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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0002</a>	Chapter 01 - Organization and Operation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ On 10/18/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0002.</li> <li>▪ Comments were filed 11/29/16 with reply comments filed on 12/13/16.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Order Commencing Rule Making drafted, waiting on approval.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0030</a>	Chapter 02-Forms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 2 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0030.</li> <li>▪ Board Review on <b>03/22/17.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0031</a>	Chapter 03-Rule Making	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 3 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0031.</li> <li>▪ <b>Target date for memo to Board 02/15/17.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0032</a>	Chapter 04-Declaratory Orders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 4 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0032.</li> <li>▪ Board review on <b>03/22/17.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>

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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0021</a>	Chapter 05- Procedure for Determining the Competitiveness of Comm. Service or Facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Waiting outcome of Docket No. INU-2016-0001.</li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0012</a>	Chapter 06- Complaint Procedures		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 9/23/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0012.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed by 10/24/16 with reply comments filed by 11/8/16.</li> <li>Staff preparing an Order Commencing Rule Making and Notice of Intended Action for Board review. <b>Target date TBD.</b></li> </ul>		
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0022</a>	Chapter 07-Practice and Procedure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board and Board staff will be meeting to discuss chapter 7 rules.</li> <li><b>Target date for memo for the Board 02/15/17.</b></li> <li>Board review on <b>03/28/17.</b></li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0023</a>	Chapter 08-Civil Penalties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 8 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0023. <b>Target date TBD.</b></li> </ul>			

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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0013</a>	Chapter 09- Restoration of Agricultural Lands During and After Pipeline Construction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board and Board staff will be meeting to discuss chapter 9 rules.</li> <li><b>Target date for memo to Board 04/04/17.</b></li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0004</a>	Chapter 10- Intrastate and Underground Gas Storage		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 8/5/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0004.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed by 9/6/16 with reply filed by 9/20/16. Staff drafting an order commencing rule making with proposed changes to rules.</li> <li><b>Target date for order to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>		
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0005</a>	Chapter 11-Electric Lines		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 8/10/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0005.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed by 9/12/16 with reply comments filed by 9/26/16. Staff drafting an order commencing rule making with proposed changes to rules.</li> <li><b>Target date for order to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>		
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0014</a>	Chapter 12- Interstate Natural Gas Pipelines and Underground Storage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board and Board staff will be meeting to discuss chapter 12 rules.</li> <li>The meeting was held on 01/12/17.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An order requesting stakeholder comment is being drafted by Board staff. <b>Target date for order to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>		

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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0015</a>	Chapter 13- Hazardous Liquid Pipelines and Underground Storage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board and Board staff will be meeting to discuss chapter 13 rules.</li> <li><b>Target date for meeting is TBD.</b></li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0033</a>	Chapter 14- Electronic Filing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 14 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0033.</li> <li><b>Target date for memo to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0006</a>	Chapter 15- Cogeneration and Small Power Production		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 7/19/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0006.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were to be filed by 8/18/16 with reply comments due by 9/2/16. Board staff is reviewing received comments and will draft a memo to the Board.</li> <li><b>Target date for memo to Board 02/28/17..</b></li> </ul>		
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0024</a>	Chapter 16- Accounting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board and Board staff will be meeting to discuss chapter 16 rules.</li> <li>The meeting was held on 01/12/17.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Staff is drafting an Order Requesting Stakeholder Comments.</li> <li><b>Target date for order to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>		

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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0025</a>	Chapter 17- Assessments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 17 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0025.</li> <li>Staff preparing draft order for stakeholder comment. <b>Target date for order TBD</b></li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0034</a>	Chapter 18-Utility Records	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 18 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0034.</li> <li><b>Target date for memo to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0007</a>	Chapter 19-Gas Service		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 8/8/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0007.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed by 9/7/16 with reply comments filed by 9/22/16.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order Commencing Rule Making drafted, waiting on approval.</li> </ul>	
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0008</a>	Chapter 20 -Electric Service		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 7/19/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed 8/18/16 and reply comments were filed 9/2/16. Board staff is reviewing received comments.</li> </ul>		

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Staff drafting an order commencing rule making for Board review. <b>Target date for 02/28/17.</b></li> </ul>		
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0035</a>	Chapter 21-Service Supplied by Water Utilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 21 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0035.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order Requesting Stakeholder Comments issued 12/22/16. Comments are <b>due by 02/20/17</b> with reply comments <b>due by 03/22/17.</b></li> </ul>		
<a href="#">RMU-2015-0002</a>	Chapter 22- Amendments to Telecom Service Regulations			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 5/18/16 the Board issued an order commencing a rule making in Docket No. RMU-2015-0002.</li> <li>The proposed rules were published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on 6/8/16 as ARC# 2569C.</li> <li>Stakeholder comments were to be filed by 6/28/16.</li> <li>On 8/9/16 the Board conducted an oral presentation to allow stakeholders to make oral comments and respond to Board questions.</li> <li>The Board requested additional comments be filed by 9/1/16.</li> <li>On 11/01/16 the Board issued an order requesting additional comments. Comments on the proposed adopted rules were filed</li> </ul>	

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				by 11/23/16. ▪ An order adopting the rules was issued on 01/18/17. ▪ Publication date is 02/15/17 with the effective date on 03/22/17.	
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0036</a>	Chapter 23-Annual Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 23 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0036.</li> <li>▪ <b>Target date for memo to Board on 03/15/17.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0026</a>	Chapter 24-Location and Construction of Electric Power Generating Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 24 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0026.</li> <li>▪ <b>Target date for memo to Board on 03/01/17.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>

