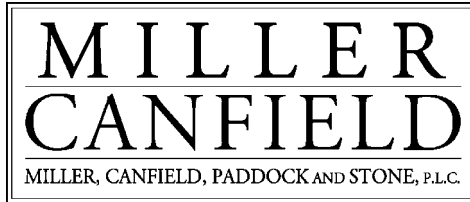


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Re: Upper Peninsula Power Company  
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Dear Ms. Kunkle

Please be advised that Upper Peninsula Power Company ("UPPCO") will not be filing a reply brief to the Michigan Public Service Commission Staff's Interim Brief. UPPCO accepts Staff's adjusted recommended interim annual amount of \$1,926,000 as the minimum amount for partial and immediate rate relief in this matter.

Very truly yours,

MILLER, CANFIELD, PADDOCK AND STONE, P.L.C.

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