

Great Plains Energy

Year-End and Fourth Quarter 2011 Earnings Presentation

February 28, 2012

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Michael J. Chesser
Chairman and CEO

2011 Key Accomplishments

Financial

- Full-year earnings per share of \$1.25
- Increased quarterly dividend to \$0.2125

Operational

- Presented the ReliabilityOne award for the Plains Region for fifth consecutive year
- Rated Tier 1 in J.D. Power and Associates 2011 Electric Utility Residential Satisfaction Study for third consecutive year
- Introduced initiatives to streamline business and improve field communications

Strategic

- Contracted PPAs increasing renewable energy portfolio to approximately 600 MWs
- Right-sized the Company with Organizational Realignment and Voluntary Separation Program

Regulatory

- Completed the Comprehensive Energy Plan
 - Completed the Missouri rate cases - annual increase of \$100 million
 - Iatan 2 in rate base
- Kansas Corporation Commission approved predetermination for La Cygne environmental upgrades



Terry Bassham
President and COO

Operations and Regulatory Update

- Rate Case Filings and Recent Regulatory Developments
- La Cygne Construction Update
- Plant Performance
- Customer Consumption

2012 Rate Case Summary

| Jurisdiction | Date Filed | Requested Increase (in Millions) | Rate Base (in Millions) | Requested ROE | Rate-making Equity Ratio | Anticipated Effective Date of New Rates |
|--------------|------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---|
| KCP&L – MO | 2/27/2012 | \$105.7 | \$2,129.9 | 10.40% | 52.5% | Late January 2013 |
| GMO – MPS | 2/27/2012 | \$58.3 | \$1,411.9 | 10.40% | 52.5% | Late January 2013 |
| GMO – L&P | 2/27/2012 | \$25.2 | \$479.5 | 10.40% | 52.5% | Late January 2013 |

2012 KCP&L-MO Rate Case

- Revised wholesale margin cap requested
 - Wholesale margin threshold of \$22.7 million Missouri jurisdictional share (40th percentile) compared to current cap of \$45.9 million (40th percentile)
- Additional infrastructure capital investment
- New trackers requested
 - Property taxes
 - Transmission
 - Renewable energy standard (RES)
 - Fuel interim energy charge (IEC) including wholesale margin offset
 - Wholesale margin sharing mechanism proposed
- Other operating costs increases

2012 GMO Rate Case

GMO-MPS

- Demand side management (DSM) / Energy Efficiency (EE) investment recovery based on Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act (MEEIA) filing
- Additional infrastructure capital investment
- Fuel cost increases since previous rate case due to rebasing fuel adjustment clause (FAC)
- New trackers requested
 - Property taxes
 - Transmission
 - RES

GMO-L&P

- DSM / EE investment recovery based on MEEIA filing
- Additional infrastructure capital investment
- Fuel cost increases since previous rate case due to rebasing FAC
- New trackers requested
 - Property taxes
 - Transmission
 - RES

Recent Regulatory Developments

| Jurisdiction | Topic | Recent Development |
|--------------------------|--|---|
| KCP&L – Kansas | Property Tax Rider Approved | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recover incremental property tax over 12-month period Tax surcharge amount of approximately \$3.7 million for 2012 Effective February 1, 2012 |
| GMO | Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act (MEEIA) Filings | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If approved, will allow for adequate recovery of energy efficiency programs Rider requested |
| KCP&L - Missouri | Missouri River Flooding Accounting Authority Order (AAO) Application | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requested deferral of expenses associated with coal conservation and flooding related expenses |
| KCP&L - Missouri and GMO | Missouri RES Solar AAO | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requested deferral of expenses associated with incremental operating expenses associated with solar rebates |

La Cygne Environmental Upgrade Construction Update

LaCygne Generation Station

- La Cygne Coal Unit 1 368 MW* - Wet scrubber, baghouse, activated carbon injection
- La Cygne Coal Unit 2 343 MW* - Selective catalytic reduction system, wet scrubber, baghouse, activated carbon injection, over-fired air, low No_x burners
- Project cost estimate, excluding AFUDC and property tax, \$615 million*. Kansas jurisdictional share is \$281 million
- 2011 predetermination order issued in Kansas deeming project as requested and cost estimate to be reasonable
- Project is on schedule and on budget

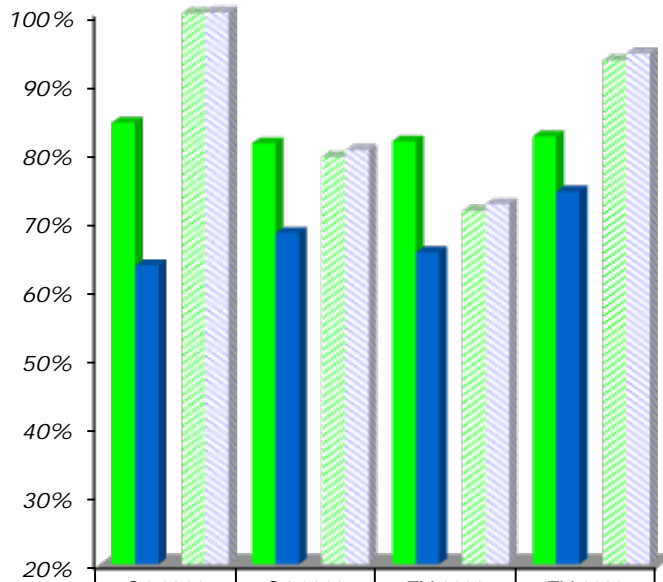
* KCP&L's 50% share

Key Steps to Completion

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|--|-------------------|
| • Site Prep; Major Equipment Purchase | Q3 2011 – Q3 2012 |
| • New Chimney Shell Erected | Q3 2012 |
| • Installation of Low No _x Burners for La Cygne 2 | Q1 2013 |
| • Major Construction | Q4 2012 – Q2 2014 |
| • Startup Testing | Q3 2014 |
| • Tie-in Outage Unit 2 | Q4 2014 |
| • Tie-in Outage Unit 1 | Q1 2015 |
| • In-service | Q2 2015 |

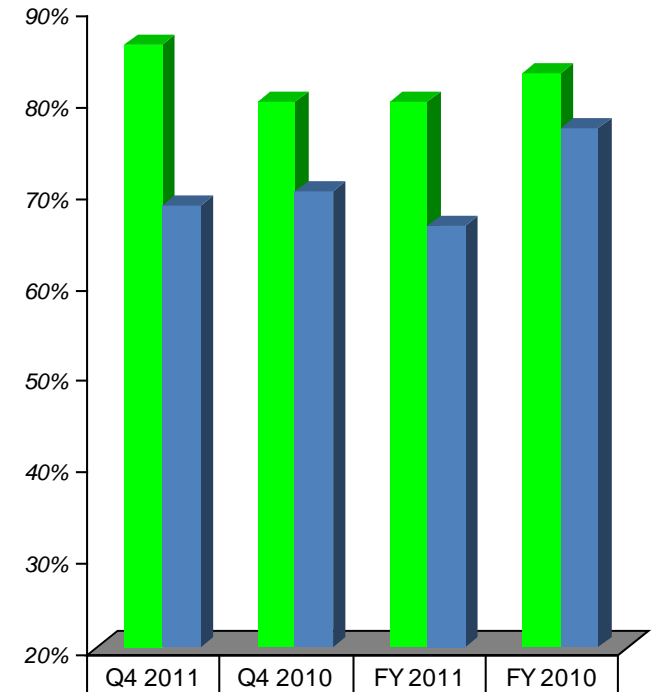
Plant Performance

Coal and Nuclear



| | Q4 2011 | Q4 2010 | FY 2011 | FY 2010 |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Equivalent Availability Coal | 84% | 81% | 81% | 82% |
| Capacity Factor Coal | 63% | 68% | 65% | 74% |
| Equivalent Availability Nuclear | 100% | 79% | 71% | 93% |
| Capacity Factor Nuclear | 100% | 80% | 72% | 94% |

Combined Fleet



| | Q4 2011 | Q4 2010 | FY 2011 | FY 2010 |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Equivalent Availability | 86% | 80% | 80% | 83% |
| Capacity Factor | 69% | 70% | 66% | 77% |

