tax		
Component	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Revenue Proof	
Residential Service	271 494	Customers		RDS	
Customer Charge	3,257,928		\$0.00	\$0	
Distribution Charge	229,151,904		\$0.0186	\$4,262,225	
Total Base Rate Revenues	229,131,304	THEIIIIS	φο.σ18σ	\$4,262,225	
				SGS	
Small General Service	16,054	Customers			
Customer Charge	192,648	Bills	\$0.00	\$0	
Distribution & Demand, combined	19,967,772	Therms	\$0.0206	\$411,336	
Total Base Rate Revenues				\$411,336	
				GDS	
General Delivery Service	6,935	Customers			
Customer Charge	83,220	Bills	\$0.00	\$0	
Demand Charge	16,495,116	Therms	\$0.000	\$0	
Distribution Charge	124,156,335	Therms	\$0.0123	\$1,527,123	
	May-Oct		May-Oct		
Distribution Charge (Lg. A/C, Dist. Gen.)	426,917		\$0.0027	\$1,153	
Total Base Rate Revenues	124,583,252	Total Thern	ns	\$1,528,276	
				EGF	
Electric Generation Firm Service		Customers	Ф0.00	ф.	
Customer Charge	_	Bills	\$0.00	\$0	
Demand Charge	•	Therms	\$0.000	\$0	
Distribution Charge, tariff rate Total Base Rate Revenues	122,163	Therms	\$0.0039	\$476 \$476	
Total base Rate Revenues				\$476	
Large Volume Demand Combined with FTS	, 2019 Rate Case			LVD / FTS	
Large Volume Demand	50	Customers		2,2,110	
Customer Charge	600	Bills	\$0.00	\$0	
Demand Charge	4,228,944	Therms	\$0.000	\$0	
Distribution Charge	41,527,129	Therms	\$0.0059	\$245,010	
Total Base Rate Revenues	11,021,120		ψ0.0000	\$245,010	

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANYInfrastructure Investment Program ("IIP")

Proof of Revenues \$6,474,801

per IIP Stipuation	Determinants per 201	9 Rate Case	Proposed	Rider F Rates Pre Tax
Component	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Revenue Proof
Firm Transportation Coming	0040 Data Casa Ca	and the same of th		FTS
Firm Transportation Service	2019 Rate Case Co	mbined with LVD		
Customer Charge				
Demand Charge				
Distribution Charge Total Base Rate Revenues			-	
Total base Rate Revenues				
	10	! Customers		NGV
Natural Gas Vehicles		Bills		NGV
Distribution Charge	173,750	Therms	\$0.0333	\$5,786
Fueling Charge	173,750	Therms	\$0.0000	\$0
Facilities Charge	173,750	Therms	\$0.0000	\$ <u>0</u>
Total Base Rate Revenues			\$0.0333	\$5,786
	13	Customers		GLS
Gas Lights Service	156	Bills		
Service Charge			\$0.25	
Distribution Charge	28,800	Therms	\$0.0173	<u>\$498</u>
Total Base Rate Revenues				\$498
Total Firm Rate Class	415,554,770	Therms		\$6,453,607
Closed Tariff 2 Kean Meters Left				CSI
Interruptible Cogeneration Sales Service				
Service Charge	24	Bills	\$0.00	\$0
Distribution Charge, retain 20%	1,236	Therms	\$0.0000	
Total Base Rate Revenues				\$0
				IS
Interruptible Sales Service				
Service Charge	0	Bills	\$0.00	\$0
Demand Charge	127,560	Therms	\$0.000	\$0
Distribution Charge, retain 20%	0	Therms	\$0.0000	
Total Base Rate Revenues			•	\$0

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP")

Proof of Revenues \$6,474,801

per IIP Stipuation Deter Component	Amount	Units	Rate	Rider F Rates Pre Revenue Proof
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				ITS-IS
nterruptible Transportation Service	13	Customers		
Service Charge	156	Bills	\$0.00	\$0
Demand Chg., retain1st \$0.08/20% thereafter	274,704	Therms	\$0.000	\$0
Distribution Charge, retain 20%	2,123,735	Therms	\$0.0000	
Total Base Rate Revenues			- -	\$0
*Amount is the 1st \$0.08 per therm				
No	Customers			ITS-CSI
Interruptible Cogeneration Transportation Serv		Customers		<u> </u>
Service Charge Demand Charge, retain 20%		Bills Therms	\$0.00 \$0.000	\$0
Distribution Charge, retain 20%	_	Therms	\$0.000	
Total Base Rate Revenues			•	\$0
	4.0			ITS-LVD
Interruptible LVD Sales Service Service Charge	_	Customers Bills	\$0.00	\$0
Demand Charge	4,578,708		\$0.000	\$0 \$0
Distribution Charge	38,783,827		\$0.0000	\$0 \$0
Tariff Flex Revenues	333,212		\$0.0000	\$0
Total Base Rate Revenues		Total Therm		\$0
	FY	/I ex Flex ='s)	
Total Interruptible Rate Class Revenues				\$ <u>0</u>
			_	
TOTAL SYSTEM BASE DISTRIBUTION REVEN	UES		-	\$6,453,607
Other Revenues Special Contracts Firm				¢12 612
Special Contracts Interruptible				\$13,613 \$0
Other Miscellaneous Revenues				\$0 \$0
Total Other Revenues				\$13,613
Total Giner Revenues				ψ13,013
TOTAL SYSTEM INCLUDING OTHER REVENU	=0		-	\$6,467,220
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			Change	\$6,467,220
			Change Target Change Difference	\$6,467,220 \$6,474,801 (\$7,581)

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY

Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Weather Normalization Clause ("WNC") Margin Revenue Factor

Classes	Distribution Charge, including taxes (\$/ therm) a	less SUT tax 6.625% b	Margin Revenue, Distribution Charge excluding taxes, (\$/ therm) c = a - b	Class Sales for period October through May (therms) * d		Weighted Margin Revenue in Distribution Rate (\$/ therm) f = c * e
Base Rates						
RDS	\$0.4382	\$0.0272	\$0.4110	213,931,646	62.53%	\$0.2570
SGS	\$0.3807	\$0.0237	\$0.3570	18,706,736	5.47%	\$0.0195
GDS	\$0.2301	\$0.0143	\$0.2158	109,505,461	32.01%	<u>\$0.0691</u>
				342,143,843	100.01%	\$0.3456
IIP Rates						
RDS	\$0.0198	\$0.0012	\$0.0186	213,931,646	62.53%	\$0.0116
SGS	\$0.0220	\$0.0014	\$0.0206	18,706,736	5.47%	\$0.0011
GDS	\$0.0131	\$0.0008	\$0.0123	109,505,461	32.01%	\$0.0039
				342,143,843	100.01%	\$0.0166
					Total	\$0.3622

^{*} Therms per 2019 Rate Case

Elizabethtown Gas Company Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Earnings Test, per N.J.A.C. 14:3-2A.6(h) *

	January-19	Through	December-19	
	Regulated Jur	isdictional Net Income Excess / (Deficiency):		
	Net Income (inc	cluding IIP and WNC margin revenue, net of tax)	\$34,243,161	
1	less: IIP and Net Income	WNC margin revenue dissallowance if any, both net of tax	\$0 \$34,243,161	
	Not income		ψ04,240,101	
2	Less:	Non-firm Sales & Transportation margins, net of tax	\$91,919	
		Off-system Sales & Capacity Release, net of tax	\$54,814	
		Amort. of Pension/OPEB Regulatory Assets, net of tax ***	\$2,883,008	
		Other income (expense), net of tax	\$290,226	
			\$3,319,967	
3	Regulated Juris	dictional Net Income (L1-L2) **	=	\$30,923,194
4	Common Equity	y Beginning, Ending and Average Balances		
	December-18	B Beginning Equity	\$511,592,929	
	December-19	9 Ending Equity	\$545,836,090	
	Average Begini	ning & Ending Month Common Equity		\$528,714,510
5	ROE (L3/L4) *		_	5.85%
Rate	of Return on Eq	uity, 2019 Rate Case	9.60%	
ROE	Test: Rate of Re	eturn on Equity, 2019 Rate Case plus 50 Basis Points	0.50%	10.10%

^{*} IIP STIP N.J.A.C. 14:3-2A.6(h) An earnings test shall be required, where Return on Equity (ROE) shall be determined based on the actual net income of the utility for the most recent 12-month period divided by the average of the beginning and ending common equity balances fro the corresponding period.

