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Question:

(VEGETATION MANAGEMENT PROGRAM) Refer to Exhibit CLP-VMP-1, pp. 18-24. The Company identified seven types of components associated with CL&P's historical VMP. Please identify the historical cost breakdown between these seven components from 2018 through present.

Response:

In Exhibit CLP-VMP-1, pages 18-24, the Company identified seven generalized components of the historical VMP, including Scheduled Maintenance Trimming ("SMT"), Enhanced Tree Removals ("ETR"), Emergent Work, Distribution Rights-of-Way ("ROW"), Emergency Work, and VMP Support Work. However, this excludes previously discussed components in Exhibit CLP-VMP-1, pages 14-17, including Enhanced Tree Trimming ("ETT"), Customer-Focused ETT, and Vine Removal. Please refer to EOE-142, Attachment 1, for the historic actual cost breakdown for years 2018-2025.