Customer Consumption

Retail MWh Sales and Customer Growth Rates

| | 4Q 2011 Compared to 4Q 2010 | | | Full-Year 2011 Compared to Full-Year 2010 | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | Total Change in MWh Sales | Weather-Normalized | | Total Change in MWh Sales | Weather-Normalized | | | |
| | | Customers | Use / Customer | | Change MWh Sales | Customers | Use / Customer | Change MWh Sales |
| Residential | (3.8%) | 0.0% | (1.4%) | (1.4%) | (1.8%) | 0.1% | (2.5%) | (2.4%) |
| Commercial | (1.6%) | 0.1% | (0.9%) | (0.8%) | (1.5%) | 0.3% | 0.0% | 0.3% |
| Industrial | (2.3%) | (1.5%) | (1.1%) | (2.6%) | (2.1%) | (1.2%) | (0.2%) | (1.4%) |
| | (2.4%) | 0.0% ¹ | (1.3%) ¹ | (1.2%) ¹ | (1.7%) | 0.1% ¹ | (1.1%) ^{1,2} | (1.0%) ^{1,2} |

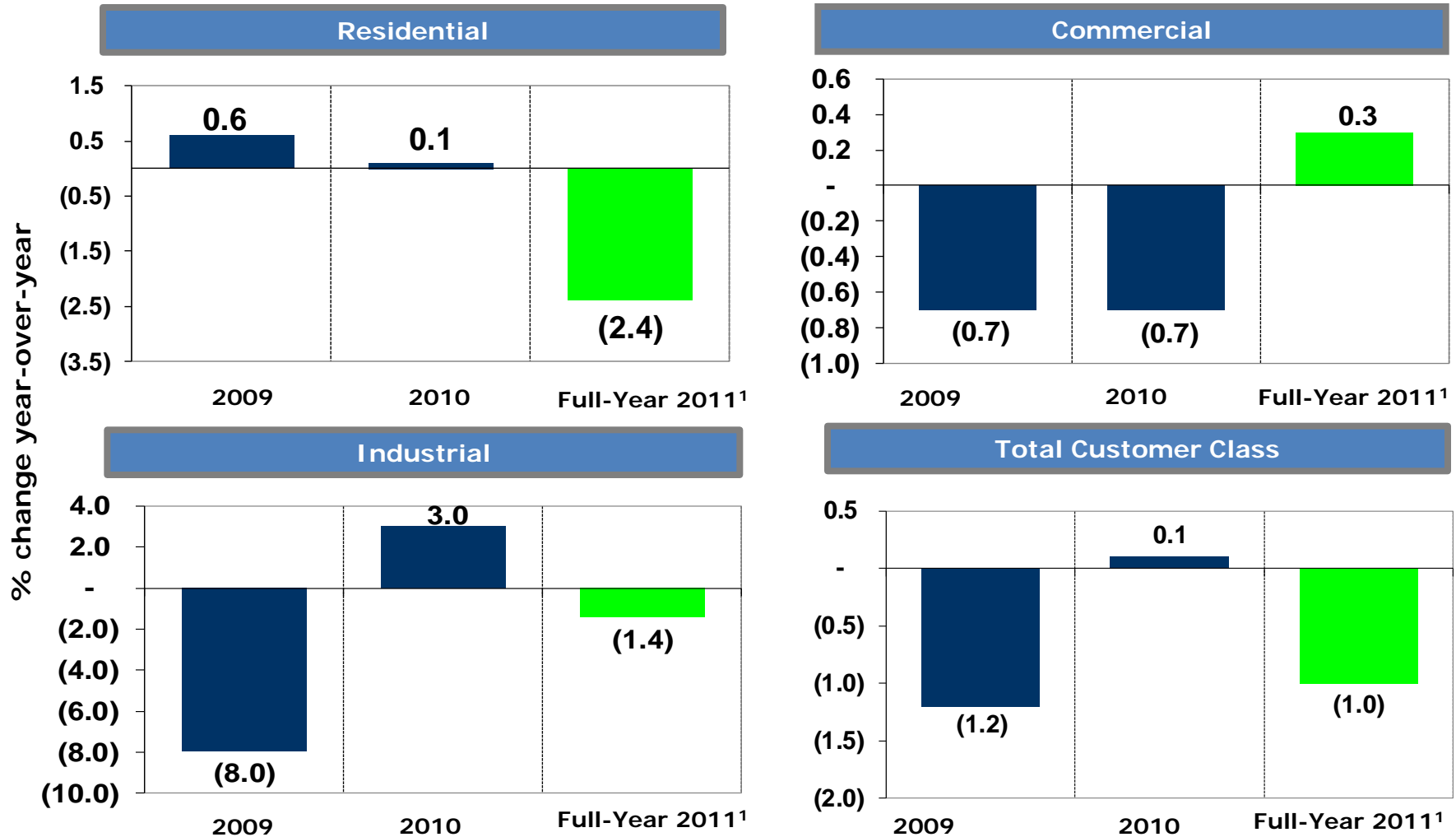
¹Weighted average

² Drivers contributing to the portion of the YTD decline that occurred in 1Q11 may have included a) switching to natural gas heat; b) conversion to more efficient heat pumps; c) conservation among KCP&L KS customers on an all-electric rate triggered by a substantial rate increase for this rate class in KCP&L's 2010 KS rate case; and d) continued challenges in the local economy

Statistics by Customer Class Full-Year 2011

| | Customers | Revenue (in millions) | Sales (000s of MWhs) | % of Retail MWh Sales |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Residential | 724,700 | \$ 955.8 | 9,285 | 40% |
| Commercial | 96,300 | 878.8 | 10,782 | 46% |
| Industrial | 2,200 | 196.7 | 3,218 | 14% |

Weather-Normalized Year-over-Year Retail MWh Sales



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Financial Overview

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**SVP, Finance & Strategic
Development and CFO**

2011 Full-Year and Quarterly EPS Reconciliation Versus 2010

| | 2010 EPS | 2011 EPS | Change in EPS |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| 1Q | \$0.15 | \$0.01 | (\$0.14) |
| 2Q | \$0.47 | \$0.31 | (\$0.16) |
| 3Q | \$0.96 | \$0.91 | (\$0.05) |
| 4Q | (\$0.04) | \$0.01 | \$0.05 |
| Total | \$1.53 | \$1.25 | (\$0.28) |

Contributors to Change in 2011 EPS Compared to 2010

| | Special Factors | 2010 Iatan Loss | WN Demand | Weather | Lag | Other | Total |
|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| 1Q 2011 | (\$0.07) | | (\$0.04) | \$0.01 | (\$0.04) | | (\$0.14) |
| 2Q 2011 | (\$0.06) | | (\$0.01) | (\$0.03) | (\$0.02) | (\$0.04) | (\$0.16) |
| 3Q 2011 | (\$0.09) | \$0.02 | \$0.02 | | (\$0.03) | \$0.03 | (\$0.05) |
| 4Q 2011 | | \$0.06 | (\$0.01) | (0.01) | | \$0.01 | \$0.05 |
| Total | (\$0.22) | \$0.07 | (\$0.03) | (\$0.03) | (\$0.09) | \$0.02 | (\$0.28) |

Note: Numbers may not add due to the effect of dilutive shares on EPS

Great Plains Energy Consolidated Earnings and Earnings Per Share – Year Ended December 31 (Unaudited)

| | Earnings (in Millions) | | Earnings per Share | |
|---|------------------------|----------|--------------------|---------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |
| Electric Utility | \$ 199.9 | \$ 235.3 | \$ 1.44 | \$ 1.72 |
| Other | (25.7) | (23.4) | (0.18) | (0.17) |
| Net income | 174.2 | 211.9 | 1.26 | 1.55 |
| Less: Net (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interest | 0.2 | (0.2) | - | - |
| Net income attributable to Great Plains Energy | 174.4 | 211.7 | 1.26 | 1.55 |
| Preferred dividends | (1.6) | (1.6) | (0.01) | (0.02) |
| Earnings available for common shareholders | \$ 172.8 | \$ 210.1 | \$ 1.25 | \$ 1.53 |