^{**} Net Income is adjusted to exclude non-jurisdictional allocated income taxes and to exclude interest and related income tax amounts of non-jurisdictional acquisition adjustment amounts.

^{***} Represents the amortization of the Pension and Other Post-Employment Benefits regulatory assets consistent with the BPU Order Amounts Per BPU Order 6-30-17 GR16090826 and Stipulated to in 2019 Rate Case Per BPU Order 11-13-19 GR19040486. The amortization was not recorded in the books and records consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and therefore is included as an adjustment above to reflect the expense for regulatory reporting purposes.

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Actual / Projected In-Service Expenditures

	In-Service			In-Service			In-Service			In-Service
Periods:	Mains	Services	IIP Program	Monitor	ALD Study	In-Service Pre AFUDC	AFUDC Mains	AFUDC Services	AFUDC Total	Total with AFUDC
12 mos End	<u>ing</u>									
Jun-20	\$46,379,772	\$13,620,368	\$60,000,140	\$30,000	\$157,000	\$60,187,140	\$305,723	\$75,704	\$381,427	\$60,568,567
Monthly Spe	l ending:									
Jun-19	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Jul-19	\$175,471	\$0	\$175,471	\$0	\$0	\$175,471	\$113	\$0	\$113	\$175,584
Aug-19	\$118,188	\$196,470	\$314,658	\$0	\$0	\$314,658	\$924	\$283	\$1,207	\$315,865
Sep-19	\$1,463,536	\$443,760	\$1,907,296	\$0	\$0	\$1,907,296	\$11,321	\$2,756	\$14,077	\$1,921,373
Oct-19	\$1,703,984	\$1,056,435	\$2,760,419	\$0	\$0	\$2,760,419	\$9,634	\$2,619	\$12,253	\$2,772,672
Nov-19	\$226,094	\$410,419	\$636,513	\$0	\$0	\$636,513	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$636,513
Dec-19	\$4,380,974	\$3,735,054	\$8,116,028	\$0	\$0	\$8,116,028	\$50,571	\$31,235	\$81,806	\$8,197,834
Jan-20	\$657,915	\$163,223	\$821,138	\$0	\$0	\$821,138	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$821,138
Feb-20	\$2,497,193	\$2,581,356	\$5,078,549	\$0	\$0	\$5,078,549	\$24,738	\$16,781	\$41,519	\$5,120,068
Mar-20	\$220,273	\$11,771	\$232,044	\$0	\$0	\$232,044	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$232,044
Apr-20	\$18,588,502	\$5,021,880	\$23,610,382	\$0	\$0	\$23,610,382	\$81,542	\$22,030	\$103,572	\$23,713,954
May-20	\$9,790,652	\$0	\$9,790,652	\$25,000	\$157,000	\$9,972,652	\$75,913	\$0	\$75,913	\$10,048,565
Jun-20	\$6,556,990	\$0	\$6,556,990	\$5,000	\$0	\$6,561,990	\$50,967	\$0	\$50,967	\$6,612,957

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Annualized Depreciation

Ir	n-Service Depr	eciation		•		AFUDC Dep	reciation	
	Mains 376	Services 380	Monitor 376	ALD Study 376		Mains 376	Services 380	Full Year
2016 Percentages Average 2016 & 20 2019 RC 11-15-19	1.36% 1.49% 1.60%	1.88% 2.32% 2.70%	1.36% 1.49% 1.60%	1.36% 1.49% 1.60%	Depreciation Expense Pre AFUDC	1.36% 1.49% 1.60%	1.88% 2.32% 2.70%	Depreciation Expense W/ AFUDC
	1.0070	2.7070	1.0070	1.00%	TICAL ODO	1.0070	2.7070	W Al ODO
End Date Jun-20	733,520	352,279	480	2,512	1,088,791	4,840	1,997	1,095,628
Monthly Spending:								
May-19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jun-19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jul-19	2,386	0	0	0	2,386	2	0	2,388
Aug-19	1,607	3,694	0	0	5,301	13	5	5,319
Sep-19	19,904	8,343	0	0	28,247	154	52	28,453
Oct-19	23,174	19,861	0	0	43,035	131	49	43,215
Nov-19	3,369	9,522	0	0	12,891	0	0	12,891
Dec-19	70,096	100,846	0	0	170,942	809	843	172,594
Jan-20	10,527	4,407	0	0	14,934	0	0	14,934
Feb-20	39,955	69,697	0	0	109,652	396	453	110,501
Mar-20	3,524	318	0	0	3,842	0	0	3,842
Apr-20	297,416	135,591	0	0	433,007	1,305	595	434,907
May-20	156,650	0	400	2,512	159,562	1,215	0	160,777
Jun-20	104,912	0	80	0	104,992	815	0	105,807

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Weighted Average Cost of Capital ("WACC")

Rate Case 2019			FIT at	21%
	Capitalization			After
_	Ratios	Rate	Cost %	Tax
				28.110%
Long Term Debt	48.50%	4.510%	2.187%	1.5722%
Short Term Debt	0.00%	0.000%	0.000%	0.0000%
Common Equity	51.50%	9.600%	4.944%	4.9440%
Total Capitalization	100.00%		7.131%	6.5162%
Settlement Adjustment				0.0003%
After Tax Black Box Settlement				6.5165%

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Revenue Expansion Factor

	Rate Case 11/15/2019
Revenue Increase	100.000%
BPU Assessments / BPU & RC	BPU + RC 0.265%
RC Assessments	0.20376
Uncollectible Accounts Percentage	0.855%
Income before Corporate Business Tax	98.88000%
NJ Corporate Business Tax @ 9.00%	8.8992%
Income before Federal Income Taxes	89.9808%
Federal Income Taxes @ 21%	18.896%
Return	71.0848%
Revenue Factor (100% / Return %)	1.406771
Rounding to Settlement Factor	(0.000009)
Settlement Revenue Factor	1.406762

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RIDER "F"

INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT PROGRAM ("IIP")

Applicable to all RDS, SGS, GDS, NGV, LVD, EGF and GLS classes and Firm Special Contract customers receiving service through the Company's distribution system. The IIP rate shall be collected on a per therm basis and shall remain in effect until changed by order of the NJBPU.

		Per Therm		
RDS	Residential	\$0.0198		
SGS	Small General Service	\$0.0220		
GDS	General Delivery Service	\$0.0131		
GDS	Seasonal SP#1 May-Oct	\$0.0029		
NGV	Natural Gas Vehicles	\$0.0355		
LVD	Large Volume Demand	\$0.0063		
EGF	Electric Generation	\$0.0042		
GLS	Gas Lights, per mantel	\$0.27		
Firm Sp	Firm Special Contracts \$0.0011			

The charges applicable under this Rider include provision for the New Jersey Sales and Use Tax, and when billed to customers exempt from this tax shall be reduced by the amount of such tax included therein.

The IIP is a five-year program to modernize and enhance the reliability and safety of the Company's gas distribution system by replacing its vintage, at-risk facilities which include aging cast iron mains, unprotected and bare steel mains and services, ductile iron and vintage plastic mains and vintage plastic and copper services. As part of the IIP, Elizabethtown is upgrading its legacy low pressure system to an elevated pressure system, and installing excess flow valves and retiring district regulators that are presently required to operate the existing low pressure system. The costs recovered through the IIP Rider rate include the Company's after-tax weighted average cost of capital as adjusted upward for the revenue expansion factor, depreciation expense and applicable taxes.

