

## **Board Action**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 

September 20, 2022

## **ITEM**

Revisions to SD-7: Environmental Stewardship

## <u>PURPOSE</u>

To ensure full board review, discussion and acceptance of SD-7: Environmental Stewardship policy revisions.

## **FACTS**

- The System Management and Nuclear Oversight Committee is responsible for a. evaluating and monitoring Board Policy SD-7: Environmental Stewardship.
- The System Management and Nuclear Oversight Committee proposed revisions for b. Board consideration on September 20, 2022.
- The System Management and Nuclear Oversight Committee is recommending to the C. Board that Board Policy SD-7: Environmental Stewardship be revised as outlined on Exhibit A.

## **ACTION**

Board of Directors approval of the SD-7: Environmental Stewardship policy, as outlined on Exhibit A.

RECOMMENDED:

APPROVED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:

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Bradley R. Underwood

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Vice President – Systems Transformation

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President and Chief Executive Officer

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Attachments: Exhibit A – Proposed SD-7: Environmental Stewardship Policy

Exhibit B – Presentation

Resolution

## **Exhibit A - Proposed Revisions**

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Omaha Public Power District	Policy No. and Name:  SD-7: Environmental Stewardship	Monitoring Method:	System Management and Nuclear Oversight Committee Board Report
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- By year end 2027, achieve an approximate 3,500,000 ton annual reduction in CO2 emissions at the North Omaha Station site relative to OPPD's 2013 benchmark of 3,960,179 tons at the station.



# **SD-7: Environmental Stewardship Board Policy Refinement Discussion**

Brad Underwood Vice President – Systems Transformation September 20, 2022

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## **Refinement Process: Strategic Directives**

## **BOARD WORK PLAN**

# Step 1 Committee chair/director requests during regular All Committee to determine if policy refinement will be added to the Board Work

Plan.

## **PRIORITIZATION**

Step 2
Board Chair and CEO convene to confirm priority, resource requirements, and start and finish dates; pending discussion, Chair/CEO will inform committee chair.

## PRES & CEO

Step 3
Assigns SMT to policy refinement as appropriate; approves initial drafts for committee review and comment.

## **COMMITTEE**

Steps 4-5
Reviews, revises and finalizes refinements to present to Board.

Committee Chair Committee

## **BOARD**

SD-7

Steps 6-8
Provides feedback on draft;
concur readiness for public
posting; approve final
committee recommendation
via Board vote.

## **In-Committee**

Committee discussion & recommendation development

September 7 - present

Board review/decision

September 20, 2022

Vote

September 22, 2022

Added to Work Plan August 16, 2022



## All Committee Review: September 20, 2022

Is there anything that requires further clarification?
Is there anything you especially like?
Is there anything that you'd like the Committee to consider before moving this forward for board action?

## Exhibit A - Proposed Revisions

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## **Next Step**

Option 1: Board Resolution & Vote
 OR

Option 2: Additional Committee Deliberation





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## <u>DRAFT</u> RESOLUTION NO. 65<mark>xx</mark>

**WHEREAS,** from June through August 2022, the Board of Directors of the Omaha Public Power District (the "Board") reviewed, received stakeholder feedback, and approved for reliability and resiliency considerations an extension of the date for the previously planned retirement and refuel of the generating units at the North Omaha Station; and

**WHEREAS,** in September 2022, the System Management and Nuclear Oversight Committee (the "Committee") proposed, and the Board of Directors reviewed, a recommendation to revise Board Policy SD-7: Environmental Stewardship to reflect the currently estimated date of the refuel and retirement schedule for generation units at the North Omaha Station.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Directors of the Omaha Public Power District that the revised Board Policy SD-7: Environmental Stewardship revisions are approved, effective September 22, 2022, as set forth on the Exhibit A, attached hereto.