Common stock outstanding for year ended December 31 averaged 138.7 million shares, about 1 percent higher than the same period in 2010

Great Plains Energy Consolidated Earnings and Earnings Per Share – Three Months Ended December 31 (Unaudited)

| | Earnings (in Millions) | | Earnings per Share | |
|---|------------------------|----------|--------------------|-----------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |
| Electric Utility | \$ 10.0 | \$ 2.5 | \$ 0.07 | \$ 0.02 |
| Other | (8.1) | (7.3) | (0.06) | (0.06) |
| Net income | 1.9 | (4.8) | 0.01 | (0.04) |
| Less: Net (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interest | 0.2 | (0.1) | - | - |
| Net income (loss) attributable to Great Plains Energy | 2.1 | (4.9) | 0.01 | (0.04) |
| Preferred dividends | (0.4) | (0.4) | - | - |
| Earnings available for common shareholders | 1.7 | \$ (5.3) | \$ 0.01 | \$ (0.04) |

Common stock outstanding for the quarter averaged 139.2 million shares, about 3 percent higher than the same period in 2010

2011 Earnings Review

| | EPS | | | ROE | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------|----------------|-----------------|-------|----------------|---|
| | Prior Guidance* | | Actual 2011 | Prior Guidance* | | Actual 2011 | |
| | Low | High | | Low | High | | |
| Regulatory Potential | \$ 1.91 | \$ 1.91 | \$ 1.91 | 10.0% | 10.0% | 10.0% | Normalized Lag of 60 Basis Points In Line With Prior Projection of 30-70 Basis Points |
| (a) Wholesale Margin | (0.01) | (0.01) | (0.02) | -0.1% | -0.1% | -0.1% | |
| (b) Other Lag and Variability | (0.14) | (0.04) | (0.10) | -0.6% | -0.2% | -0.5% | |
| (c) Regulatory Normalized | \$ 1.76 | \$ 1.86 | \$ 1.79 | 9.3% | 9.7% | 9.4% | |
| Rate Case Timing | (0.18) | (0.18) | (0.18) | -0.9% | -0.9% | -0.9% | |
| Special Factors | (0.22) | (0.22) | (0.22) | -1.1% | -1.1% | -1.1% | |
| Regulatory Earned | \$ 1.36 | \$ 1.46 | \$ 1.39 | 7.3% | 7.7% | 7.3% | |
| Non Regulatory Costs | (0.14) | (0.14) | (0.14) | -1.4% | -1.4% | -1.3% | |
| Consolidated | \$ 1.22 | \$ 1.32 | \$ 1.25 | 5.9% | 6.3% | 6.0% | |

*Based on Third Quarter 2011 Earnings Presentation

2011 Considerations

- (a) Wholesale Margin
 - Lower natural gas prices and related off-system sales impact due to KCP&L-MO wholesale margin cap
 - Special Factors includes impacts for flooding and Wolf Creek extended outage
- (b) Other Lag and Variability
 - Lower 4Q11 weather-normalized load growth than anticipated
 - Favorable 4Q11 impact from Kansas property tax rider
- (c) Regulatory Normalized
 - ROE and Normalized Lag in line with prior guidance
 - Includes full year favorable impact of \$0.12 EPS due to weather

Debt Profile and Liquidity

Great Plains Energy Debt

| (\$ in Millions) | KCP&L | | GMO ⁽¹⁾ | | GPE | | Consolidated | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| | Amount | Rate ⁽²⁾ | Amount | Rate ⁽²⁾ | Amount | Rate ⁽²⁾ | Amount | Rate ⁽²⁾ |
| Short-term debt | \$ 322.0 | 0.70% | \$ 40.0 | 0.88% | \$ 22.0 | 2.06% | \$ 384.0 | 0.80% |
| Long-term debt ⁽³⁾ | 1,914.6 | 6.01% | 642.3 | 10.96% | 986.8 | 6.61% | 3,543.7 | 7.05% |
| Total | \$2,236.6 | 5.24% | \$682.3 | 10.36% | \$1,008.8 | 6.51% | \$3,927.7 | 6.44% |

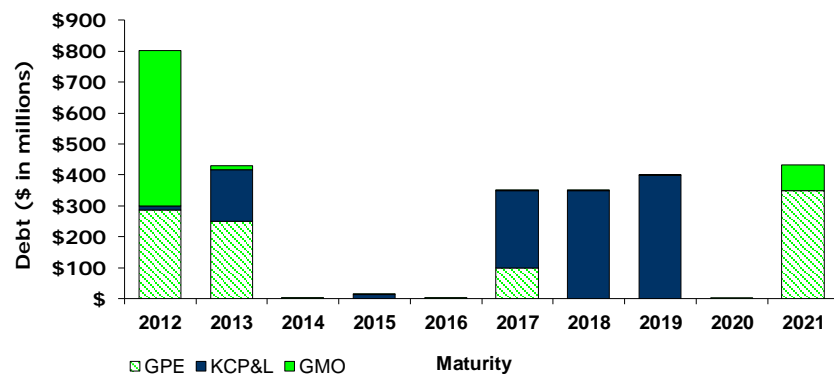
Secured debt = \$749 (19%), Unsecured debt = \$3,179 (81%)

⁽¹⁾ GPE guarantees substantially all of GMO's debt

⁽²⁾ Weighted Average Rates – excludes premium / discounts and fair market value adjustments; includes full Equity Units coupon (12%) for GPE

⁽³⁾ Includes current maturities of long-term debt

Long-Term Debt Maturities ⁽⁴⁾ ⁽⁵⁾



⁽⁴⁾ Includes long-term debt maturities through December 31, 2021

⁽⁵⁾ 2013 reflects mode maturity for \$167.6 million of KCP&L tax-exempt bonds subject to remarketing prior to final maturity date

Liquidity ⁽⁶⁾

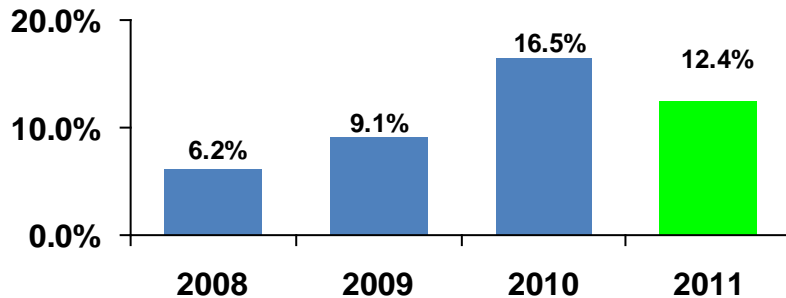
| (\$ in millions) | KCP&L | GMO | GPE | Total |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Aggregate Bank Commitments ⁽⁷⁾ | \$710.0 | \$450.0 | \$200.0 | \$1,360.0 |
| Outstanding Facility Draws | 0.0 | 0.0 | 22.0 | 22.0 |
| Outstanding Letters of Credit | 21.5 | 13.2 | 11.6 | 46.3 |
| A/R Securitization Facility Draws | 95.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 95.0 |
| Available Capacity Under Facilities | 593.5 | 436.8 | 166.4 | 1,196.7 |
| Outstanding Commercial Paper | 227.0 | 40.0 | - | 267.0 |
| Available Capacity Less Outstanding Commercial Paper | \$366.5 | \$396.8 | \$166.4 | \$929.7 |

⁽⁶⁾ As of December 31, 2011

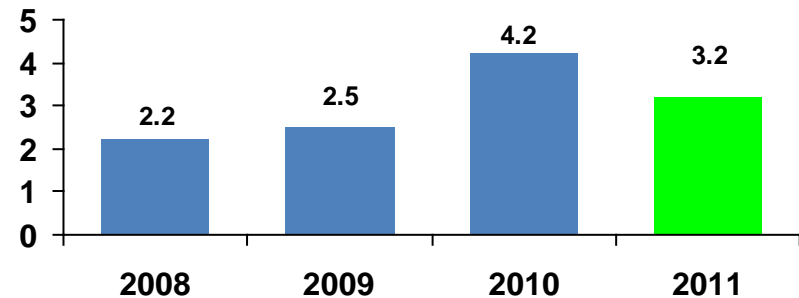
⁽⁷⁾ Includes KCP&L \$110M accounts receivable securitization facility

