

**BLACK HILLS POWER, INC.**  
SD PUC DOCKET: EL15-012  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN

REQUEST DATE : April 17, 2015

RESPONSE DATE : May 8, 2015

REQUESTING PARTY: SDPUC Staff

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**SDPUC Request No. 1-5:**

Please identify the economic development activities that require travel and meal expenses to be incurred.

**Response to SDPUC Request No. 1-5:**

The economic development activities that require travel and meal expenses are conferences that are held outside of the Black Hills area. In 2014, Black Hills Power incurred travel and meal expenses to attend the SHOT show in Las Vegas, NV, the FABTECH Expo in Atlanta, GA, the Governor's Office of Economic Development Annual Conference in Sioux Falls, SD, and the South Dakota Chamber Economic Development Conferences in Sioux Falls, SD, and Pierre, SD.