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RIDER "B"

WEATHER NORMALIZATION CLAUSE ("WNC") (continued)

METHOD OF DETERMINING WEATHER NORMALIZATION CHARGE: (continued)

- I. <u>Definition of Terms as Used Herein</u> (continued)
 - 6. Degree Day Consumption Factor ("DDCF") the variable component (use per degree day) of the gas sendout for each month of the winter period normalized for weather and adjusted for lost and unaccounted for gas. The DDCF shall be updated annually in the Company's WNC reconciliation filing annualizing to reflect the change in number of customers that has occurred since the base rate proceeding that established the initial degree day consumption factor in base rate cases. The base number of customers used to establish the normalized use in therms per Customer and the calculated DDCF approved in the Company's most recent base rate case are as follows:

	Base	
	Number of	Therms per
<u>Month</u>	<u>Customers</u>	Degree Day
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November	293,834	62,593
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May	294,483	54,279

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Elizabethtown Gas Company Statements of Income YTD December 2019

	11D December 2019	
		YTD 2019
Utility Operat		
400	Operating Revenues	\$ 325,132,721
Operating Ex	<u>penses</u>	
401	Operation Expenses	218,015,119
402	Maintenance Expenses	6,116,206
403	Depreciation	28,449,579
404-405	Amort. & depl. Of Utility Plant	-
408.1	Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	3,814,711
409.1	Income Taxes - Federal	-
409.1	Income Taxes - Other (State)	-
410.1	Provision for Deferred Income Taxes	7,799,117
411.4	Investment Tax Credit Adjustments - Net	(38,078)
	Total Operating Expenses	 264,156,653
Net Operating	g Income (Loss)	60,976,068
Other Income	(Deductions)	
415-421.1	Other Income	806,987
426.1-426.5	Miscellaneous Income Deductions	(214,899)
409.2-410.2	Income Taxes	32,924
	Net Other Income (Deductions)	625,011
Interest Char	ges	
427	Interest on Long - Term Debt	23,494,927
428/ 428.1	Amort of Debt Disc and Exp & Loss on Reacquired Debt	1,111,041
430	Interest on Debt to Assoc. Companies	-
431	Other Interest Expense	4,294,355
432	Allowance for Borrowed Funds	(1,542,404)
<i>7</i> —	Net Interest Charges	27,357,918
Net Income (Loss)	\$ 34,243,161

Note: This financial statement was prepared on a regulatory basis in accordance with the Uniform System of Accounts.

Elizabethtown Gas Company Balance Sheet

		As of December 31, 2019
Assets	And Other Debits	
Utility Pla	<u>ant</u>	
101	Utility Plant in Service	\$ 2,355,429,832
107	Construction Work in Progress	95,409,835
108	Accumulated Provision for Depreciation	(321,706,625)
	Net Utility Plant	2,129,133,041
Other Pr	roperty And Investments	
121	Non-utility Property	
122	Accumulated Provision for Depreciation	
124	Other Investments	8,523,293
176	Long Term Portion of Derivative Assets - Hedges	
	Total Other Property and Investments	8,523,293
Current	And Accrued Assets	
131	Cash	92,661
136	Temporary Cash Investments	-
142	Customer Accounts Receivable	76,086,577
143	Other Accounts Receivable	19,451,726
144	Accumulated Provisions for Uncollectible Accounts	(5,618,294)
146	Accounts Receivable from Associated Companies	-
154	Plant Materials & Operating Supplies	401,032
156	Other Materials and Supplies	-
163	Stores Expense Undistributed	-
164.1	Gas Stored Underground - Current	13,117,124
164.2	Liquefied natural gas stored	921,722
164.3	Liquefied Natural Gas Held for Processing	-
165	Prepayments	3,432,232
174	Miscellaneous Current and Accrued Assets	-
175	Derivative instrument assets - Current	9,110
	Total Current and Accrued Assets	107,893,890
Deferred	I Debits	
175	Derivative instrument assets	15,303
181	Unamortized Debt Expense	6,536,221
182.3	Other Regulatory Assets	160,287,002
184	Clearing Accounts	-
186	Miscellaneous Deferred Debits	7,706,614
189	Unamortized Loss on Reacquired Debt	3,643,336
190	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes	83,475,661
191	Unrecovered Purchased Gas Costs	5,301,452
	Total Deferred Debits	266,965,589
Total As	ssets And Other Debits	\$ 2,512,515,813

Elizabethtown Gas Company Balance Sheet

		As of	December 31, 2019
	s And Other Credits		
Proprieta			
208-211	Other Paid-In Capital	\$	1,183,797,343
216	Retained Earnings		29,202,523
219	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income		-
	Total Proprietary Capital	-	1,212,999,866
Long-Teri	n Debt		
224	Other Long-Term Debt		675,000,000
	Total Long-Term Debt		675,000,000
			,,
	ncurrent Liabilities		
228.3	Accumulated Provision for Pensions & Benefits		2,826,937
228.4	Accumulated Miscellaneous Operating Provisions		496,224
230	Asset Retirement Obligations		167,154,909
	Total Other Noncurrent Liabilities		170,478,070
Current A	nd Accrued Liabilities		
231	Notes Payable		103,700,000
232	Accounts Payable		10,688,769
234	Accounts Payable to Associated Companies		18,561,918
235	Customer Deposits		11,604,687
236	Taxes Accrued		
237	Interest Accrued		1,287,058
241	Tax Collections Payable		 -
242	Miscellaneous Current & Accrued Liabilities		23,185,942
243	Obligations Under Capital Leases		 -
244	Derivative Instrument Liabilities - Current		5,467,220
245	(Less) Long Term Portion of Derivative Assets - Hedges		
	Total Current and Accrued Liabilities		174,495,594
Deferred	Cradite		
<u>Deferred</u> 244	Derivative Instrument Liabilities		667,412
252	Customer Advances for Construction		1,674,001
253	Other Deferred Credits		101,407,380
254	Other Regulatory Liabilities		121,415,313
255	Accumulated Deferred Investment Tax Credits		-
282	Accumulated Deferred Other Property		50,498,953
283	Accumulated Deferred Other		3,879,225
	Total Deferred Credits		279,542,283
Total Lia	pilities And Other Credits	\$	2,512,515,813

Elizabethtown Gas Company Balance Sheet

As of December 31, 2019

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Note 1 There was a reclass between FERC 189 and 182.3. The monthly amortization related to the Debt in FERC 189 was being recorded to FERC 182.3 from August 2019 to December 2019. We reclassed the five months of amortization from FERC 182.3 to FERC 189, to correct this in December 2019.

BEFORE THE NEW JERSEY BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

DIRECT TESTIMONY

OF

MICHAEL P. SCACIFERO

Director of Engineering Services

On Behalf Of Elizabethtown Gas Company

April 30, 2020

I. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

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- 2 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME, AFFILIATION AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.
- 3 A. My name is Michael P. Scacifero and I am the Director of Engineering Services for
- 4 Elizabethtown Gas Company ("Elizabethtown" or the "Company"). My business
- 5 address is 520 Green Lane, Union, New Jersey 07083.
- 6 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES.
- 7 A. As Director of Engineering Services for Elizabethtown, I oversee engineering 8 planning design and budgeting for all of Elizabethtown's distribution system improvements, renewals, pressure improvements, Department of Transportation 9 projects and large new business projects. I am responsible for conducting system 10 modeling and analysis and providing engineering support to Field Operations and 11 12 Construction Operations. I am also involved with the development of 13 Elizabethtown's capital budget and I am familiar with its components.
- 14 Q. WHAT ARE YOUR PROFESSIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL
 15 QUALIFICATIONS?
- 16 A. I received a B.S. in Civil Engineering from New Jersey Institute of Technology in 17 1988. I am a Licensed Professional Engineer in the State of New Jersey. I have been 18 employed by Elizabethtown for 29 years in Engineering and Operations. Two of 19 those years were spent as a Project Engineer, five years as a Division Engineer, and 20 fourteen years as Manager of Engineering, Manager of Operations and, currently, 21 Director of Engineering Services. Prior to joining Elizabethtown, I was a Project 22 Engineer for four years with Johnson Engineering Inc. specializing in highway and 23 infrastructure design. Prior to that, I was employed for three years by the Township

of Warren, New Jersey as a Staff Engineer specializing in municipal engineering. I
am a member of the New Jersey Utilities Association.

Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY?

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My testimony provides the status of both the actual in-service investments that were 4 Α. 5 made from July 1, 2019 through March 31, 2020 and those which are projected to be 6 made from April 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020 as part of the Company's Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") approved by the New Jersey Board of 7 8 Public Utilities ("BPU" or the "Board") by order dated June 12, 2019 in Docket No. 9 GR18101197 ("IIP Order"). In accordance with the IIP order, the Company will provide a 12+0 update by July 15, 2020 that contains actual in-service investments 10 through June 30, 2020. My testimony also provides certain information responsive to 11 the Minimum Filing Requirements ("MFRs") required to be provided in this filing by 12 the IIP Order. 13

14 Q. DOES YOUR TESTIMONY INCLUDE ANY ILLUSTRATIVE SCHEDULES?

A. Yes. My testimony includes the following schedules that were prepared by me or under my direction and supervision:

Schedule MPS-1: Elizabethtown's actual baseline capital spending for
both the recovery period and the prior calendar years
2018 and 2019 (MFR Number 3);

Schedule MPS-2: Elizabethtown's overall approved IIP capital budget,
including Construction Work In Progress ("CWIP")
and In-Service amounts, broken down by major

categories, including both budgeted and actual amounts

1 Schedule MPS-3: IIP Project information, including the original budget, CWIP expenditures incurred to date, status of 2 3 construction work completed to date, and estimated or actual construction completion date. (MFR Number 4 5 5.a.b.c.); and 6

Schedule MPS-4 Leak Metric Requirements.

