

### Earnings Conference Call Fourth Quarter 2013

February 25, 2014

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## **Fourth Quarter EPS Results**

	<u>4Q 2013</u>	<u>4Q 2012</u>
OG&E	\$0.15	\$0.14
OGE Holdings (Natural Gas Midstream Operations)	0.14	0.05
Hold. Co.	_	_
Consolidated	\$0.29	\$0.19



## **2013 EPS Results**

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
OG&E	\$1.47	\$1.41
OGE Holdings (Natural Gas Midstream Operations)	0.50	0.38
Hold. Co.	(.03)	-
Consolidated	\$1.94	\$1.79



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## Fourth Quarter Results – OG&E

Net income for OG&E was \$29 million or \$0.15 per share in 2013 as compared to net income of \$28 million or \$0.14 per share in 2012. Primary drivers include:

In Millions of \$	<u>4Q 2013</u>	<u>4Q 2012</u>	<u>Variance</u> <u>Fav/(Unfav)</u>
Gross Margin*	276.6	258.3	18.3
<b>Operation &amp; Maintenance</b>	120.8	112.4	(8.4)
Net Other Income	0.6	3.0	(2.4)
Interest Expense	33.3	31.4	(1.9)
Income Tax Expense	11.5	7.8	(3.7)

\*The reconciliation of gross margin to revenue is located in the appendix.



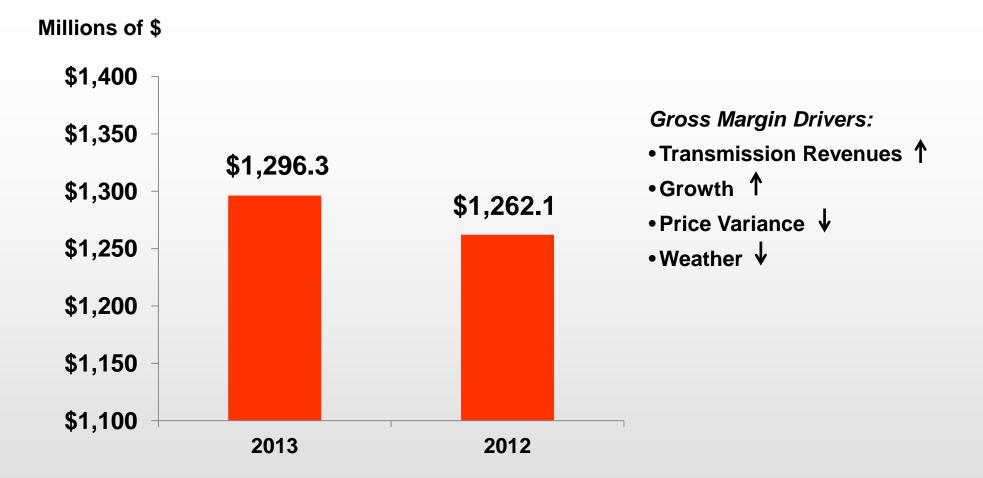
## 2013 Results – OG&E

Net income for OG&E was \$293 million or \$1.47 per share in 2013 as compared to net income of \$280 million or \$1.41 per share in 2012. Primary drivers include:

In Millions of \$	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>Variance</u> <u>Fav/(Unfav)</u>
Gross Margin	1,296.3	1,262.1	34.2
<b>Operation &amp; Maintenance</b>	438.8	446.3	7.5
Taxes other than income	83.8	77.7	(6.1)
Interest Expense	129.3	124.6	(4.7)
Income Tax Expense	113.5	94.6	(18.9)



## 2013 Results – OG&E Gross Margin





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#### **2013 Results – Natural Gas Midstream Operations**

Net income to OGE was \$100 million or \$.50 per share in 2013 as compared to net income of \$74 million or \$.38 per share in 2012.

In Millions	2013	2012
Natural Gas Midstream Operations	<b>\$0.08</b> (Consolidated- Four Months Ended April 30, 2013)	
Natural Gas Midstream Operations	-	<b>\$0.38</b> (Consolidated- Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2012)
OGE Holdings	<b>\$0.42</b> (Equity Method – Eight Months Ended December 31, 2013)	_
Net income to OGE Energy	\$0.50	\$0.38



# 2014 Outlook\*

- The Company's 2014 earnings guidance is between approximately \$388 million and \$411 million of net income, or \$1.94 to \$2.06 per average diluted share assuming 100 million average diluted shares outstanding.
- OG&E is projected earn between approximately \$292 million to \$303 million of net income or \$1.46 to \$1.52 per average diluted share assuming normal weather.
- OGE Enogex Holdings is projected to earn between approximately \$98 million to \$110 million of net income or \$0.49 to \$0.55 per average diluted share.
- The loss at the Holding Company is projected to be approximately \$2 million or \$0.01 per average diluted share.

