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Third Quarter 2013
Earnings Presentation
November 8, 2013

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Opening Remarks and Business Review

Terry Bassham
Chairman and CEO

Third Quarter 2013 Highlights and Recent Events

Earnings Review

- Third quarter 2013 earnings per share of \$0.93 compared with \$0.95 in 2012
- Narrowing 2013 earnings per share guidance range from \$1.44 - \$1.64 to \$1.54 - \$1.64

Operations Update

- KCP&L and GMO requested authorization from the Missouri Public Service Commission to implement an accounting authority order to defer certain incremental transmission costs in docket EU-2014-0077

Transource Update

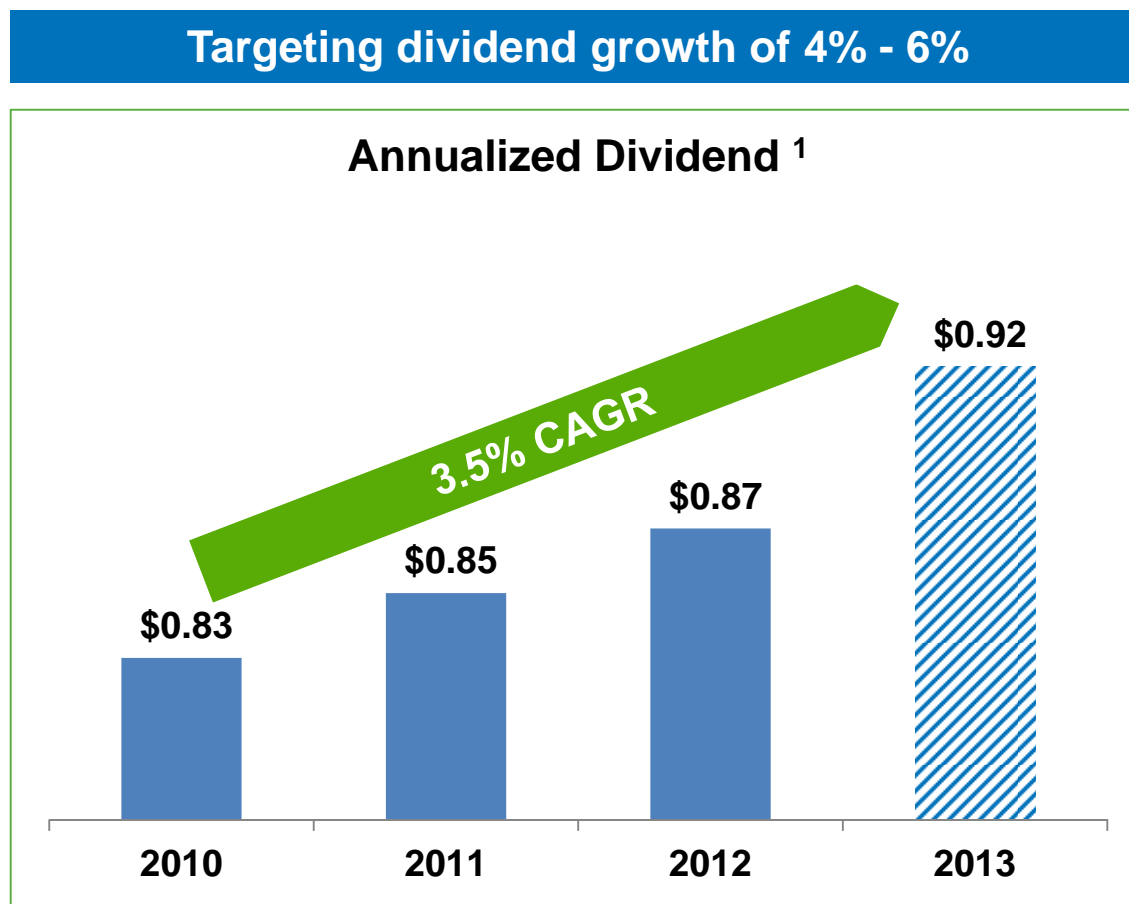
- Southwest Power Pool (SPP) approved KCP&L and GMO's request to novate two approved regional projects to Transource Missouri
 - SPP submitted its approval for FERC acceptance to novate the projects. Acceptance expected by 1Q 2014

Dividend Increase

- Increased quarterly common stock dividend from \$0.2175 cents per share to \$0.23 per share

Common Stock Dividend Growth

- Increased common stock dividend from \$0.87 per share to \$0.92 per share on annual basis in November 2013
 - Dividend increased three consecutive years
 - 11% increase in annual dividend since 2010
- Dividend yield of 3.9% as of November 5, 2013 ²
- Narrowing dividend target payout ratio range from 50% - 70% to 55% - 70%
- Paid a cash dividend on common stock every quarter since March 1921



