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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

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Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission  
89 Jefferson Boulevard  
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**RE: Docket No. 23-48-EL – The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a  
Rhode Island Energy’s Proposed FY 2025 Electric Infrastructure, Safety, and  
Reliability Plan  
Supplemental Response to PUC 5-9**

Dear Ms. Massaro:

On behalf of The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy (the “Company”), enclosed is the Company’s supplemental response to PUC 5-9 in the above-referenced matter.

Thank you for your attention to this transmittal. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 401-784-4263.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Andrew S. Marcaccio".

Andrew S. Marcaccio

Enclosures

cc: Docket No. 23-48-EL Service List

PUC 5-9 – Supplemental

Request:

Please provide a table with the following information:

- a. Please provide a list of cities and town in which the **AMF Network** (AMF amounts charged to FERC account 397) will be deployed in **FY 2025**.
- b. Please provide a list of cities and towns in which **AMF meters** will be deployed in in **FY 2025**.
- c. Please provide a list of cities and town in which the **AMF Network** (AMF amounts charged to FERC account 397) will be deployed in **FY 2026**.
- d. Please provide a list of cities and towns in which **AMF meters** will be deployed in **FY 2026**.
- e. For a. through d. above, please provide data by quarter if available.

Original Response:

- a. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-1
- b. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-2
- c. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-3
- d. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-4
- e. The response to 5-9 e. is captured, using Infrastructure Safety and Reliability Plan fiscal quarters, within Attachments PUC 5-9-1 through 5-9-4

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Supplemental Response:

The Company is making this supplemental response to address updates to the Advanced Metering Functionality (“AMF”) implementation schedule.

- a. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-1 supplemental
- b. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-2 supplemental
- c. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-3 supplemental
- d. Please see Attachment PUC 5-9-4 supplemental
- e. The response to 5-9 e. supplemental is captured, using Infrastructure Safety and Reliability (“ISR”) Plan fiscal quarters, within Attachments PUC 5-9-1 supplemental through 5-9-4 supplemental.

Please note that responses for timing are in ISR Plan fiscal quarters. The primary reason for the AMF updates is the schedule shift of the final Transition Services Agreement (“TSA”) exit date from National Grid USA’s systems to PPL’s systems moving from May 2024 to August 2024. The shift of the TSA exit date results in a shift of AMF timing and approach. Along with a needed update in the systems functionality release approach and schedule, meter deployment start will move from January 2025 to March 2025. There is no change to the timing of pre-sweeps and network deployment.

The secondary reason for the AMF updates is a result of finalizing or near finalization of vendor contracts, resulting in firm cost estimates. There is no change to the overall AMF program cost but the update does reduce FY2025 forecasted spend and increases FY2026 and FY2027.

Including this response, the AMF updates impact the Company’s responses to the following data requests:

PUC Set 1  
PUC 1-1, 1-2, 1-3, 1-4

PUC Set 2  
PUC 2-1, 2-2, 2-4

The Narragansett Electric Company  
d/b/a Rhode Island Energy  
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Issued on February 1, 2024

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PUC Set 3

PUC 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-4

PUC Set 4

PUC 4-1, 4-2, 4-5, 4-6

PUC Set 5

PUC 5-5

PUC Set 7

PUC 7-1, 7-4, 7-7, and 7-8

The Company also is providing an updated Section 5, Attachment 3, which it filed originally as part of the Proposed FY 2025 ISR Plan (starting on Bates page 277), as part of its response to PUC 9-19.

PUC 5-9-1 Original Response

Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Network is planned to be deployed in FY 2025.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
Westerly	Westerly	Q2 2025
Westerly	Hopkinton	Q2 2025
Westerly	Richmond	Q3 2025
Westerly	Charlestown	Q3 2025
Westerly	South Kingstown	Q3 2025
Westerly	Narragansett	Q3 2025
Middletown	Jamestown	Q3 2025
Middletown	Newport	Q3 2025
Middletown	Middletown	Q4 2025
Middletown	Little Compton	Q4 2025
Middletown	Tiverton	Q4 2025
Middletown	Portsmouth	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	North Kingstown	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	Exeter	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	West Greenwich	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	Coventry	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	East Greenwich	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-East	West Warwick	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-East	Warwick	Q4 2025

PUC 5-9-1 Supplemental

Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Network is planned to be deployed in FY 2025.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
Westerly	Westerly	Q2 2025
Westerly	Hopkinton	Q2 2025
Westerly	Richmond	Q3 2025
Westerly	Charlestown	Q3 2025
Westerly	South Kingstown	Q3 2025
Westerly	Narragansett	Q3 2025
Middletown	Jamestown	Q3 2025
Middletown	Newport	Q3 2025
Middletown	Middletown	Q4 2025
Middletown	Little Compton	Q4 2025
Middletown	Tiverton	Q4 2025
Middletown	Portsmouth	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	North Kingstown	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	Exeter	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	West Greenwich	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	Coventry	Q4 2025
North Kingstown-West	East Greenwich	Q4 2025

PUC 5-9-2 Original Response

Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Meters are planned to be deployed in FY 2025.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
Westerly	Westerly	Q4 2025
Westerly	Hopkinton	Q4 2025
Westerly	Richmond	Q4 2025