Credit Profile for Great Plains Energy

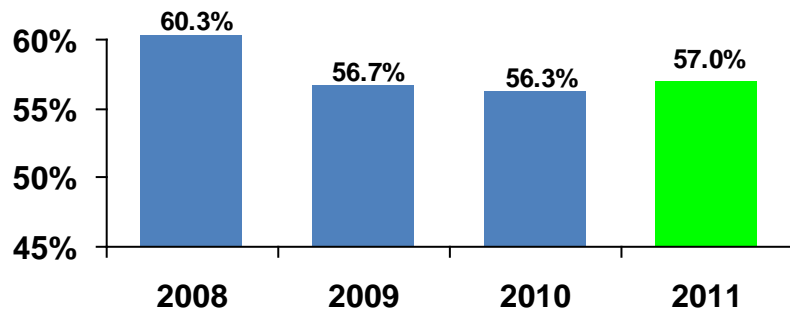
FFO / Adjusted Debt*



FFO Interest Coverage*



Adjusted Debt / Total Adjusted Capitalization*



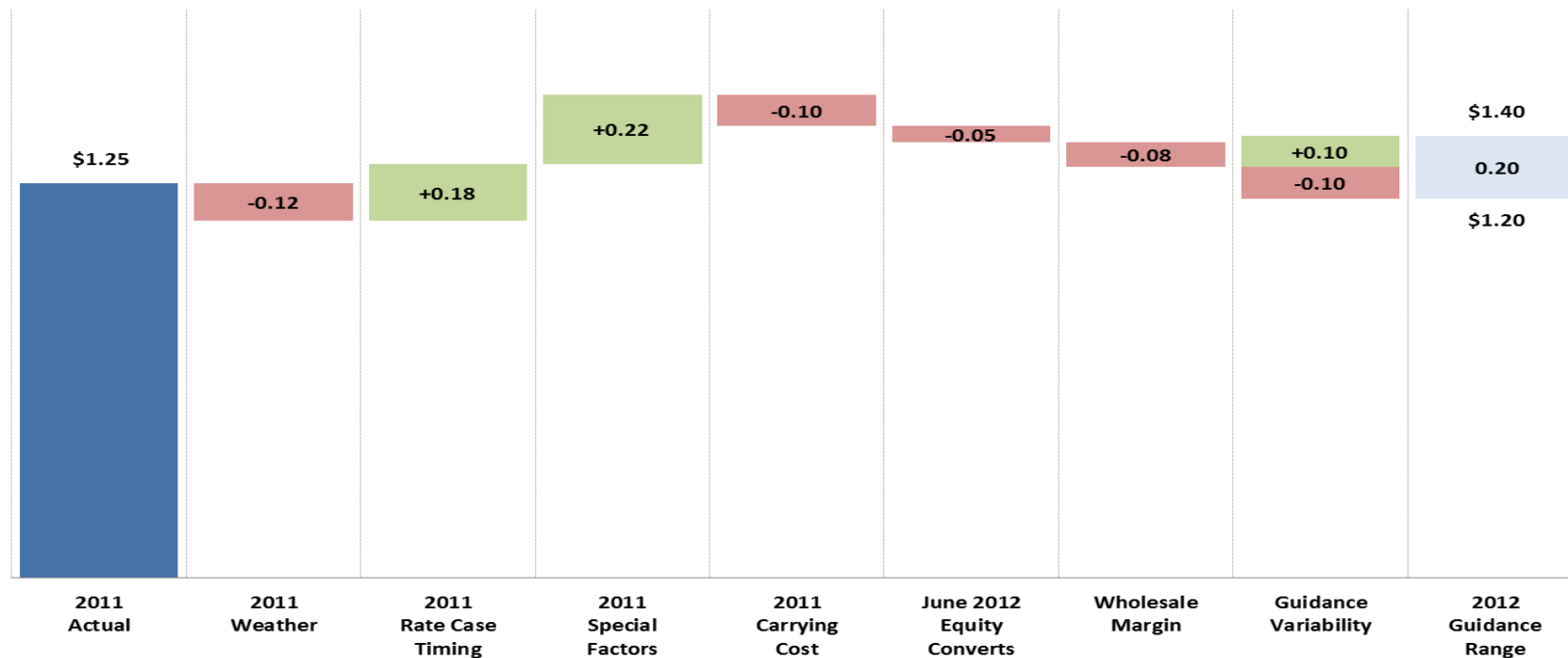
Current Credit Ratings

| | Moody's | Standard & Poor's |
|----------------------------|---------|-------------------|
| Great Plains Energy | | |
| Outlook | Stable | Stable |
| Corporate Credit Rating | - | BBB |
| Preferred Stock | Ba2 | BB+ |
| Senior Unsecured Debt | Baa3 | BBB- |
| KCP&L | | |
| Outlook | Stable | Stable |
| Senior Secured Debt | A3 | BBB+ |
| Senior Unsecured Debt | Baa2 | BBB |
| Commercial Paper | P-2 | A-2 |
| GMO | | |
| Outlook | Stable | Stable |
| Senior Unsecured Debt | Baa3 | BBB |
| Commercial Paper | P-3 | A-2 |

* All ratios calculated using Standard and Poor's methodology. Ratios are non-GAAP measures that are defined and reconciled to GAAP in Appendix

2012 Earnings Guidance \$1.20 - \$1.40

(All Amounts Per-Share)



2011 to 2012 Considerations

Carrying Cost and Equity Converts

- Missouri Iatan No. 2 carrying cost capitalized prior to 2011 rate case effective dates
- Conversion to 17.1 million shares of GXP common stock partially offset by lower debt re-market rate

Wholesale Margin

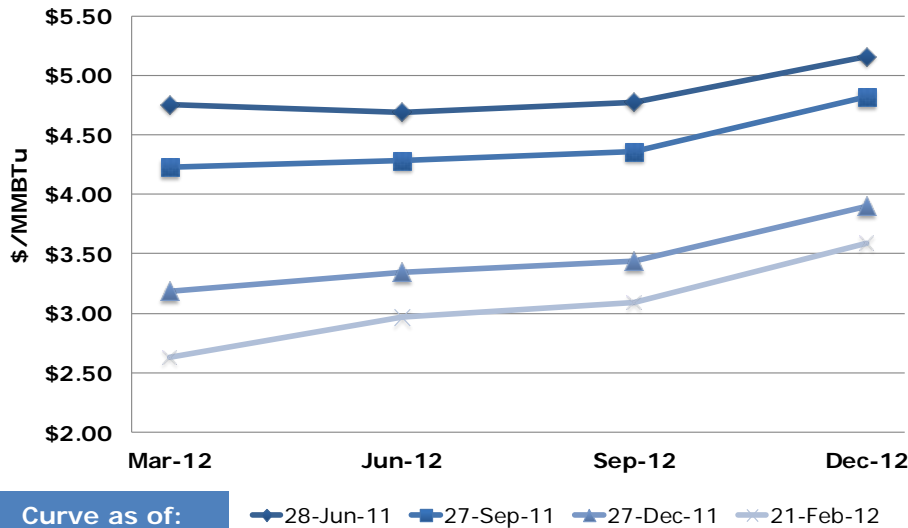
- Lower natural gas prices and related off-system sales impact due to KCP&L-MO wholesale margin cap
- Majority of 2011 allocated to Special Factors for flooding and Wolf Creek extended outage

Guidance Variability

- Retail weather-normalized load growth, weather, operating expenses, cost of capital, etc.
- Natural gas prices and resulting impact on KCP&L-MO wholesale margin

Wholesale Margin Impact on 2012 Guidance

Henry Hub Natural Gas Futures Price for 2012



Macroeconomic Factors

- Milder than normal weather
- Lower regional demand / excess regional generation supply
- Higher natural gas inventories

KCP&L Missouri Financial Impact

- Current wholesale margin in rates: \$45.9 million
- Projected EPS impact in 2012^{(a)(b)}: (\$0.10)

(a) 2011 EPS impact due to lower wholesale margins was (\$0.02).