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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0009</a>	Chapter 25- Electrical Safety Code	▪	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ On 8/5/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0009.</li> <li>▪ Comments regarding the potential revisions were to be filed by 9/6/16 with reply comments due by 9/20/16.</li> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ On 11/01/16 the Board issued an order commencing a rule making in Docket No. RMU-2016-0009. These rules were published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on 11/23/16 as ARC # 2815C.</li> <li>▪ Written statements of position were filed by 12/13/16.</li> <li>▪ An oral comment hearing was held on 1/24/17.</li> <li>▪ Staff drafting Order Adopting Amendments.</li> </ul>	▪
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0027</a>	Chapter 26-Rate Cases, Tariffs, and Rate Reg Election Practice and Procedure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board and Board staff will be meeting to discuss chapter 26 rules.</li> <li>▪ <b>Target date for meeting with Board on 03/22/17.</b></li> </ul>	▪	▪	▪
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0037</a>	Chapter 29- Management Efficiency Standards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 29 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0037.</li> <li>▪ The meeting was held on 01/12/17.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ An order requesting stakeholder comment is being drafted by Board staff.</li> <li>▪ <b>Target date for order to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>	▪	▪
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0010</a>	Chapter 30-Tax Reform Revenue Adjustment	▪	▪	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ On 8/23/16 the Board issued an order commencing a rule making in Docket No. RMU-2016-0010. The proposed rules were published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on 9/14/16 as ARC# 2714C.</li> <li>▪ Comments were filed by 10/4/16.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Operation of Law date is 03/13/17.</li> <li>▪ Order Adopting Amendments drafted, waiting</li> </ul>



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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0016</a>	Chapter 31-Access to Affiliate Records, Requirements for Annual Filings, and Asset and Service Transfers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ On 10/26/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comments on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0016.</li> <li>▪ Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed by 11/25/16 with reply comments filed by 12/10/16.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Order Commencing Rule Making drafted, waiting on approval.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0017</a>	Chapter 32-Reorganization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Staff preparing order for Board review.</li> <li>▪ <b>Target date for order to TBD.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0038</a>	Chapter 33-Nonutility Activities-Record Keeping and Cost Allocations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 33 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0038.</li> <li>▪ <b>Target date for memo to Board TBD.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0039</a>	Chapter 34-Nonutility Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 34 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0039.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Target date for memo to Board TBD.</li> </ul>			
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0018</a>	Chapter 35-Energy Efficiency Planning and Cost Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 8/8/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0018.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed by 9/7/16 with reply comments filed by 9/22/16.</li> <li>Workshop scheduled <b>03/19/17</b>. Post Workshop comments due <b>03/23/17</b>.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0019</a>	Chapter 36-Energy Efficiency Planning and Reporting for Non-Rate-Reg Gas and Electric	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 8/5/16 the Board issued an order requesting stakeholder comment on potential rule changes in Docket No. RMU-2016-0019.</li> <li>Comments regarding the potential revisions were filed by 9/6/16 with reply comments filed by 9/20/16.</li> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On 12/28/16 the Board issued an order commencing a rule making in Docket No. RMU-2016-0019. The proposed rules were published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on 01/18/17 as ARC# 2910C.</li> <li>Comments are due on <b>02/07/17</b>. No oral presentation scheduled.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0040</a>	Chapter 37-Equipment Distribution Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 37 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0040.</li> <li>Target date for order to Board <b>03/28/17</b>.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>

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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0028</a>	Chapter 38-Local Exchange Competition		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Staff drafting Order Requesting Stakeholder Comment, <b>target date TBD.</b></li> </ul>	▪	▪
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0011</a>	Chapter 39-Universal Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 39 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0011.</li> <li><b>Target date for memo to Board 03/01/17.</b></li> </ul>		▪	▪
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0029</a>	Chapter 40-Competitive Bidding Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 40 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0029.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order Requesting Stakeholder Comment on Potential Rule Changes was issued 01/18/17.</li> <li><b>Comments are due 02/17/17, with reply comments due 03/04/17.</b></li> </ul>	▪	▪
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0020</a>	Chapter 42-Crossing of Railroad Rights-of-Way		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board staff is preparing for Board review, an order requesting stakeholder comment.</li> <li><b>Target date for order to Board on 03/22/17.</b></li> </ul>	▪	▪
<a href="#">RMU-2016-0041</a>	Chapter 44-Certificates of Franchise Authority for Cable and Video	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Board Staff is preparing a memorandum for the Board regarding proposed amendments to chapter 44 rules in Docket No. RMU-2016-0041.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Staff preparing Order Commencing Rule Making, <b>target date TBD.</b></li> </ul>	▪	▪

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<a href="#">RMU-2016-0003</a>	Chapter 45- Interconnection of DG	▪	▪	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ On 7/22/16 the Board issued an order commencing a rule making in Docket No. RMU-2016-0003.</li> <li>▪ The proposed rules were published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on 8/17/16 as ARC# 2673C.</li> <li>▪ On 8/8/16 the Board issued an order requesting comments from stakeholders on proposed forms and processes that currently exist in these rules.</li> <li>▪ Stakeholder comments were filed by 9/6/16.</li> <li>▪ Order requesting additional comments issued 10/18/16. Comments were filed by 11/07/16 with reply comments filed by 11/17/16.</li> <li>▪ Board issued an order adopting amendments on 12/28/16. Will be published on 01/18/17, becoming effective 02/22/17.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Operation of Law date is 02/13/17.</li> </ul>

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	Attorney General Rule Regarding Property Owners Rights Iowa Code § 6B.2A(f)	▪	▪	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Filed with code editor. Publication Date will be 01/04/17.</li><li>▪ <b>Comments due by 01/24/17.</b></li></ul>	▪