\*OGE Enogex Holdings 2014 earnings guidance does not include the impact of gain and dilution from the issuance of shares associated with the anticipated IPO of Enable Midstream Partners, LP.



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### 2014 Assumptions – OG&E

The Company projects OG&E to earn approximately \$292 million to \$303 million or \$1.46 to \$1.52 per average diluted share in 2014 and is based on the following assumptions:

- Normal weather patterns are experienced for the remainder of the year;
- Gross margin on revenues of approximately \$1.355 billion to \$1.345 billion based on sales growth of approximately 1.2 percent on a weather adjusted basis;
  - Approximately \$115 million of gross margin is primarily attributed to regionally allocated transmission projects;
- Operating expenses of approximately \$805 million to \$815 million with operation and maintenance expenses approximately 56% of the total;
- Interest expense of approximately \$141 million which assumes a \$4 million ABFUDC reduction to interest expense and \$250 million of long-term debt issued in the first half of 2014;
- AEFUDC of approximately \$11 million; and
- An effective tax rate of approximately 28%.

OG&E has significant seasonality in its earnings. OG&E typically shows minimal earnings in the first and fourth quarters with a majority of earnings in the third quarter due to the seasonal nature of air conditioning demand.





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Appendix

### **Reg. G Reconciliation of Gross Margin to Revenue**

	_	Three Months Ended December 31,			Twelve Mo Decem	 
(In millions)		2013		2012	2013	2012
Operating revenues	\$	508.9	\$	465.5	\$ 2,262.2	\$ 2,141.2
Fuel and purchased power		232.3		207.2	965.9	879.1
Gross Margin	\$	276.6	\$	258.3	\$ 1,296.6	\$ 1,262.1

Gross Margin is defined by OG&E as operating revenues less fuel, purchased power and transmission expenses. Gross margin is a non-GAAP financial measure because it excludes depreciation and amortization, and other operation and maintenance expenses. Expenses for fuel, purchased power and transmission expenses are recovered through fuel adjustment clauses and as a result changes in these expenses are offset in operating revenues with no impact on net income. OG&E believes gross margin provides a more meaningful basis for evaluating its 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. OG&E's definition of gross margin may be different from similar terms used by other companies.

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### **Reg. G Reconciliation of Gross Margin to Revenue**

(in millions)	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2014E (A)		
Operating revenues	\$ 2,240		
Fuel and purchased power	892		
Gross Margin	\$ 1,348		
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(A) Based on the midpoint of OG&E earnings guidance for 2014

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## **Projected Capital Expenditures 2014 - 2018**

Dollars in millions	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
OG&E Base Transmission	\$ 30	\$ 30	\$ 30 \$	5 30 Ş	\$ 30
OG&E Base Distribution	175	175	175	175	175
OG&E Base Generation	140	75	75	75	75
OG&E Other	15	15	15	15	15
Total OG&E Base T&D, Gen & Other	360	295	295	295	295
OG&E Known and Committed Projects:					
Transmission Projects					
Regionally Allocated Base Projects (1)	55	20	20	20	20
Balanced Portfolio 3E Projects (2)	15	-	-	-	-
SPP Priority Projects (2)	75	-	-	-	-
ITP 10-year Projects (2)	15	25	30	25	10
Total Transmission Projects	160	45	50	45	30
Other Projects:					
Smart Grid Program	25	10	10	-	-
Environmental - Low NOX	35	20	15	10	-
Environmental - Activated Carbon Injection	5	10	5	-	
Total Other Projects	65	40	30	10	
Total Known and Committed Projects	225	85	80	55	30
Total OG&E	585	380	375	350	325
OGE Energy	15	10	10	10	10
TOTAL OGE Consolidated	\$ 600	\$ 390	\$ 385 \$	360 \$	335

(1) Approximately 30% of revenue requirement allocated to SPP members other than OG&E

(2) Approximately 85% of revenue requirement allocated to SPP members other than OG&E