(b) Point estimate to simplify analysis on slide 22.

2012 Average as of:

Henry Hub Natural Gas (\$/MMBTU)

| | |
|--------------------|---------|
| June 28, 2011 | \$ 4.80 |
| September 27, 2011 | \$ 4.36 |
| December 27, 2011 | \$ 3.38 |
| February 21, 2012 | \$ 3.03 |

2012 Earnings Guidance

| | EPS | | | | | ROE | | | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|---------|----------------|---------|----------------|----------------------|-------------|----------------|--------------|
| | Actual 2011 | 2012 Prior Guidance* | | 2012 Projected | | Actual 2011 | 2012 Prior Guidance* | | 2012 Projected | |
| | | Low | High | Low | High | | Low | High | Low | High |
| Regulatory Potential** | \$ 1.91 | \$ 1.83 | \$ 1.83 | \$ 1.83 | \$ 1.83 | 10.0% | 10.0% | 10.0% | 10.0% | 10.0% |
| (a) Wholesale Margin | (0.02) | - | - | (0.10) | (0.10) | -0.1% | 0.0% | 0.0% | -0.5% | -0.5% |
| (b) Other Lag and Variability | (0.10) | (0.34) | (0.14) | (0.39) | (0.19) | -0.5% | -1.8% | -0.7% | -2.2% | -1.1% |
| Regulatory Normalized | \$ 1.79 | \$ 1.49 | \$ 1.69 | \$ 1.34 | \$ 1.54 | 9.4% | 8.2% | 9.3% | 7.3% | 8.4% |
| Rate Case Timing | (0.18) | - | - | - | - | -0.9% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Special Factors | (0.22) | - | - | - | - | -1.1% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| (c) Regulatory Earned | \$ 1.39 | \$ 1.49 | \$ 1.69 | \$ 1.34 | \$ 1.54 | 7.3% | 8.2% | 9.3% | 7.3% | 8.4% |
| Non Regulatory Costs | (0.14) | (0.14) | (0.14) | (0.14) | (0.14) | -1.3% | -1.6% | -1.6% | -1.4% | -1.5% |
| Consolidated | \$ 1.25 | \$ 1.35 | \$ 1.55 | \$ 1.20 | \$ 1.40 | 6.0% | 6.6% | 7.7% | 5.9% | 6.9% |

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**2012 includes conversion to 17.1 million shares of GXP common stock in June

2012 Considerations

- (a) Wholesale Margin
 - Lower natural gas prices and related off-system sales impact due to KCP&L-MO wholesale margin cap
 - Majority of 2011 lag allocated to Special Factors for flooding and Wolf Creek extended outage
- b) Other Lag and Variability
 - Lower projected weather-normalized load growth from 1% to 0.5%
 - 2011 includes \$0.12 EPS due to weather, 2012 assumes normal weather
- (c) Regulatory Earned
 - Regulatory earned ROE improving by 0 to 110 basis points over 2011

2013 Projected Drivers

- Target is 50 basis points of lag in regulated operations in 2013 (compared to approximately 160-270 basis points reflected in 2012 revised guidance)
- Strategies to reduce lag in 2013 are 1) operational and 2) regulatory
 - Operational
 - High level of system reliability and plant performance
 - Continue baseline assumption that changes in non-fuel operating and maintenance (NFOM) expenses and weather-normalized load are offsetting
 - Aggressively manage NFOM expenses as close to allowed level in rates as possible
 - Demand growth would potentially create earnings upside
 - Increased AFUDC from environmental and other capital projects
 - Regulatory
 - Missouri rate cases – new rates in effect 1Q 2013
 - Requested new KCP&L Missouri wholesale margin cap
 - Kansas - present view contemplates filing to achieve new rates effective early 2013
 - Riders & Trackers – Full-year impact of Kansas property tax rider; transmission, RES and property tax trackers requested at KCP&L Missouri and GMO in rate cases
- Other drivers
 - Weighted average shares – increase to 154 million with full-year impact from Equity Units conversion
 - Other impacts from Equity Units conversion
 - ROE benefit from additional equity in capital structure largely offset by significantly lower interest expense on Equity Units' remarketed debt
 - Full-year impact from refinancing GMO high-coupon debt
 - Expected to be negative in terms of GAAP interest expense

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Appendix

Special Factors Impacting Full-Year Results and 2011 Guidance

(All Amounts Per-Share)

| | 1Q | 2Q | 3Q | Total |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Disallowances and other accounting effects from Missouri rate case orders | (\$0.03) | | | (\$0.03) |
| Organizational realignment and voluntary separation program | (\$0.04) | (\$0.01) | | (\$0.05) |
| Wolf Creek extended outage and replacement power | | (\$0.05) | | (\$0.05) |
| Coal conservation and flooding related expenses | | | (\$0.09) | (\$0.09) (a) |
| Total | (\$0.07) | (\$0.06) | (\$0.09) | (\$0.22) |

(a) Coal conservation ended mid-October 2011; 4Q impact was insignificant

Great Plains Energy Reconciliation of Gross Margin to Operating Revenues (Unaudited)

| (millions) | Three Months Ended December 31 | | Year Ended December 31 | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |
| Operating revenues | \$ 486.3 | \$ 467.8 | \$ 2,318.0 | \$ 2,255.5 |
| Fuel | (118.0) | (97.5) | (483.8) | (430.7) |
| Purchased power | (25.0) | (42.4) | (203.4) | (213.8) |
| Transmission of electricity by others | (7.1) | (6.5) | (30.2) | (27.4) |
| Gross margin | \$ 336.2 | \$ 321.4 | \$ 1,600.6 | \$ 1,583.6 |

Gross margin is a financial measure that is not calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Gross margin, as used by Great Plains Energy, is defined as operating revenues less fuel, purchased power and transmission of electricity by others. The Company's expense for fuel, purchased power and transmission of electricity by others, offset by wholesale sales margin, is subject to recovery through cost adjustment mechanisms, except for KCP&L's Missouri retail operations. As a result, operating revenues increase or decrease in relation to a significant portion of these expenses. Management believes that gross margin provides a more meaningful basis for evaluating the Electric Utility segment's operations across periods than operating revenues because gross margin excludes the revenue effect of fluctuations in these expenses. Gross margin is used internally to measure performance against budget and in reports for management and the Board of Directors. The Company's definition of gross margin may differ from similar terms used by other companies. A reconciliation to GAAP operating revenues is provided in the table above.

Credit Metric Reconciliation to GAAP

Funds from operations (FFO) to adjusted debt is a financial measure that is not calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). FFO to adjusted debt, as used by Great Plains Energy, is defined in accordance with Standard & Poor's methodology used for calculating FFO to debt. The numerator of the ratio is defined as net cash from operating activities (GAAP) plus non-GAAP adjustments related to operating leases, hybrid securities, post-retirement benefit obligations, capitalized interest, power purchase agreements, asset retirement obligations, changes in working capital and decommissioning fund contributions. The denominator of the ratio is defined as the sum of debt balances (GAAP) plus non-GAAP adjustments related to some of the same items adjusted for in the numerator and other adjustments related to securitized receivables and accrued interest. Management believes that FFO to adjusted debt provides a meaningful way to better understand the Company's credit profile. FFO to adjusted debt is used internally to help evaluate the possibility of a change in the Company's credit rating.