II. 7 **OVERVIEW OF IIP**

PLEASE PROVIDE AN OVERVIEW OF THE COMPANY'S IIP. 8 Q.

9 A. Under the IIP, the Company is authorized to invest up to \$300 million ("Program 10 Cost Cap") in the Company's gas distribution system over the five (5) year period, July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024, to replace up to 250 miles of cast iron and bare 11 steel mains and related services, as well as the installation of excess flow valves 12 ("EFVs") on new service lines ("IIP Projects"). This filing reflects investments 13 associated with in-service IIP Projects during Year 1 of the IIP, which is the period 14 July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. 15

WHAT IS THE DERIVIATION OF THE PROGRAM COST CAP? Q.

17 A. The Program Cost Cap is derived by applying a cost per mile cap of \$1.2 million per 18 mile to the an IIP mileage cap of 250 miles over the five (5) year term of the IIP. 19 The \$300 million Program Cost Cap excludes Allowance for Funds Used During 20 Construction ("AFUDC") and the costs of the IIP Independent Monitor and the methane leak study, discussed further below. 21

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III. STATUS OF IIP PROJECTS

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2	Q.	PLEASE	DESCRIBE	THE	YEAR	ONE	IIP	PROJECTS	THAT
3		ELIZABE	THTOWN AN	NTICIPA	ATES WI	LL BE	PLAC	CED IN-SERV	ICE BY
4		JUNE 30, 2	2020.						

With respect to Year One IIP Projects, as of March 31, 2020, the Company invested \$46.0 million in CWIP, of which \$20 million was placed in-service, excluding AFUDC. As of March 31, 2020, the Company has installed 17.36 miles of main, 2,136 services and 2,133 EFVs on new service lines. These in-service investments include main, services and EFV projects located in the following 17 geographic program areas depicted on Schedule MPS-3: Reference Numbers 1-15, 21 and 32. The Company anticipates that by June 30, 2020 it will have placed in service a total of \$60.0 million, excluding AFUDC and the costs of the Independent Monitor and methane leak study, in Year 1 IIP Projects and will have installed 75.74 miles of main and an estimated 4,388 of associated services and 4,385 EFVs. See Schedules MPS-2 and MPS-3 for IIP budget information, expenditures incurred to date for In-Service and IIP Year 1 Project completion dates.

As required by the IIP Order, the IIP Projects and amounts are incremental to the Company's normal capital spending budget. The Company's actual baseline capital spending for both the recovery period (July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020) and the prior calendar year (12-months ending December 2019) is reflected in Schedule MPS-1.

Q. DO THE IN SERVICE AMOUNTS REFLECTED IN THIS FILING EXCEED \$30 MILLION AS REQUIRED BY THE IIP ORDER?

- Yes. Under the IIP Order, Elizabethtown shall make annual filings to recover IIP costs when eligible in-service amounts exceed 10% of total program spending. As noted above, Elizabethtown projects a total of \$60.0 million IIP plant-in-service as of June 30, 2020.
- 5 Q. IN ACCORDANCE WITH MFR NUMBER 5.d, PLEASE DISCUSS THE
 6 ANTICIPATED IIP TIMELINE, ESTIMATED COMPLETION DATE AND
- As noted above, the IIP timeline is from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024. All IIP projects are expected to be completed by June 30, 2024. Elizabethtown does not anticipate any changes to the IIP projects at this time. See Schedule MPS-3 for further information regarding IIP Year 1 project status and completion dates.

12 IV. PRIORITIZATION OF PROJECTS

ANY UNANCTICPATED CHANGES.

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13 Q. HOW HAS THE COMPANY PRIORITIZED THE IIP PROJECTS?

A. As required by the IIP Order, the IIP projects are prioritized utilizing Elizabethtown's

Distribution Integrity Management Plan or "DIMP", which is a risk-based process

followed by the Company. Elizabethtown has integrated advanced leak detection or

"ALD" technology information and methane emission flow rates, as appropriate,

along with consideration of additional factors such as construction, efficiencies,

logistics and other risk factors within Elizabethtown's discretion, including the

prioritization ranking methodology within the Company's DIMP.

¹ There is an exception to this requirement -- the April 2025 filing may be less than 10% of total program spending to the extent it reflects residual spending associated with restoration work occurring after June 30, 2024.

1	Q.	HAS THE COMPANY COMPLETED A METHANE LEAK SURVEY FOR
2		ELIZABETHTOWN'S TARGETED IIP MILES USING ALD
3		TECHNOLOGY?
4	A.	Yes. In compliance with the IIP Order, that survey was completed on October 31,
5		2019, thereby satisfying the deadline of December, 2019. Under the IIP Order,
6		investments in years two (2) and (5) of the IIP are subject to completion of the
7		methane leak survey. As authorized by the IIP Order, the costs of the survey are
8		reflected in the cost recovery sought by this filing and supported by Company witness
9		Thomas Kaufmann.
10	Q.	DID THE COMPANY FILE THE METHANE LEAK SURVEY
11		INFORMATION WITH THE BOARD?
12	A.	Yes. In compliance with the IIP Order, the methane leak survey accompanied the
13		first semi-annual IIP status report that the Company submitted to the Board on
14		February 18, 2020. Copies were also provided to Board Staff, Rate Counsel and the
15		Environmental Defense Fund.
16	V.	EFFECTIVENESS OF IIP AND OPEN LEAK INVENTORY REDUCTION
17	Q.	IN ACCORDANCE WITH MFR NUMBER 5.e., PLEASE DISCUSS THE
18		EFFECTIVENESS OF THE IIP IN IMPROVING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE,
19		INCLUDING IDENTIFICATION OF IMPROVED FACILITIES.
20	A.	As reflected above and in Schedule MPS-3, as of March 31, 2020, Elizabethtown has
21		installed 47.6 miles of mains and just over 4,000 services and EFVs inclusive of
22		CWIP projects not yet in service. In accordance with the intent of the IIP, the
23		replacement of these facilities has and will enhance the Company's distribution

system safety and reliability to the benefit of Elizabethtown's customers. The IIP

- work will also support the environment by helping to reduce Elizabethtown's open leak inventory as discussed below, and will facilitate economic development and employment in New Jersey.
- 4 Q. HAS THE COMPANY ENGAGED AN INDEPENDENT MONITOR THAT
 5 REVIEWS AND REPORTS ON THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE IIP TO
 6 BOARD STAFF AND RATE COUNSEL?
- 7 A. Yes, as required by the IIP Order, following consultation with Board Staff and Rate Counsel, in December, 2019, Elizabethtown retained Jerry May to serve as the IIP 8 9 Independent Monitor. In the first quarter of 2020, the Independent Monitor completed the first report and found that the IIP investments were effective in 10 meeting IIP objectives and that they were cost effective and efficient. 11 Independent Monitor's results were reported to Board Staff and Rate Counsel. As 12 13 discussed by Mr. Kaufmann, the Independent Monitor costs are reflected in the cost 14 recovery sought by this filing as authorized by the IIP Order.
- 15 Q. PLEASE ADDRESS THE COMPANY'S OPEN LEAK INVENTORY
 16 REQUIREMENT AS REFLECTED IN THE IIP ORDER?
- 17 A. The IIP Order requires that the Company reduce its year-end open leak inventory by 18 one (1) percent for each year of the IIP, except for certain extraordinary 19 circumstances. This open leak reduction metric includes all post-approval open leaks 20 subject to a cap for each year of the IIP. The cap for Year 1 of the IIP is 3,315, which 21 is the average number of year-end open leaks the Company has experienced during 22 the last five calendar years. Hereafter, the cap will be reduced by one (1) percent for 23 each of the remaining four (4) years of the IIP as set forth in the IIP Order. In other 24 words, by June 30, 2021, the Company must demonstrate a one (1) percent reduction

in the 3,315 cap. Subsequent years must be reduced by one (1) percent per year measured against the previous year. Thus, for purposes of this filing, the Company has satisfied the open leak target requirement contained in the IIP Order by establishing the cap. In any event, as of March 31, 2020, the Company's actual open leak inventory is 1,732. Please see Schedule MPS-4 for further information concerning Elizabethtown's leak metric requirements.