¹ Based on fourth quarter declared dividend

² Based on November 2013 declared dividend

Financial Overview

James C. Shay
SVP, Finance & Strategic
Development and CFO

Third Quarter 2013 EPS Reconciliation Versus 2012

	2013 EPS	2012 EPS	Change in EPS
1Q	\$ 0.17	\$ (0.07)	\$ 0.24
2Q	\$ 0.41	\$ 0.41	\$ -
3Q	\$ 0.93	\$ 0.95	\$ (0.02)
YTD ¹	\$ 1.51	\$ 1.34	\$ 0.17

Contributors to Change in 2013 EPS Compared to 2012

	New Retail Rates	WN Demand	Interest Expense	Wolf Creek	Weather	Other Margin	Regulatory Items (in O&M)	General Taxes	2012 Release of Uncertain Tax Positions	Other & Dilution	Total
1Q 2013	\$ 0.09	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.07	\$ 0.07	\$ (0.06)	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.02)	\$ -	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.24
2Q 2013	\$ 0.17	\$ -	\$ 0.03	\$ -	\$ (0.12)	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.02)	\$ (0.01)	\$ -	\$ (0.01)	\$ -
3Q 2013	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.08	\$ -	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.18)	\$ 0.01	\$ (0.02)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.02)
YTD ¹	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.05	\$ (0.24)	\$ (0.08)	\$ (0.07)	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.02)	\$ 0.17

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

¹ As of September 30

Financial Review

2013 Earnings Guidance

- Narrowing 2013 earnings per share guidance range to \$1.54 – \$1.64

2013 Year-To-Date Trends¹

- Year-to-date weather-normalized retail MWh sales up 1% compared to 2012, in line with full-year expectations of flat to 1%
- Continued diligent cost management

Financing Activity

- Completed GMO private placement for an aggregate principal amount of \$350 million, with a weighted average maturity of 21.4 years and a weighted average coupon rate of 4.15%²
- Extended the term of Great Plains Energy, KCP&L and GMO's credit facilities, totaling \$1.25 billion, through October 2018

¹ As of September 30

² Details in Appendix

Great Plains Energy

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

	Three Months Ended September 30 (millions)		Year-to-Date September 30 (millions)	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Operating revenues	\$ 765.0	\$ 746.2	\$ 1,907.5	\$ 1,829.5
Fuel	(156.6)	(164.7)	(410.0)	(422.1)
Purchased power	(25.7)	(17.9)	(99.4)	(69.5)
Transmission of electricity by others	(13.6)	(9.8)	(37.9)	(25.9)
Gross margin	\$ 569.1	\$ 553.8	\$ 1,360.2	\$ 1,312.0

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.

Customer Consumption

Retail MWh Sales Growth Rates						
3Q 2013 Compared to 3Q 2012				YTD 2013 Compared to YTD 2012 ¹		
	Total Change in MWh Sales	Weather – Normalized Change in MWh Sales	% of Retail MWh Sales	Total Change in MWh Sales	Weather – Normalized Change in MWh Sales ²	% of Retail MWh Sales
Residential	(8.7%)	3.3%	42%	(2.2%)	2.8%	40%
Commercial	(1.0%)	1.9%	45%	(1.1%)	0.1%	47%
Industrial	2.8%	4.2%	13%	(2.9%)	(1.3%)	13%
	(4.0%)	2.8% ³		(1.8%)	1.0% ³	

¹ As of September 30

² Excluding 2012 Leap Day sales

³ Weighted average

September 30, 2013 Debt Profile and Current Credit Ratings

(\$ in Millions)	Great Plains Energy Debt							
	KCP&L		GMO ¹		GPE		Consolidated	
	Amount	Rate ²	Amount	Rate ²	Amount	Rate ²	Amount	Rate ²
Short-term debt	\$ 133.7	0.92%	\$ 109.3	0.88%	\$ 6.0	1.94%	\$ 249.0	0.93%
Long-term debt ³	2,312.1	5.13%	468.2	4.96%	742.6	5.30%	3,522.9	5.14%
Total	\$2,445.8	4.90%	\$577.5	4.19%	\$748.6	5.27%	\$3,771.9	4.86%