Funds from Operations (FFO) / Adjusted Debt

| | <u>2008</u> | <u>2009</u> | <u>2010</u> | <u>2011</u> |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <u>Funds from operations</u> | | | | |
| Net cash from operating activities | \$ 437.9 | \$ 335.4 | \$ 552.1 | \$ 443.0 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net cash from operating activities to FFO: | | | | |
| Operating leases | 11.2 | 7.5 | 8.7 | 10.9 |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as debt | | 17.8 | 28.8 | 28.8 |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as equity | (0.8) | (0.8) | (0.8) | (0.8) |
| Post-retirement benefit obligations | 9.9 | 8.3 | 24.4 | 67.2 |
| Capitalized interest | (31.7) | (37.7) | (28.5) | (5.8) |
| Power purchase agreements | 11.9 | 12.0 | 12.0 | 2.7 |
| Asset retirement obligations | (3.6) | (6.0) | (7.0) | (6.6) |
| Reclassification of working-capital changes | (190.8) | 37.9 | 95.1 | (0.8) |
| US decommissioning fund contributions | (3.7) | (3.7) | (3.7) | (3.4) |
| Total adjustments | (197.6) | 35.3 | 129.0 | 92.2 |
| Funds from operations | <u>\$ 240.3</u> | <u>\$ 370.7</u> | <u>\$ 681.1</u> | <u>\$ 535.2</u> |
| <u>Adjusted Debt</u> | | | | |
| Notes payable | \$ 204.0 | \$ 252.0 | \$ 9.5 | \$ 22.0 |
| Collateralized note payable | | | 95.0 | 95.0 |
| Commercial paper | 380.2 | 186.6 | 263.5 | 267.0 |
| Current maturities of long-term debt | 70.7 | 1.3 | 485.7 | 801.4 |
| Long-term Debt | 2,556.6 | 3,213.0 | 2,942.7 | 2,742.3 |
| Total debt | 3,211.5 | 3,652.9 | 3,796.4 | 3,927.7 |
| Adjustments to reconcile total debt to adjusted debt: | | | | |
| Trade receivables sold or securitized | 70.0 | 95.0 | | |
| Operating leases | 156.8 | 139.7 | 142.5 | 126.2 |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as debt | | (287.5) | (287.5) | (287.5) |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as equity | 19.5 | 19.5 | 19.5 | 19.5 |
| Post-retirement benefit obligations | 292.7 | 289.3 | 280.5 | 303.1 |
| Accrued interest not included in reported debt | 72.4 | 72.5 | 75.4 | 76.9 |
| Power purchase agreements | 48.4 | 50.2 | 50.2 | 124.8 |
| Asset retirement obligations | 33.6 | 34.2 | 41.1 | 40.4 |
| Total adjustments | 693.4 | 412.9 | 321.7 | 403.4 |
| Adjusted Debt | <u>\$ 3,904.9</u> | <u>\$ 4,065.8</u> | <u>\$ 4,118.1</u> | <u>\$ 4,331.1</u> |
| FFO / Adjusted Debt | 6.2% | 9.1% | 16.5% | 12.4% |

Credit Metric Reconciliation to GAAP

Funds from operations (FFO) interest coverage ratio is a financial measure that is not calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). FFO interest coverage, as used by Great Plains Energy, is defined in accordance with Standard & Poor's methodology used for calculating FFO interest coverage. The numerator of the ratio is defined as net cash from operating activities (GAAP) plus non-GAAP adjustments related to operating leases, hybrid securities, post-retirement benefit obligations, capitalized interest, power purchase agreements, asset retirement obligations, changes in working capital and decommissioning fund contributions plus adjusted interest expense (non-GAAP). The denominator of the ratio, adjusted interest expense, is defined as interest charges (GAAP) plus non-GAAP adjustments related to some of the same items adjusted for in the numerator and other adjustments needed to match Standard & Poor's calculation. Management believes that FFO interest coverage provides a meaningful way to better understand the Company's credit profile. FFO interest coverage is used internally to help evaluate the possibility of a change in the Company's credit rating.

Funds from Operations (FFO) Interest Coverage

| | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <u>Funds from operations</u> | | | | |
| Net cash from operating activities | \$ 437.9 | \$ 335.4 | \$ 552.1 | \$ 443.0 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net cash from operating activities to FFO: | | | | |
| Operating leases | 11.2 | 7.5 | 8.7 | 10.9 |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as debt | | 17.8 | 28.8 | 28.8 |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as equity | (0.8) | (0.8) | (0.8) | (0.8) |
| Post-retirement benefit obligations | 9.9 | 8.3 | 24.4 | 67.2 |
| Capitalized interest | (31.7) | (37.7) | (28.5) | (5.8) |
| Power purchase agreements | 11.9 | 12.0 | 12.0 | 2.7 |
| Asset retirement obligations | (3.6) | (6.0) | (7.0) | (6.6) |
| Reclassification of working-capital changes | (190.8) | 37.9 | 95.1 | (0.8) |
| US decommissioning fund contributions | (3.7) | (3.7) | (3.7) | (3.4) |
| Total adjustments | (197.6) | 35.3 | 129.0 | 92.2 |
| Funds from operations | <u>\$ 240.3</u> | <u>\$ 370.7</u> | <u>\$ 681.1</u> | <u>\$ 535.2</u> |
| <u>Interest expense</u> | | | | |
| Interest charges | \$ 111.3 | \$ 180.9 | \$ 184.8 | \$ 218.4 |
| Adjustments to reconcile interest charges to adjusted interest expense: | | | | |
| Trade receivables sold or securitized | 3.5 | 4.8 | | |
| Operating leases | 7.3 | 9.4 | 8.1 | 7.9 |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as debt | | (17.8) | (28.8) | (28.8) |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as equity | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 |
| Post-retirement benefit obligations | 3.7 | 21.6 | 19.4 | 17.6 |
| Capitalized interest | 31.7 | 37.7 | 28.5 | 5.8 |
| Power purchase agreements | 2.9 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 7.4 |
| Asset retirement obligations | 7.3 | 8.1 | 8.7 | 9.3 |
| Other adjustments | 31.0 | | (11.5) | |
| Total adjustments | 88.2 | 67.8 | 28.1 | 20.0 |
| Adjusted interest expense | <u>\$ 199.5</u> | <u>\$ 248.7</u> | <u>\$ 212.9</u> | <u>\$ 238.4</u> |
| FFO interest coverage (x) | 2.2 | 2.5 | 4.2 | 3.2 |

Credit Metric Reconciliation to GAAP

Adjusted Debt / Total Adjusted Capitalization

Adjusted debt to total adjusted capitalization is a financial measure that is not calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Adjusted debt to total adjusted capitalization, as used by Great Plains Energy, is defined in accordance with Standard & Poor's methodology used for calculating the ratio of debt to debt and equity. The numerator of the ratio, adjusted debt, is defined as the sum of debt balances (GAAP) plus non-GAAP adjustments related to securitized receivables, operating leases, hybrid securities, post-retirement benefit obligations, accrued interest, power purchase agreements and asset retirement obligations. The denominator of the ratio, total adjusted capitalization, is defined as the sum of equity balances (GAAP) plus non-GAAP adjustments related to hybrid securities plus the non-GAAP adjusted debt as defined for the numerator. Management believes that adjusted debt to total adjusted capitalization provides a meaningful way to better understand the Company's credit profile. Adjusted debt to total adjusted capitalization is used internally to help evaluate the possibility of a change in the Company's credit rating.

| | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <u>Adjusted Debt</u> | | | | |
| Notes payable | \$ 204.0 | \$ 252.0 | \$ 9.5 | \$ 22.0 |
| Collateralized note payable | | | 95.0 | 95.0 |
| Commercial paper | 380.2 | 186.6 | 263.5 | 267.0 |
| Current maturities of long-term debt | 70.7 | 1.3 | 485.7 | 801.4 |
| Long-term Debt | <u>2,556.6</u> | <u>3,213.0</u> | <u>2,942.7</u> | <u>2,742.3</u> |
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| Adjustments to reconcile total debt to adjusted debt: | | | | |
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| Intermediate hybrids reported as debt | | (287.5) | (287.5) | (287.5) |
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| Accrued interest not included in reported debt | 72.4 | 72.5 | 75.4 | 76.9 |
| Power purchase agreements | 48.4 | 50.2 | 50.2 | 124.8 |
| Asset retirement obligations | 33.6 | 34.2 | 41.1 | 40.4 |
| Total adjustments | <u>693.4</u> | <u>412.9</u> | <u>321.7</u> | <u>403.4</u> |
| Adjusted Debt | <u>\$ 3,904.9</u> | <u>\$ 4,065.8</u> | <u>\$ 4,118.1</u> | <u>\$ 4,331.1</u> |
| | | | | |
| Total common shareholders' equity | \$ 2,550.6 | \$ 2,792.5 | \$ 2,885.9 | \$ 2,959.9 |
| Noncontrolling interest | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.0 |
| Total cumulative preferred stock | <u>39.0</u> | <u>39.0</u> | <u>39.0</u> | <u>39.0</u> |
| Total equity | 2,590.6 | 2,832.7 | 2,926.1 | 2,999.9 |
| Adjustments to reconcile total equity to adjusted equity: | | | | |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as debt | | 287.5 | 287.5 | 287.5 |
| Intermediate hybrids reported as equity | (19.5) | (19.5) | (19.5) | (19.5) |
| Total adjustments | <u>(19.5)</u> | <u>268.0</u> | <u>268.0</u> | <u>268.0</u> |
| Adjusted Equity | <u>\$ 2,571.1</u> | <u>\$ 3,100.7</u> | <u>\$ 3,194.1</u> | <u>\$ 3,267.9</u> |
| | | | | |
| Total Adjusted Capitalization | \$ 6,476.0 | \$ 7,166.5 | \$ 7,312.2 | \$ 7,599.0 |
| | | | | |
| Adjusted Debt / Total Adjusted Capitalization | 60.3% | 56.7% | 56.3% | 57.0% |