7 VI. <u>BASELINE CAPITAL SPENDING</u>

- 8 Q. PLEASE PROVIDE AN OVERVIEW OF THE COMPANY'S BASELINE
- 9 **CAPITAL SPENDING REQUIREMENTS.**
- Pursuant to the IIP Order, the Company is required to maintain Baseline Capital

 Spending amounts consisting of (1) a Total Capital Baseline Spend and (2) an IIP

 Baseline Spend. These Baseline Capital Spending amounts are not recoverable through the IIP recovery mechanism, but Elizabethtown shall seek recovery of these

 Baseline Capital Spending amounts in a base rate case.
- 15 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE TOTAL CAPITAL BASELINE SPEND
 16 REQUIREMENT.
- 17 **A.** Under the IIP Order, the Total Capital Baseline Spend must equal an average annual
 18 amount of \$79 million per IIP year or \$395 million over the five (5) year IIP
 19 investment period beginning July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2024. The specific capital
 20 investments made by the Company as part of the Total Capital Baseline Spend are
 21 within the discretion of Elizabethtown and include certain investments that are
 22 excluded from the IIP, such as vintage plastic mains and services and relocation of
 23 meters, amongst other costs, as well as costs in excess of the \$1.2 million per mile

- cap. The Company may also include up to \$10 million in new business expenditures
- 2 in Total Capital Baseline Spend.
- 3 Q. IS THE COMPANY IN COMPLIANCE WITH ITS TOTAL CAPITAL
- 4 BASELINE SPEND REQUIREMENT?
- 5 A. Yes. As reflected on Schedule MPS-1, the Company anticipates Total Capital
- Baseline Spend of \$113.9 million for the recovery period ending June 30, 2020, with
- 7 new business spend at the cap of \$10 million as of June 30, 2020.
- 8 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE IIP BASELINE SPEND REQUIREMENT.
- 9 A. The IIP Baseline Spend amount must equal \$6 million per IIP year or \$30 million
- over the five (5) year IIP investment period beginning July 1, 2019 through June 30,
- 11 2024. The IIP Baseline Spend consists of expenditures on projects similar to those
- eligible for recovery under the IIP.
- 13 Q. IS THE COMPANY IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE IIP BASELINE SPEND
- 14 **REQUIREMENT?**
- 15 A. Yes. As reflected on Schedule MPS-1, the Company anticipates IIP Baseline Spend
- of \$6.1 million as of June 30, 2020.
- 17 Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY AT THIS TIME?
- 18 **A.** Yes, it does.

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") Total Baseline Capital 12 Month Ending

Actual / Forecast

<u>Major Categories</u>	1/1/2018 thru 12/31/2018	1/1/2019 thru 12/31/2019	7/1/2019 thru 6/30/2020
IIP Baseline Spend in excess of \$6M per IIP Year *			\$148,362
New Business Investment IIP Cap**	\$23,717,201	\$29,133,013	\$10,000,000
Facilities (no breakout)	\$536,028	\$1,395,279	\$1,794,493
Fleet (no breakout)	\$705,156	\$1,255,519	\$2,510,830
Measurement Operations (SCADA, Measurement, Controls)	\$1,235,366	\$1,674,875	\$2,031,806
Peaking Ops	\$1,537,835	\$988,146	\$5,189,304
IT (Base Business)	\$20,522,841	\$50,299,489	\$50,045,351
Mandatory (no breakout)	\$1,778,883	\$2,573,885	\$2,773,872
Strategic (CNG Stations) - Not itemized	\$0	\$0	\$0
Strategic (Other)	\$390	\$0	\$0
Distribution Integrity Mgmt Pgm (DIMP)	\$57,448,661	\$61,716,820	\$25,562,519
Transmission Integrity Mgmt Pgm (TIMP) (General)	\$1,035,683	\$1,610,648	\$1,513,014
Renewals (incl. Relo, Marta, excl. DIMP & TRIMP)	\$25,162,424	\$2,181,379	\$392,749
DOT	\$263,039	\$716,004	\$442,653
Periodic Testing (PT) Meter	\$2,906,463	\$2,673,409	\$2,496,087
Pressure Improvement (PRIM)	\$1,217,980	\$1,848,420	\$1,910,352
Corrosion Work	\$1,174,973	\$183,492	\$350,991
Industrial Meters			\$0
Operations (Field) - Blk svcs, bollards, ert repl, etc.	\$497,778	\$827,853	\$943,972
Regulator Station (incl Vaults, Tin Whistles)	\$178,897	\$118,359	\$118,359
Relocation			\$31,979
Tools, incl blanket tools (NB, Field & Con Ops)	\$462,432	\$79,601	\$179,840
Rate Base Accruals	(\$312,365)	(\$32,077)	\$8,211
RBI Overheads & AFUDC	\$9,196,829	\$9,281,549	\$5,409,714
Total	\$149,266,494	\$168,525,663	\$113,854,458

^{*} IIP Baseline Spend in excess of \$6M per IIP Year.

IIP Baseline Spend & Forecast

Major Categories	1/1/2018 thru 12/31/2018	1/1/2019 thru 12/31/2019	7/1/2019 thru 6/30/2020
Infrastructure Investment Program - Base Spend (No OH, No AFUDC)	\$0	\$2,648,836	\$5,899,607
Infrastructure Investment Program - Base Spend (OH)	\$0	\$104,007	\$203,228
Infrastructure Investment Program - Base Spend (AFUDC)	\$0	\$16,154	\$45,527
Total	\$0	\$2,768,997	\$6,148,362
IIP Baseline Spend in excess of \$6M per IIP Year.			(\$148,362)
IIP Baseline Spend Requirement			\$6,000,000

^{**} New Business Capital Expenditures not to exceed \$10M per IIP Year.

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP") IIP Capital for Years Ending June 30

Program Year 1 - 9+3

Program Year 1 Program Year 2 Program Year 3 Program Year 4 Program Year 5 Post Program Year 5

	Budget					
Mains	Services	Total				
\$ 37,200,000	\$ 22,800,000	\$	60,000,000			
\$ 37,200,000	\$ 22,800,000	\$	60,000,000			
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\$ 37,200,000	\$ 22,800,000	\$	60,000,000			
		\$	-			
\$ 186,000,000	\$ 114,000,000	\$	300,000,000			

Program Year 1 Program Year 2 Program Year 3 Program Year 4 Program Year 5 Post Program Year 5

CWIP Actual as of March 31, 2020											
	Mains		Services		Sub-Total		Mains	Services		Sub-Total	Total
\$	29,131,855	\$	16,912,449	\$	46,044,304	\$	19,056,348	\$ 4,231,494	\$	23,287,842	\$ 69,332,146
\$	29,131,855	\$	16,912,449	\$	46,044,304	\$	19,056,348	\$ 4,231,494	\$	23,287,842	\$ 69,332,146

Program Year 1 Program Year 2 Program Year 3 Program Year 4 Program Year 5 Post Program Year 5

	In-Serv	vice Ac	tual as of March	31, 20)20		1				
	Mains Services Sub-Total		Sub-Total		Mains	Services	Sub-Total		Total		
\$	11,443,628	\$	8,598,488	\$	20,042,116	\$	34,936,144	\$ 5,021,880	\$ 39,958,024	\$	60,000,140
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	ervice Number of El				2133		ervice Number of		2252		4385

Note: Amounts exclude the costs for a program monitor, methane leak study and AFUDC.

