

Docket No: 13-0361
R.O.M.: 9/10/13
Deadline: N/A

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

FROM: Heather M. Jorgenson, Administrative Law Judge

DATE: August 30, 2013

SUBJECT: Northern Illinois Gas Company d/b/a Nicor Gas Company

Application for permanent Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, under Section 8-406 of the Public Utilities Act, to construct, operate and maintain gas distribution facilities and to transact the business of furnishing gas service to the public in Carroll County, Illinois.

RECOMMENDATION: Enter Order granting Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity.

Northern Illinois Gas Company d/b/a Nicor Gas Company ("Nicor Gas") filed a verified Petition with the Commission requesting a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("Certificate") and an Order pursuant to Section 8-406 of the Public Utilities Act that would authorize Nicor Gas to install, operate and maintain gas distribution facilities and transact public utility business within certain portions of Carroll County, Illinois.

Jo-Carroll Energy, Inc. ("Jo-Carroll"), a utility providing service in close proximity to the area for which Nicor Gas' seeks the instant certification, intervened in this docket. Staff also participated in the proceedings. Jo-Carroll and Staff have no objection to granting the requested relief.

Accordingly, I recommend that the Commission enter the attached Order granting the requested relief.

HMJ:jt