Guidance Assumptions

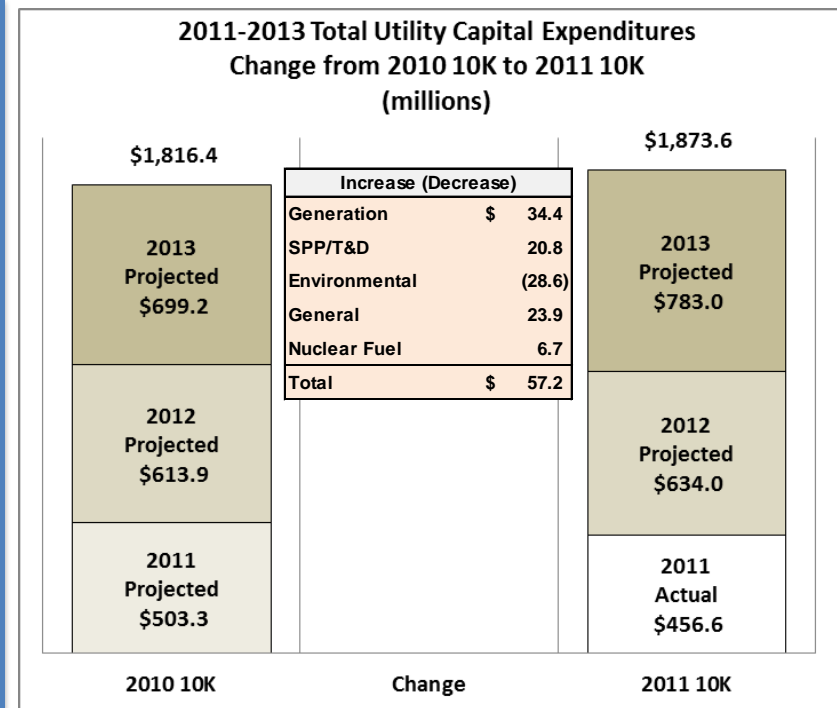
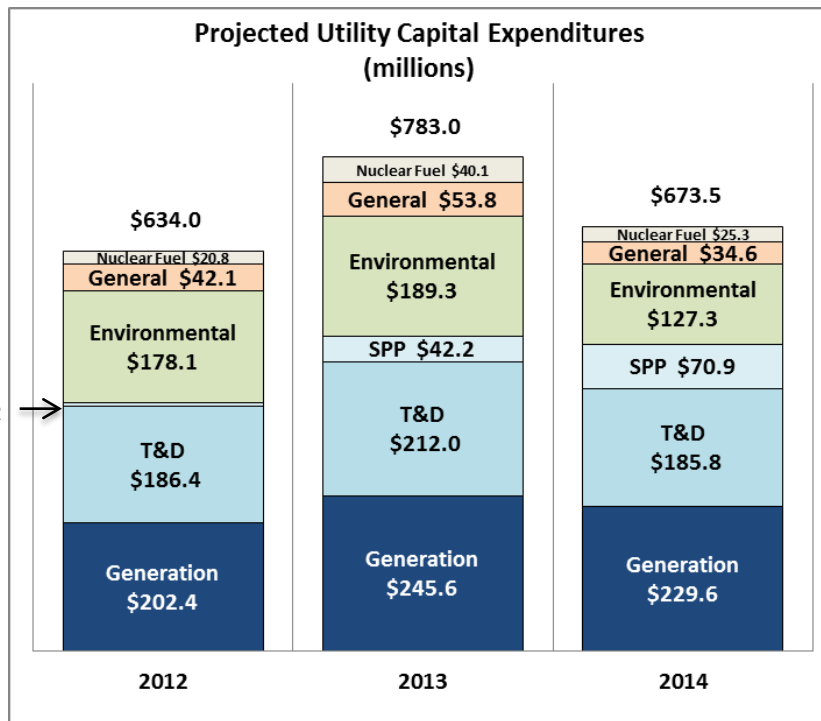
KCP&L-MO Wholesale Margin

KCP&L Missouri customer rates are set assuming KCP&L earns a prescribed level of wholesale margin* (“cap”) to achieve its revenue requirement

- If cap is exceeded, excess margin booked as a regulatory liability to be returned, with interest, to customers in the next rate case
- If cap not achieved, KCP&L falls short of its revenue requirement with no regulatory mechanism to recover the shortfall
- Two distinct caps apply in 2012
 - \$45.9 million Annual cap for May 2011 to April 2012
 - Excess margin books as a regulatory liability whenever cap is exceeded
 - Earnings and cash in a fiscal year could be significantly impacted by timing of wholesale margins
 - \$45.9 million Annual cap begins May 2012
- New cap proposed in current rate case
 - New retail rates include new cap, effective in 1Q 2013

*Also referred to as non-firm wholesale electric sales margin (wholesale margin offset) in the 2011 10-K

Projected Capital Expenditures

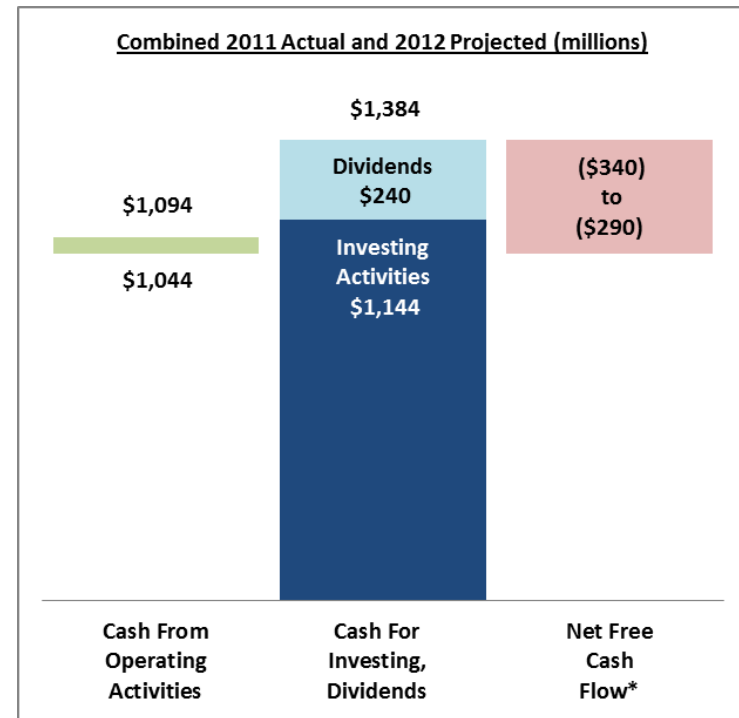
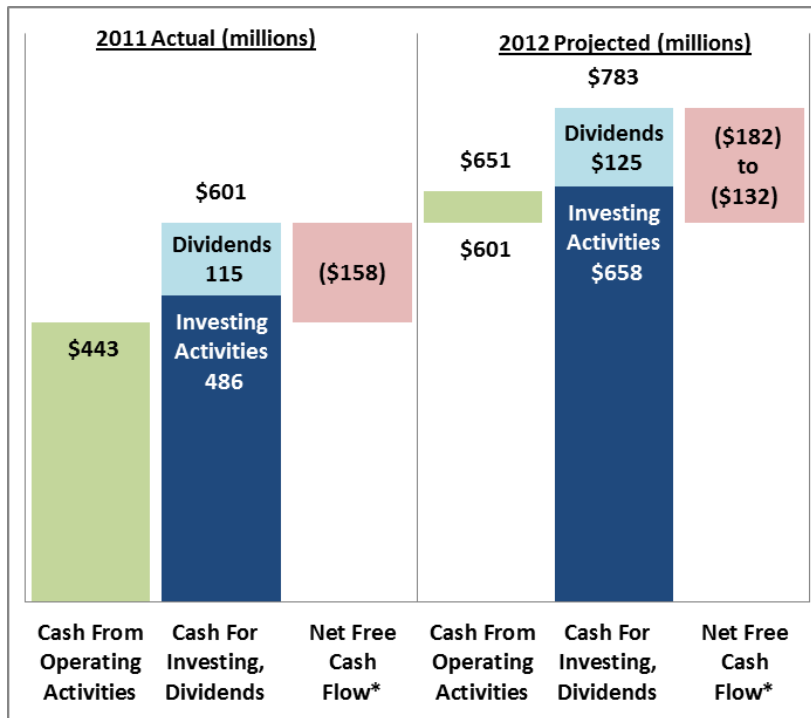