Cost for 12 months ending June 30, 2025 represents spending to the extent it reflects residual spending associated with restoration work occurring after June 30, 2024. In-service forecast based on current pandemic

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP")

Construction Work In Progress ("CWIP") IIP Programs and Projects as of March 31, 2020

Reference		Geographic Program Area Ir	oformation	Pro	oject Budgets wo/	AFUDC	Project A	ctuals to Date wo	/AFUDC	Miles of	Number of	Number	Est. or Actual
Number	<u>AFE</u>	IIP Geographic Program Area	<u>Status</u>	<u>Mains</u>	Services	<u>Total</u>	<u>Mains</u>	Services	<u>Total</u>	Main	Services	of EFV's	Completion Date
1	168913	Chilton St., Cherry St., and Westfield Ave - Phase 3	Completed - Mains, Service and Restoration	\$ 974,092	\$ 441,105	\$ 1,415,197	\$ 1,176,324	\$ 802,954	\$ 1,979,278	1.01	106	106	9/23/19
2	172043	Westfield Ave (Grove St to Highland Ave)	Completed - Mains, Service and Restoration	\$ 674,554	\$ 175,293	\$ 849,847	\$ 543,612	\$ 352,182	\$ 895,794	0.74	47	47	10/22/19
3	173438	Salem Rd, Ph. 3	Completed - Mains, Service and Restoration	\$ 978,120	\$ 821,588	\$ 1,799,708	\$ 964,304	\$ 578,209	\$ 1,542,513	1.70	203	203	10/9/19
4	175675	Grand Street	Completed - Mains, Service and Restoration	\$ 213,669	\$ 215,849	\$ 429,518	\$ 227,653	\$ 131,905	\$ 359,558	0.43	48	48	7/24/19
5	176826	Lake Avenue	Completed - Mains, Service and Restoration	\$ 69,035 \$ 1.108.730	\$ 42,266 \$ 422,869	\$ 111,301 \$ 1,531,599	\$ 61,165 \$ 1,106,738	\$ 39,360 \$ 500.182	\$ 100,525 \$ 1,606,920	0.17 1.54	9	9	8/27/19 11/6/19
6 7	177352	Congress St Phase II Main St	Completed - Mains, Service and Restoration	\$ 1,108,730	\$ 422,869	\$ 1,531,599	\$ 1,106,738	\$ 500,182	\$ 1,606,920	0.05	187 3	187 3	10/15/19
8	500083 169283	Salem Ave (Conant St to Ridgeway Ave)	Completed - Mains, Service and Restoration Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 1,737,104	\$ 1,301,789	\$ 3,038,893	\$ 1,057,785	\$ 1,082,720	\$ 2,140,505	1.92	281	281	11/6/19
9	171369	Orange Ave and S 21st St	Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 1,550,413	\$ 872,985	\$ 2,423,398	\$ 781,743	\$ 981,569	\$ 1,763,312	2.53	342	342	2/19/20
10	173001	South Ave (NJ 28) and Hetfield Ave	Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 1,938,470	\$ 794,763	\$ 2,733,233	\$ 1,625,200	\$ 1,070,446	\$ 2,695,646	2.60	281	280	12/4/19
11	173843	Birchwood Ave EP DI Replacement	Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 97,524	\$ 33,976	\$ 131,500	\$ 176,769	\$ 833	\$ 177,602	0.31	1	1	7/15/19
12	173886	Stiles St	Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 123,386	\$ 131,585	\$ 254,971	\$ 230,158	\$ 240,670	\$ 470,828	0.04	20	20	11/25/19
13	174185	W Munsell Ave and W Stimpson Ave	Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 953,278	\$ 639,667	\$ 1,592,945	\$ 625,871	\$ 684,606	\$ 1,310,477	1.24	131	129	2/25/20
14	174624	4th St and 5th St	Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 1,726,688	\$ 1,249,783	\$ 2,976,471	\$ 1,437,107	\$ 1,476,262	\$ 2,913,369	1.79	317	317	2/20/20
15	176067	Mountain Ave and Parkway	Restoration - Mains and Services 100% Complete	\$ 229,150	\$ 68,467	\$ 297,617	\$ 200,392	\$ 44,869	\$ 245,261	0.13	17	17	10/16/19
16	176015	Cook Ave and Mountain Ave	Construction - Mains at 99% and Services at 40%	\$ 897,330	\$ 718,899	\$ 1,616,229	\$ 619,646	\$ 673,579	\$ 1,293,225	1.59	128	128	7/22/20
17	174755	Bender Ave and Sheridan Ave	Construction - Mains at 98% and Services at 78%	\$ 1,081,490	\$ 910,494	\$ 1,991,984	\$ 713,323	\$ 967,300	\$ 1,680,623	1.35	236	236	7/20/20
18	175728	Walnut St and E 7th Ave	Construction - Mains at 97% and Services at 67%	\$ 1,030,095	\$ 588,660	\$ 1,618,755	\$ 623,786	\$ 765,967	\$ 1,389,753	1.29	128	128	5/4/20
19	175326	Sheridan Ave and E 7th Ave	Construction - Mains at 97% and Services at 58%	\$ 1,055,924	\$ 531,435	\$ 1,587,359	\$ 754,248	\$ 594,644	\$ 1,348,892	1.28	96	96	6/15/20
20 21	174000	2nd Ave and 3rd Ave	Construction - Mains at 96% and Services at 41%	\$ 988,241 \$ 802,194	\$ 656,338	\$ 1,644,579 \$ 1,094,240	\$ 680,758 \$ 645,096	\$ 478,458	\$ 1,159,216	1.62 0.68	96	96 58	6/24/20
22	176044 174471	Elmwood Ave Birch Hill Rd and Knollwood Rd	Construction - Mains at 93% and Services at 83% Construction - Mains at 95% and Services at 13%	\$ 802,194 \$ 1.896,449	\$ 292,046 \$ 484.845	\$ 1,094,240	\$ 645,096 \$ 763,020	\$ 334,175 \$ 146.362	\$ 979,271 \$ 909,382	2.07	58 25	25	4/15/20 6/18/20
23	176824	Highland Ave and Birch Ave	Construction - Mains at 95% and Services at 13% Construction - Mains at 87% and Services at 94%	\$ 1,803,339	\$ 606,891	\$ 2,410,230	\$ 980.697	\$ 457,025	\$ 1,437,722	1.63	138	137	6/25/20
24	176009	Burklev Pl	Construction - Mains at 87% and Services at 94% Construction - Mains at 85% and Services at 42%	\$ 488.287	\$ 347.506	\$ 2,410,230	\$ 332.800	\$ 194.630	\$ 527.430	0.79	54	54	7/16/20
25	176344	Spring St (US Route 1) (E Jersey St to North Ave) Phase II	Construction - Mains at 85% and Services at 42% Construction - Mains at 84% and Services at 76%	\$ 776,494	\$ 373,232	\$ 1.149.726	\$ 787.016	\$ 248.653	\$ 1.035.669	0.73	38	38	4/20/20
26	500040	Irvington Ave and Riverside Dr	Construction - Mains at 94% and Services at 76% Construction - Mains at 94% and Services at 0%	\$ 1,189,497	\$ 690,340	\$ 1,879,837	\$ 881,153	\$ -	\$ 881,153	2.05	0	0	7/8/20
27	500086	Walnut St and Wheatsheaf Rd	Construction - Mains at 70% and Services at 0%	\$ 443,861	\$ 272,044	\$ 715,905	\$ 214,207	\$ -	\$ 214,207	0.45	0	0	7/1/20
