

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**REVIEW OF NATIONAL GRID'S REQUEST TO :  
CONTINUE DCFC REBATE PILOT BEYOND RATE YEAR 3 : DOCKET NO. 4770-A**

**NOTICE OF WORKSHOP**

The Public Utilities Commission (PUC) hereby gives notice that it will conduct a workshop at its offices at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island on **September 22, 2021 commencing at 2:00 P.M. ending no later than 4:30 P.M.** in Hearing Room A. The workshop will be streamed live at <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/WqQyXw296dg>.

In this docket, the PUC will consider a filing by The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid to extend the Direct Current Demand Discount (DCFC) beyond August 31, 2021. In this docket, the Office of Energy Resources (OER) filed comments in support of the extension but raised important inter-program design issues. At this workshop, the Commission will explore those issues further prior to National Grid's upcoming filings in this docket. This workshop is not to discuss a specific proposal to expand the original three-year pilot.

**Agenda**

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. OER to expand on the section of its comments titled "Generally, the DCFC Tariff may send mixed signals about the cost of electricity."
  - a. How does the DCFC tariff send mixed signals on the cost of electricity?
  - b. Please expand on the conflict raised between the policy goals of Connected Solutions, DCFC, and any other related programs.
  - c. Any other comments OER wishes to add
3. National Grid will respond to OER's comments on this topic
4. Opportunity for any other party to comment on the topic
5. Comments by the Commissioners if any
6. Adjourn

The filings in this docket are available for examination at the PUC's office. The filing can also be accessed at <http://www.ripuc.org/eventsactions/docket/4770page.html>. Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws. The PUC is accessible to the handicapped. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Commission Clerk's office at 780-2107, seventy-two hours in advance of hearing date.

Luly Massaro, Commission Clerk  
September 16, 2021