

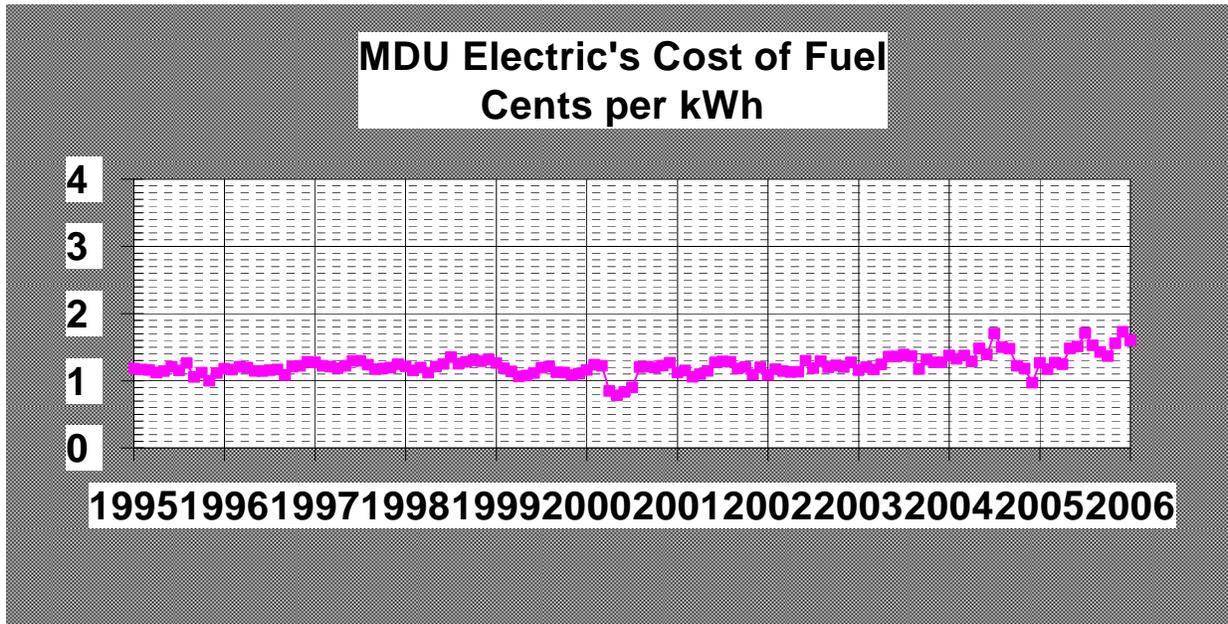
March 7, 2006

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., A Division of
MDU Resources Group, Inc.
March 2006
Fuel Cost Adjustment**

Case No. PU-06-71

MDU decreased its electric fuel cost adjustment by 0.130 cents per kWh from 0.425 cents per kWh. The resulting fuel cost adjustment for March is 0.295 cents per kWh.

As a result of this change, the electric bill for a typical MDU residential customer consuming 750 kWh per month will decrease by \$0.98 for bills rendered in the month of March.



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