28	176479	Savitt PI and Brighton St	Construction - Mains at 64% and Services at 0%	\$ 734,809	\$ 450,367	\$ 1,185,176	\$ 608,669	\$ 34,077	\$ 642,746	0.70	0	0	7/27/20
29	177266	Cross Ave and Alina St	Construction - Mains at 87% and Services at 0%	\$ 923,385	\$ 565,945	\$ 1,489,330	\$ 802,231	\$ 1,518	\$ 803,749	1.33	0	0	7/20/20
30	500022	W. Baltimore Ave and Lincoln St	Construction - Mains at 57% and Services at 27%	\$ 1,161,998	\$ 712,192	\$ 1,874,190	\$ 551,173	\$ 236,537	\$ 787,710	0.95	62	62	6/17/20
31	176079	Fairway Dr	Construction - Mains at 55% and Services at 40%	\$ 1,184,393	\$ 620,554	\$ 1,804,947	\$ 820,760	\$ 276,491	\$ 1,097,251	1.05	81	81	7/16/20
32	173738	Brookside Pl and 4th Ave	Construction - Mains at 47% and Services at 80%	\$ 565,554	\$ 274,514	\$ 840,068	\$ 555,226	\$ 267,485	\$ 822,711	0.48	85	85	6/16/20
33	177548	Durham Ave and Central Ave	Construction - Mains at 37% and Services at 0%	\$ 129,166	\$ 72,282	\$ 201,448	\$ 228,657	\$ 1,519	\$ 230,176	0.07	0	0	6/26/20
34	174716	Salem Rd, Ph. 4	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 91%	\$ 391,746	\$ 349,037	\$ 740,783	\$ 296,701	\$ 238,771	\$ 535,472	0.71	92	92	7/20/20
35	169317	Sweetland Ave and Eastern Pky	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 89%	\$ 1,371,574	\$ 1,063,744	\$ 2,435,318	\$ 686,351	\$ 1,246,731	\$ 1,933,082	2.24	395	395	6/15/20
36 37	175350	Main St W Curtis St and Miltonia St	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 66%	\$ 757,702 \$ 1.017.220	\$ 441,039 \$ 561,560	\$ 1,198,741 \$ 1,578,780	\$ 610,537 \$ 571,255	\$ 593,521 \$ 488,786	\$ 1,204,058 \$ 1.060,041	1.13 1.55	103 73	103 73	6/15/20 4/6/20
38	175428 500111	Harrison Ave and Mercer Ave	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 42%	\$ 708,530	\$ 434,260	\$ 1,378,780	\$ 496,464	\$ 488,786	\$ 1,060,041	1.12	46	46	7/21/20
39	169604	S Union Ave	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 23% Construction - Mains at 99% and Services at 100%	\$ 197,992	\$ 187,221	\$ 385,213	\$ 357,178	\$ 390,847	\$ 748,025	0.42	69	69	6/15/20
40	175254	Columbus Ave	Construction - Mains at 199% and Services at 100% Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 1%	\$ 805.163	\$ 455.638	\$ 1.260.801	\$ 563.487	\$ 30.011	\$ 593,498	1.15	1	1	7/8/20
41	500065	W. Broad St	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 17%	\$ 474,982	\$ 291,118	\$ 766,100	\$ 291,501	\$ 60,524	\$ 352,025	0.60	15	15	5/27/20
42	500055	E Linden Ave EP DI Replacement	Construction - Mains at 200% and Services at 88%	\$ 131,936	\$ 80,864	\$ 212,800	\$ 173,713	\$ 23,225	\$ 196,938	0.00	7	7	4/30/20
43	177009	Hillside Ave and Mountainview Dr	Construction - Mains at 0% and Services at 0%	\$ 1,045,404	\$ 640,731	\$ 1,686,135	\$ 8,597	\$ 1,750	\$ 10,347	0.00	0	0	6/16/20
44	175987	W Curtis St and W Gibbons St	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 0%	\$ 485,451	\$ 297,534	\$ 782,985	\$ 209,571	\$ -	\$ 209,571	0.70	0	0	6/16/20
45	500105	Richfield Ave and Summit Ave	Construction - Mains at 100% and Services at 0%	\$ 677,883	\$ 415,477	\$ 1,093,360	\$ 223,375	\$ -	\$ 223,375	1.04	0	0	7/1/20
46	176447	Vauxhall Rd (Highland Ave to Faitoute Ave)	Construction - Mains at 48% and Services at 0%	\$ 651,620	\$ 399,380	\$ 1,051,000	\$ 145,604	\$ 3,358	\$ 148,962	0.46	0	0	7/8/20
47	500071	W. Chestnut Street	Construction - Mains at 9% and Services at 0%	\$ 486,998	\$ 298,482	\$ 785,480	\$ 41,883	\$ 2,145	\$ 44,028	0.06	0	0	7/10/20
48	169229	North Ave (Riverside Dr to Newark Ave)	Pre-Construction	\$ 562,464	\$ 344,736	\$ 907,200	\$ 160,654	\$ -	\$ 160,654	0.00	0	0	11/16/20
49	169333	W Milton Ave and Bryant Ave, Ph 2	Pre-Construction	\$ 681,600	\$ 417,755	\$ 1,099,355	\$ 65,731	\$ -	\$ 65,731	0.00	0	0	6/17/20
50	172420	N Main St (NJ 29)	Pre-Construction	\$ 185,483	\$ 54,748	\$ 240,231	\$ 83,959	\$ -	\$ 83,959	0.00	0	0	6/17/20
51	173491	High St and Rector St	Pre-Construction	\$ 1,260,736	\$ 772,709	\$ 2,033,445	\$ 57,509	\$ -	\$ 57,509	0.00	0	0	9/29/20
52	173993	Park Ave and Coolidge Rd	Pre-Construction	\$ 444,024 \$ 846.911	\$ 294,870 \$ 519.074	\$ 738,894 \$ 1,365,985	\$ 26,776 \$ 28.863	\$ -	\$ 26,776 \$ 28.863	0.00	0	0	1/4/21 4/20/21
53 54	174280 174533	Browning Ave and Edgewood Rd Colfax Ave and Maplewood Ave	Pre-Construction Pre-Construction	\$ 846,911 \$ 1,790,104	\$ 519,074 \$ 1,097,161	\$ 1,365,985 \$ 2,887,265	\$ 28,863 \$ 142,107	\$ - \$ -	\$ 28,863 \$ 142,107	0.00	0	0	4/20/21 2/11/21
55	174533	South Wood Ave (Tremley Point Rd) EP DI Replacement	Pre-Construction Pre-Construction	\$ 1,790,104	\$ 98.363	\$ 2,887,265	\$ 78,749	\$ 210	\$ 142,107	0.00	0	0	6/18/20
56	175940	Wilbur Ave	Pre-Construction Pre-Construction	\$ 504,661	\$ 309,309	\$ 813,970	\$ 73,409	\$ -	\$ 73,409	0.00	0	0	8/5/20
57	176053	N. Union St and Elm St	Pre-Construction	\$ 281.843	\$ 172.742	\$ 454,585	\$ 65,289	\$ -	\$ 65,289	0.00	0	0	2/24/21
58	176075	Lawrence Ave and Roanoke Rd	Pre-Construction	\$ 1,031,097	\$ 631,963	\$ 1,663,060	\$ 69,376	\$ 1,750	\$ 71,126	0.00	0	0	2/24/21
59	176115	Vauxhall Rd and Gustov Ave	Pre-Construction	\$ 667,656	\$ 409,209	\$ 1,076,865	\$ 57,584	\$ -	\$ 57,584	0.00	0	0	11/25/20
60	176394	Vauxhall Rd and Brookfall Ave	Pre-Construction	\$ 684,282	\$ 419,398	\$ 1,103,680	\$ 60,525	\$ -	\$ 60,525	0.00	0	0	9/9/20
61	176840	Route 22 Eastbound	Pre-Construction	\$ 254,100	\$ 155,738	\$ 409,838	\$ 20,764	\$ -	\$ 20,764	0.00	0	0	6/25/20
62	177350	E. Price St and Maple Ave	Pre-Construction	\$ 574,173	\$ 351,912	\$ 926,085	\$ 68,815	\$ -	\$ 68,815	0.00	0	0	8/12/20

ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP")

Construction Work In Progress ("CWIP") IIP Programs and Projects as of March 31, 2020

Reference		Geographic Program Area	Information		Pro	oject Bu	ıdgets wo/	AFUDC	:		Project A	ctuals to Date wo	/AFUD	ос	Miles of	Number of	Number	Est. or Actual
Number	AFE	IIP Geographic Program Area	<u>Status</u>	M	1ains_	Se	rvices		<u>Total</u>		Mains	Services		<u>Total</u>	Main	Services	of EFV's	Completion Date
63	500025	Monmouth Rd and Princeton Rd	Pre-Construction	\$	2,000,117	\$	1,225,878	\$	3,225,995	\$	40,305	\$ -	\$	40,305	0.00	0	0	10/21/21
64	500031	Aldene Rd and W. 3rd Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	1,325,129	\$	812,176	\$	2,137,305	\$	41,834	\$ -	\$	41,834	0.00	0	0	10/19/20
65	500034	Robin Rd EP DI Replacement	Pre-Construction	\$	93,744	\$	57,456	\$	151,200	\$	6,914	\$ -	\$	6,914	0.00	0	0	6/17/20
66	500037	Central Ave and Maple Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	1,840,160	\$	1,127,840	\$	2,968,000	\$	95,266	\$ -	\$	95,266	0.00	0	0	11/20/20
67	500043	Rose St and N. 4th St	Pre-Construction	\$	521,870	\$	319,856	\$	841,726	\$	67,413	\$ -	\$	67,413	0.00	0	0	1/12/21
68	500068	Downer St and Palsted Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	850,395	\$	521,210	\$	1,371,605	\$	17,783	\$ -	\$	17,783	0.00	0	0	2/17/21
69	500074	W. Grand Street	Pre-Construction	\$	187,984	\$	115,216	\$	303,200	\$	67,319	\$ -	\$	67,319	0.00	0	0	7/1/20
70	500077	Halsted Rd and Hillside Rd	Pre-Construction	\$	1,208,560	\$	740,730	\$	1,949,290	\$	35,788	\$ -	\$	35,788	0.00	0	0	9/23/20
71	500080	Gordon St and Market St	Pre-Construction	\$	586,229	\$	359,301	\$	945,530	\$	109,543	\$ -	\$	109,543	0.00	0	0	2/1/21
72	500096	Pierce St and New Brunswick Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	451,010	\$	276,425	\$	727,435	\$	41,449	\$ -	\$	41,449	0.00	0	0	8/3/20
73	500099	Montgomery St and E. Scott Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	281,889	\$	172,771	\$	454,660	\$	26,035	\$ -	\$	26,035	0.00	0	0	7/1/20
74	500102	Center St and Hazel Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	846,083	\$	518,567	\$	1,364,650	\$	53,187	\$ -	\$	53,187	0.00	0	0	9/4/20
75	500108	Arthur Terr and Kingston Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	590,237	\$	361,758	\$	951,995	\$	105,934	\$ -	\$	105,934	0.00	0	0	1/5/21
76	500114	Pine St and Ripley Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	798,749	\$	489,556	\$	1,288,305	\$	41,688	\$ -	\$	41,688	0.00	0	0	2/2/21
77	500117	McCandless St and Bower St	Pre-Construction	\$	725,456	\$	444,634	\$	1,170,090	\$	56,174	\$ -	\$	56,174	0.00	0	0	10/22/20
78	500120	Clinton St	Pre-Construction	\$	821,866	\$	503,724	\$	1,325,590	\$	60,144	\$ -	\$	60,144	0.00	0	0	2/24/21
79	500123	Rahway Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	524,588	\$	321,522	\$	846,110	\$	54,869	\$ -	\$	54,869	0.00	0	0	7/13/20
80	500128	Middlesex Ave (NJ 27) and Main St	Pre-Construction	\$	741,477	\$	454,453	\$	1,195,930	\$	83,509	\$ -	\$	83,509	0.00	0	0	4/20/21
81	500131	Gless Ave and High St	Pre-Construction	\$	492,652	\$	301,948	\$	794,600	\$	48,474	\$ -	\$	48,474	0.00	0	0	2/19/21
82	500134	Oakland Terr and Stanley Terr	Pre-Construction	\$	746,877	\$	457,763	\$	1,204,640	\$	48,591	\$ -	\$	48,591	0.00	0	0	1/5/21
83	500137	Hawthorne Ave and Leslie St	Pre-Construction	\$	653,508	\$	400,537	\$	1,054,045	\$	35,363	\$ -	\$	35,363	0.00	0	0	12/28/20
84	500142	Gelb Ave EP DI Replacement	Pre-Construction	\$	53,084	\$	32,536	\$	85,620	\$	6,900	\$ -	\$	6,900	0.00	0	0	6/16/20
85	500155	Hamilton St and Seminary Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	600,659	\$	368,146	\$	968,805	\$	40,876	\$ -	\$	40,876	0.00	0	0	3/30/21
86	500158	Lincoln Ave E and Walnut Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	467,818	\$	286,727	\$	754,545	\$	40,498	\$ -	\$	40,498	0.00	0	0	11/11/20
87	500169	Grove Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	277,839	\$	170,288	\$	448,127	\$	6,881	\$ -	\$	6,881	0.00	0	0	7/17/20
88	500181	Bonna Villa Ave and Victory St	Pre-Construction	\$	673,060	\$	412,520	\$	1,085,580	\$	51,084	\$ -	\$	51,084	0.00	0	0	11/3/20
89	500175	Colfax Ave and W. Lincoln Ave	Pre-Construction	\$	657,116	\$	402,749	\$	1,059,865	\$	74,954	\$ -	\$	74,954	0.00	0	0	12/16/20
90	500239	Dowd Ave and York St	Pre-Construction	\$	372,443	\$	228,271	\$	600,714	\$	6,108	\$ -	\$	6,108	0.00	0	0	6/18/20
91	500245	Myrtle Ave and Oak St	Pre-Construction	\$	681,188	\$	417,502	\$	1,098,690	\$	23,730	\$ -	\$	23,730	0.00	0	0	12/16/20
92	500016	New York Place	On Hold	\$	70,829	\$	43,411	\$	114,240	\$	6,024	\$ -	\$	6,024	0.00	0	0	2/1/21
93	169803	Hory St and Ludlow St	Design	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	7,794	\$ -	\$	7,794	0.00	0	0	2/16/22
94	172642	Center St EP DI Replacement	Design	\$	429,586	\$	263,294	\$	692,880	\$	34,986	\$ 3,538	\$	38,524	0.00	0	0	8/12/20
95	500052	Progress St EP DI Replacement	Design	\$	416,640	Ş	255,360	\$	672,000	\$	11,198	\$ -	\$	11,198	0.00	0	0	9/16/20
96	500145	Westfield Ave EP DI Replacement	Design	\$	264,306	\$	161,994	\$	426,300	\$	1,518	\$ -	\$	1,518	0.00	0	0	10/1/20
97	500149	Vauxhall Rd (Private Rd) EP DI Replacement	Design	\$	187,042	\$	114,638	\$	301,680	\$	9,551	\$ -	Ş	9,551	0.00	0	0	1/5/21
98	500152	Commerce Dr EP DI Replacement	Design	\$	142,699	\$	87,461	\$	230,160	\$	651	\$ -	Ş	651	0.00	0	0	11/12/20
99	500178	Knopf St and Laurita St	Design	\$	577,642	\$	354,038	\$	931,680	\$	78,297	Ş -	\$	78,297	0.00	0	0	9/9/20
100	500242	Florida St and Geneva St	Design	\$	679,706	\$	416,594	\$	1,096,300	\$	17,249	\$ -	Ş	17,249	0.00	0	0	10/21/20
101	500261	Colonial Arms Rd and Nixon Rd	Design	\$	751,204	\$	460,416	\$	1,211,620	\$	220	\$ -	Ş	220	0.00	0	0	8/11/20
102	500267	Essex Ave and Spring St	Design	\$	467,337	\$	286,433	\$	753,770	\$	3,850	Ş -	Ş	3,850	0.00	0	0	10/14/20
103	500258	Globe Ave and Winfield Terr	Design	\$	768,862	\$	471,238	\$	1,240,100	\$	18,368	Ş -	Ş	18,368	0.00	0	0	8/5/20
104	500255	Kimball Ave and Canterbury Rd	Design	\$	1,107,413	\$	678,737	\$	1,786,150	\$	3,603	\$ -	Ş	3,603	0.00	0	0	10/7/20
105	500252	Oak Ave and Sherwood Pkwy	Design	\$	944,359	\$	578,801	Ş	1,523,160	\$	2,722	Ş -	Ş	2,722	0.00	0	0	8/20/20
106	500264	Rose St and Newman St	Design	\$ -	324,272	\$ •	198,748	ş	523,020	\$	5,110	\$ -	\$	5,110	0.00	0	0	1/2/22
		Totals		Ş 7	5,905,592	\$ 4	5,041,419	\$	120,947,011	Ş	29,131,855	\$ 16,912,449	Ş	46,044,304	47.63	4,019	4,015	

Independent Monitor and Leak Detection costs were charged to 169229 but are not reflected on this report.

Please See Appendix A to Testimony Information pertaining to the following for the above projects:

- Work completed, including identified tasks completed, e.g. design phase, material procurement, permit gathering, phases of construction, etc.;

 Anticipated project timeline, including estimated completion date, with updates and expected and unanticipated changes, along with an explanation of the reasons for any changes; and

 A narrative discussion of the effectiveness of the project in improving system performance; including identification of improved facilities including specific feeders), where appropriate.

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ELIZABETHTOWN GAS COMPANY Infrastructure Investment Program ("IIP")

Leak Metrics

						March-31	June-30
				April Filing	July Filing	Actual	Actual
				Actual	Actual	Fav / (Un-Fav)	Fav / (Un-Fav)
	5 Yr Avg	Reduction	<u>Target</u>	March-31	June-30	to Target	to Target
2020	3,315	0%	3,315	1,732	-	1,583	-
2021	3,315	1%	3,282	-	-	=	-
2022	3,315	2%	3,249	-	-	=	=
2023	3,315	3%	3,216	-	-	=	=
2024	3,315	4%	3,182	-	-	-	-

	Dec. Yr. End
2015	3,933
2016	3,190
2017	3,531
2018	4,330
2019	1,592
5 Yr Avg	3,315