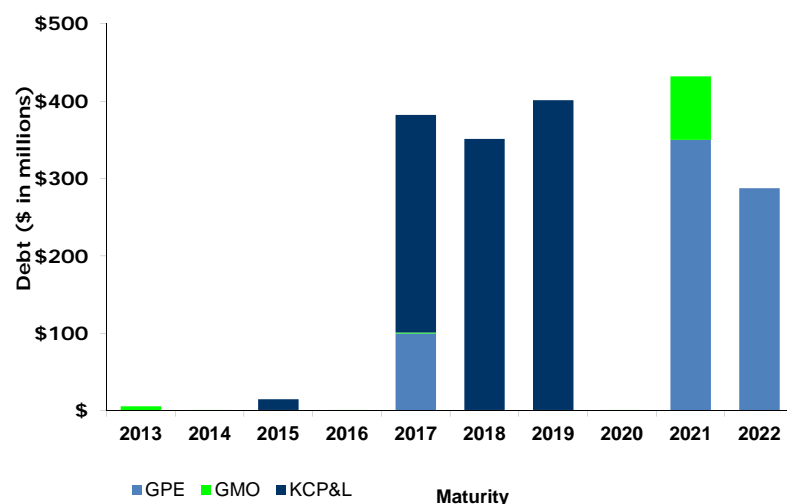
Secured debt = \$795 (21%), Unsecured debt = \$2,977 (79%)

¹ Great Plains Energy guarantees approximately 23% of GMO's debt

² Weighted Average Rates – excludes premium / discounts and other amortizations

³ Includes current maturities of long-term debt

Long-Term Debt Maturities ⁴



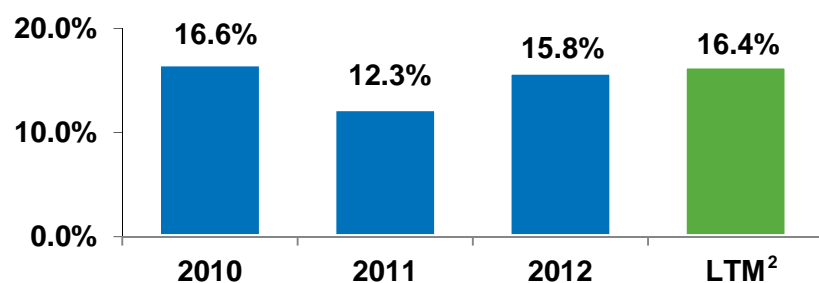
Current Credit Ratings

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

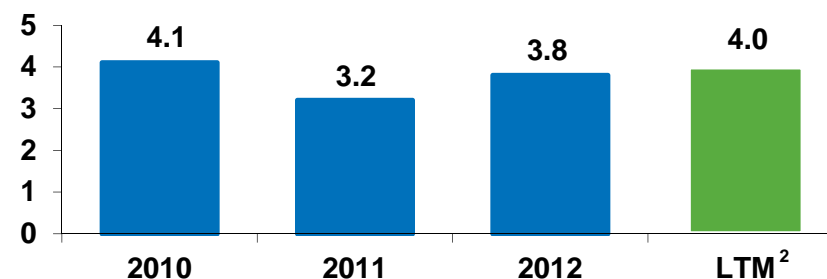
⁴ Includes long-term debt maturities through December 31, 2022

Key Credit Ratios for Great Plains Energy and Liquidity

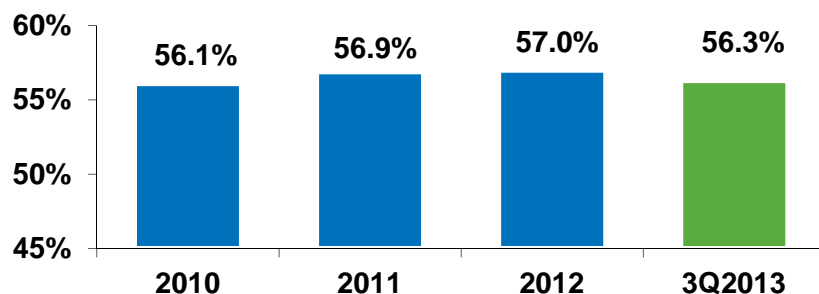
FFO / Adjusted Debt¹



FFO Interest Coverage¹



Adjusted Debt / Total Adjusted Capitalization¹



September 30, 2013 Liquidity

(\$ in millions)

	KCP&L	GMO	GPE	Total
Aggregate Bank Commitments ³	\$710.0	\$530.0	\$200.0	\$1,440.0
Outstanding Facility Draws	0.0	0.0	6.0	6.0
Outstanding Letters of Credit	3.8	14.6	1.8	20.2
A/R Securitization Facility Draws	110.0	80.0	0.0	190.0
Available Capacity Under Facilities	596.2	435.4	192.2	1,223.8
Outstanding Commercial Paper	23.7	29.3	-	53.0
Available Capacity Less Outstanding Commercial Paper	\$572.5	\$406.1	\$192.2	\$1,170.8

³ Includes KCP&L \$110M and GMO \$80M accounts receivable securitization facilities

¹ All ratios calculated using Standard and Poor's methodology. Ratios are non-GAAP measures that are defined and reconciled to GAAP in Appendix

² Last twelve months (LTM) as of September 30, 2013

GMO Long-term Debt Issuance

In August 2013, GMO completed a private placement for an aggregate principal amount of \$350 million senior unsecured notes, consisting of:

	Amount (millions)	Coupon	Tenor (years)
Series A	\$ 125	3.49%	12
Series B	75	4.06%	20
Series C	150	4.74%	30
	\$ 350	4.15%¹	21.4¹

¹ Weighted Average

Credit Metric Reconciliation to GAAP

Funds from Operations (FFO) / Adjusted Debt

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.

