

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
UTILITIES COMMISSION  
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. E-34, SUB 46

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
Application of Appalachian State	) REPORT OF NEW RIVER LIGHT
University, d/b/a New River Light and	) AND POWER COMPANY ON
Power Company, for an Adjustment of	) PAYNE BRANCH DAM PROJECT
Rates and Charges for Electric Service	)
in North Carolina	)

NOW COMES New River Light & Power Company ("NRLP"), through its attorney, and submits the following Report:

1. Pursuant to paragraph 29 of the Stipulation dated as of January 19, 2018, entered into between NRLP and the Public Staff, and Finding of Fact No. 32 and Ordering Paragraph No. 8 of the Order issued by the North Carolina Utilities Commission (the "Commission") on March 29, 2018, filed and entered in the captioned Docket, NRLP is required to submit a report (the "Report") to the Commission and the Public Staff by July 31 and January 31 of each year describing the work completed and costs incurred by NRLP in connection with the Payne Branch Dam removal project as of the immediately preceding June 30 and December 31.
2. Attached is a letter from Resource Institute to NRLP indicating, among other things, that permitting is complete, construction is soon to commence and that construction is anticipated to be completed by October 15, 2020.
3. No costs were incurred by NRLP during the six-month period ending June 30, 2020.

Respectfully submitted, this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020.

NEW RIVER LIGHT & POWER COMPANY

Electronically Submitted  
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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a copy of the foregoing by electronic delivery to the following person via email at the following address which is the last address known to me:

Elizabeth D. Culpepper  
Staff Attorney  
Public Staff  
North Carolina Utilities Commission  
elizabeth.culpepper@psncuc.nc.gov

This the 27<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020.

s/ Michael S. Colo

Michael S. Colo



July 13, 2020

Mr. Edmond Miller  
New River Light and Power  
146 Faculty Street Ext.  
Boone, NC 28607

Re: Payne Branch Dam – Middle Fork of the New River Restoration Project Update

Dear Mr. Miller:

Please see the update for the Payne Branch Dam Removal/Stream Restoration Project items listed below:

- ALL permits have been obtained and were sent earlier in a previous email showing all permits received.
- Pre-construction meeting is scheduled for July 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1:30 p.m.
- Construction should begin within a week of pre-con meeting if not sooner.
- BFEC has sent to the contractor final PE stamped plans as of July 8<sup>th</sup>, per changes with:
  - 1) new spoils site on PBR
  - 2) adjustments to PB Park design.

Project is ready to move forward for construction and hopefully will be completed prior to October 15, 2020.

Please call or email if you need additional information.

Sincerely,



Charles Anderson  
Resource Institute, Inc.