

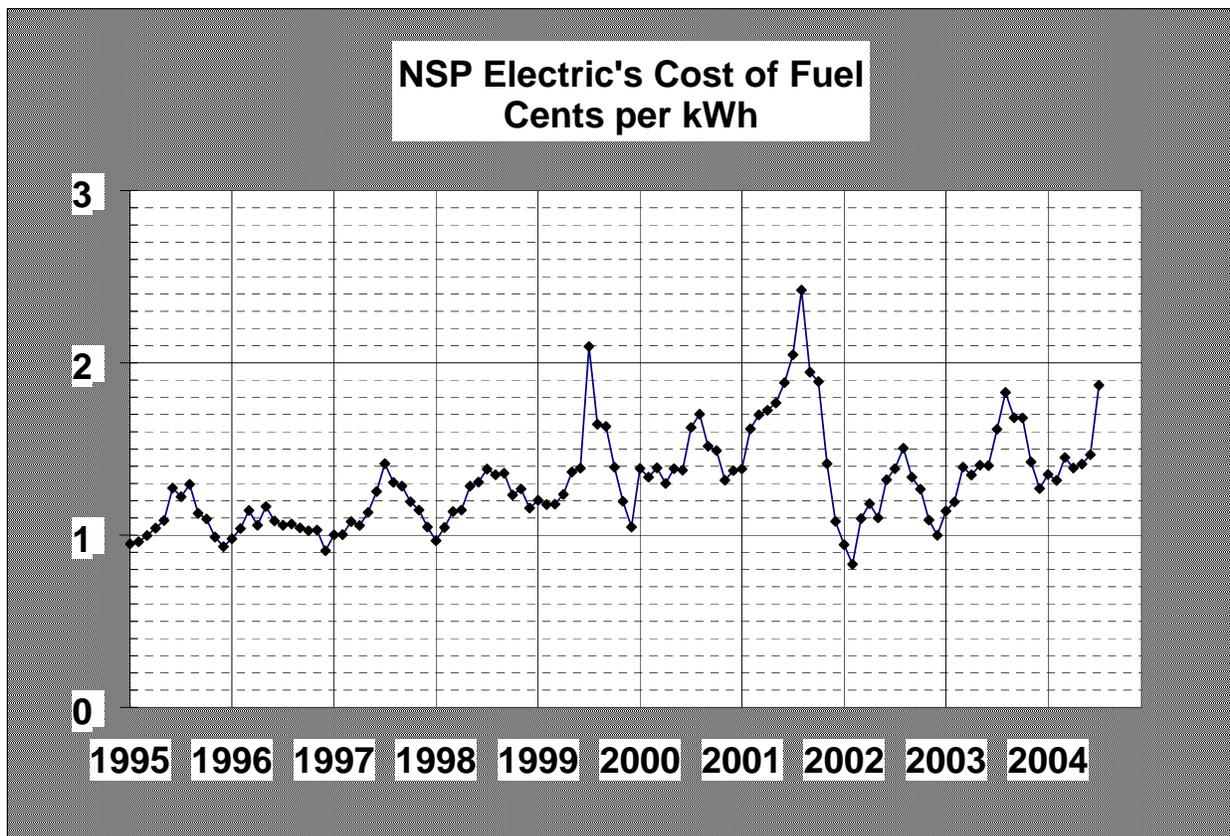
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**Northern States Power Company
September 2004
Fuel Cost Adjustment**

Case No. PU-04-432

NSP has requested to increase its electric fuel cost adjustment by .404 cents per kWh from the current authorized adjustment of .374 cents per kWh. The resulting fuel cost adjustment for September will be .778 cents per kWh.

As a result of this change, the electric bill for an NSP residential customer consuming 750 kWh will increase \$3.03 for bills rendered in the month of September.



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I move the Commission approve Northern States Power Company's fuel cost adjustment for September 2004, Case No. PU-04-432.

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