	2010	2011	2012	LTM ¹
<u>Funds from operations</u>				
Net cash from operating activities	\$ 552.1	\$ 443.0	\$ 663.8	\$ 760.7
Adjustments to reconcile net cash from operating activities to FFO:				
Operating leases	8.7	11.1	10.8	11.2
Intermediate hybrids reported as debt	28.8	28.8	7.2	
Intermediate hybrids reported as equity	(0.8)	(0.8)	(0.8)	(0.8)
Post-retirement benefit obligations	24.4	65.3	25.7	25.7
Capitalized interest	(28.5)	(5.8)	(5.3)	(9.4)
Power purchase agreements	8.3	1.6	7.8	8.1
Asset retirement obligations	(7.0)	(6.6)	(4.8)	(4.8)
Reclassification of working-capital changes	95.1	(0.8)	5.0	(46.0)
US decommissioning fund contributions	(3.7)	(3.4)	(3.3)	(3.3)
Total adjustments	125.3	89.4	42.3	(19.3)
Funds from operations	<u>\$ 677.4</u>	<u>\$ 532.4</u>	<u>\$ 706.1</u>	<u>\$ 741.4</u>
<u>Adjusted Debt</u>				
Notes payable	\$ 9.5	\$ 22.0	\$ 12.0	\$ 6.0
Collateralized note payable	95.0	95.0	174.0	190.0
Commercial paper	263.5	267.0	530.1	53.0
Current maturities of long-term debt	485.7	801.4	263.1	7.1
Long-term Debt	2,942.7	2,742.3	2,756.8	3,515.8
Total debt	<u>3,796.4</u>	<u>3,927.7</u>	<u>3,736.0</u>	<u>3,771.9</u>
Adjustments to reconcile total debt to adjusted debt:				
Trade receivables sold or securitized				
Operating leases	142.5	127.2	127.4	130.6
Intermediate hybrids reported as debt	(287.5)	(287.5)		
Intermediate hybrids reported as equity	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5
Post-retirement benefit obligations	280.5	303.1	364.2	364.2
Accrued interest not included in reported debt	75.4	76.9	41.5	59.9
Power purchase agreements	19.6	105.8	129.5	131.7
Asset retirement obligations	41.1	40.4	37.1	37.1
Total adjustments	291.1	385.4	719.2	743.0
Adjusted Debt	<u>\$ 4,087.5</u>	<u>\$ 4,313.1</u>	<u>\$ 4,455.2</u>	<u>\$ 4,514.9</u>
FFO / Adjusted Debt	16.6%	12.3%	15.8%	16.4%

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Credit Metric Reconciliation to GAAP

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Interest charges	\$ 184.8	\$ 218.4	\$ 220.8	\$ 198.0
Adjustments to reconcile interest charges to adjusted interest expense:				
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Other adjustments	(2.4)			
Total adjustments	37.2	18.5	28.0	45.7
Adjusted interest expense	<u>\$ 222.0</u>	<u>\$ 236.9</u>	<u>\$ 248.8</u>	<u>\$ 243.7</u>
FFO interest coverage (x)	4.1	3.2	3.8	4.0

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Total common shareholders' equity	\$ 2,885.9	\$ 2,959.9	\$ 3,340.0	\$ 3,487.0
Noncontrolling interest	1.2	1.0	-	-
Total cumulative preferred stock	39.0	39.0	39.0	39.0
Total equity	<u>2,926.1</u>	<u>2,999.9</u>	<u>3,379.0</u>	<u>3,526.0</u>
Adjustments to reconcile total equity to adjusted equity:				
Intermediate hybrids reported as debt	287.5	287.5		
Intermediate hybrids reported as equity	(19.5)	(19.5)	(19.5)	(19.5)
Total adjustments	<u>268.0</u>	<u>268.0</u>	<u>(19.5)</u>	<u>(19.5)</u>
Adjusted Equity	<u>\$ 3,194.1</u>	<u>\$ 3,267.9</u>	<u>\$ 3,359.5</u>	<u>\$ 3,506.5</u>
Total Adjusted Capitalization	<u>\$ 7,281.6</u>	<u>\$ 7,581.0</u>	<u>\$ 7,814.7</u>	<u>\$ 8,021.4</u>
Adjusted Debt / Total Adjusted Capitalization	56.1%	56.9%	57.0%	56.3%