Major Projects included in 2012-2014 Capital Expenditure Plan

Environmental • La Cygne \$178.1, \$189.3, and \$127.3 million for 2012-2014

- T&D • Iatan-Nashua \$0.5, \$5.0, and \$15.0 million for 2012-2014
 • Sibley-Maryville-Nebraska City \$3.7, \$37.2, and \$55.9 million for 2012-2014

2011-2012 Net Free Cash Flow*



Net Free Cash Flow Impacts

- Combined 2011 Actual
2012 Projected
- Analyst Day Projected (\$200) to (\$240) million
 - Weaker weather-normalized load growth
 - Lower off-system sales
 - Compliance with Cross States Air Pollution Rule (CSAPR)

Dividends 2012 common dividends for illustrative purposes only based on current annual dividend rate of \$0.85 per share and not an indication of Board of Directors' approval

*Net Free Cash Flow is a non-GAAP financial measure and is defined in Appendix

Great Plains Energy Reconciliation of Net Free Cash Flow (NFCF) (Unaudited)

| (millions) | 2011 Actual | 2012 Projected | | Combined 2011 Actual and 2012 Projected | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------|---|----------|
| | | Low | High | Low | High |
| GAAP Cash Flows from Operating Activities | \$ 443 | \$ 601 | \$ 651 | \$ 1,044 | \$ 1,094 |
| GAAP Cash Flows from Investing Activities | (486) | (658) | (658) | (1,144) | (1,144) |
| GAAP Dividends paid* | (115) | (125) | (125) | (240) | (240) |
| Net Free Cash Flow | \$ (158) | \$ (182) | \$ (132) | \$ (340) | \$ (290) |

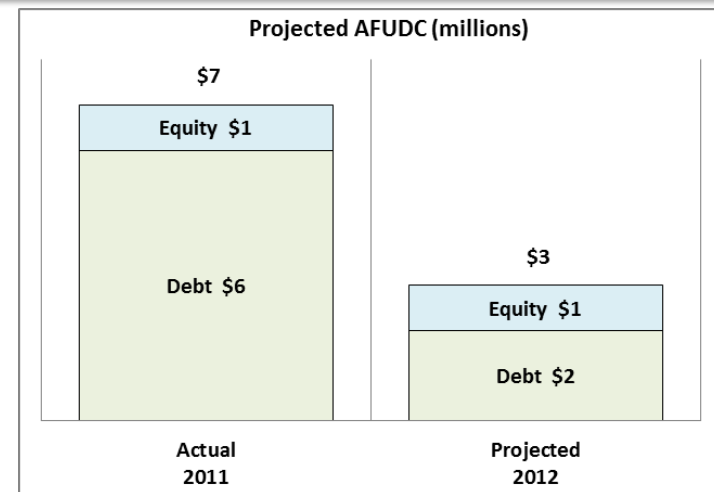
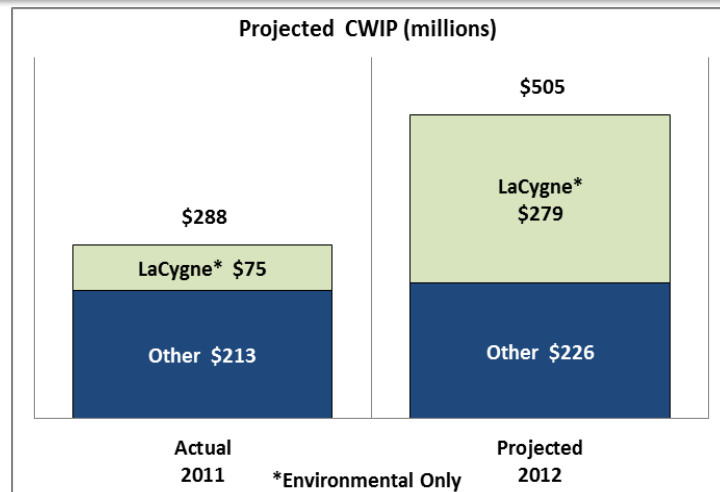
***GAAP dividends paid includes an assumed \$0.85 of common dividends in 2012 for illustrative purposes only and is not an indication of approval of such amount by the Company's Board of Directors**

Net Free Cash Flow (NFCF) is a financial measure that is not calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). NFCF, as used by Great Plains Energy, is calculated from the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows as Cash Flows from Operating Activities less Cash Flows from Investing Activities less Dividends paid. Management believes that NFCF is an important measurement in evaluating financing and/or dividend alternatives. The Company's definition of NFCF may differ from similar terms used by other companies.

2012 Guidance Assumptions

Depreciation, CWIP, AFUDC

- Depreciation and Amortization
 - KCP&L-MO regulatory amortization of \$3.5 million/month ended May 2011
 - MO Iatan 2 traditional depreciation for partial year 2011, full year 2012
 - KCP&L began in May 2011, GMO began in June 2011
 - Change in depreciation rates from rate case orders
 - Depreciation growing for plant placed in service and not in current rates
- Construction Work in Progress (CWIP)/Accumulated Funds Used During Construction (AFUDC)
 - Short-term debt balance of approximately \$450 million to \$500 million by end of the year



2012 Guidance Assumptions

Income Taxes

- Effective income tax rate of approximately 34%
- Federal/State combined statutory rate of approximately 38.9% impacted by:
 - AFUDC Equity (non-taxable)
 - Wind Production Tax Credits (PTC)
 - Amortization of Investment Tax Credits (ITC)
- Do not expect to generate significant income tax liability or pay significant income taxes during 2012 due to:
 - Bonus depreciation of approximately \$200 million
 - Differences between book and tax depreciation, primarily related to seven year depreciable tax life for pollution controls recently placed in service at Iatan facilities
 - Ongoing wind PTC

2012 Guidance Assumptions

Deferred Income Taxes

- Year-end 2011 deferred tax income taxes include:
 - \$213.7 million tax credit carry forwards primarily related to Advanced Coal ITCs, wind PTCs, and Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT) credits (\$89.8 million) related to GMO acquisition)
 - Coal and wind credits expire in years 2028 to 2031
 - AMT credits do not expire
 - \$0.7 million Federal and state valuation allowance
 - \$543.7 million Net Operating Loss (NOL) carry forward with approximately \$365.6 million related to the GMO acquisition
 - Federal NOL carry forwards expire in years 2023 to 2031
 - \$23.2 million state valuation allowance
- Do not expect to generate significant income tax liability during 2012 (see previous slide)
- Do not anticipate paying significant income taxes through the end of 2017
 - Expect to utilize year-end 2011 NOL and tax credit carry forwards, net of valuation allowances
 - Estimate that impact of bonus depreciation in 2012 has delayed paying significant income taxes by about one year