PUC 5-9-2 Supplemental

Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Meters are planned to be deployed in FY 2025.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
Westerly	Westerly	Q4 2025



PUC 5-9-3 Original Response

Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Network is planned to be deployed in FY 2026.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
North Kingstown-East	Warwick	Q1 FY 2026
Providence-West	Cranston	Q1 FY 2026
Providence-West	Johnston	Q1 FY 2026
Providence-East	East Providence	Q1 FY 2026
Providence-East	Barrington	Q1 FY 2026
Providence-East	Warren	Q1 FY 2026
Providence-East	Bristol	Q1 FY 2026
Providence	Providence	Q1 FY 2026
Chopmist	Foster	Q1 FY 2026
Chopmist	Scituate	Q1 FY 2026
Chopmist	Glocester	Q2 FY 2026
Chopmist	Smithfield	Q2 FY 2026
Chopmist/Lincoln-East	North Providence	Q2 FY 2026
Lincoln-East	Pawtucket	Q3 FY 2026
Lincoln-East	Central Falls	Q3 FY 2026
Lincoln-East	Lincoln	Q3 FY 2026
Lincoln-West	Cumberland	Q3 FY 2026
Lincoln-West	Woonsocket	Q3 FY 2026
Lincoln-West	North Smithfield	Q3 FY 2026
Lincoln-West	Burrillville	Q3 FY 2026

PUC 5-9-3 Supplemental

Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Network is planned to be deployed in FY 2026.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
North Kingstown-East	West Warwick	Q1 2026
North Kingstown-East	Warwick	Q1 2026
Providence-West	Cranston	Q1 2026
Providence-West	Johnston	Q1 2026
Providence-East	East Providence	Q2 2026
Providence-East	Barrington	Q2 2026
Providence-East	Warren	Q2 2026
Providence-East	Bristol	Q2 2026
Providence	Providence	Q2 2026
Chopmist	Foster	Q2 2026
Chopmist	Scituate	Q2 2026
Chopmist	Glocester	Q2 2026
Chopmist	Smithfield	Q2 2026
Chopmist/Lincoln-East	North Providence*	Q2 2026
Lincoln-East	North Providence*	Q3 2026
Lincoln-East	Pawtucket	Q3 2026
Lincoln-East	Central Falls	Q3 2026
Lincoln-East	Lincoln	Q3 2026
Lincoln-West	Cumberland	Q3 2026
Lincoln-West	Woonsocket	Q3 2026
Lincoln-West	North Smithfield	Q3 2026
Lincoln-West	Burrillville	Q3 2026

\*North Providence includes two Rhode Island Energy operating areas. AMF sectors are aligned with Rhode Island Energy operating areas.

PUC 5-9-4 Original Response

Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Meters are planned to be deployed in FY 2026.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
Westerly	Charlestown	Q1 2026
Westerly	South Kingstown	Q1 2026
Westerly	Narragansett	Q1 2026
Middletown	Jamestown	Q1 2026
Middletown	Newport	Q1 2026
Middletown	Middletown	Q1 2026
Middletown	Little Compton	Q1 2026
Middletown	Tiverton	Q1 2026
Middletown	Portsmouth	Q1 2026
North Kingstown-West	North Kingstown	Q1 2026
North Kingstown-West	Exeter	Q1 2026
North Kingstown-West	West Greenwich	Q1 2026
North Kingstown-West	Coventry	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-West	East Greenwich	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-East	West Warwick	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-East	Warwick	Q2 2026
Providence-West	Cranston	Q2 2026
Providence-West	Johnston	Q2/Q3 2026
Providence-East	East Providence	Q3 2026
Providence-East	Barrington	Q3 2026
Providence-East	Warren	Q3 2026
Providence-East	Bristol	Q3 2026
Providence	Providence	Q3/Q4 2026
Chopmist	Foster	Q4 2026
Chopmist	Scituate	Q4 2026
Chopmist	Glocester	Q4 2026
Chopmist	Smithfield	Q4 2026
Chopmist/Lincoln-East	North Providence	Q4 2026
Lincoln-East	Pawtucket	Q4 2026
Lincoln-East	Central Falls	Q4 2026
Lincoln-East	Lincoln	Q4 2026
Lincoln-West	Cumberland	Q4 2026
Lincoln-West	Woonsocket	Q1 2027
Lincoln-West	North Smithfield	Q1 2027
Lincoln-West	Burrillville	Q1 2027

PUC 5-9-4 Supplemental

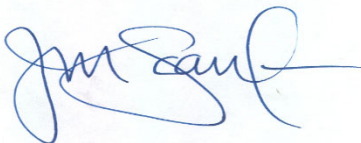
Below is a list of towns in which the AMF Meters are planned to be deployed in FY 2026.

<b>Deployment Sector</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Qtr-Year</b>
Westerly	Westerly	Q1 2026
Westerly	Hopkinton	Q1 2026
Westerly	Richmond	Q1 2026
Westerly	Charlestown	Q1 2026
Westerly	South Kingstown	Q1 2026
Westerly	Narragansett	Q1 2026
Middletown	Jamestown	Q2 2026
Middletown	Newport	Q2 2026
Middletown	Middletown	Q2 2026
Middletown	Little Compton	Q2 2026
Middletown	Tiverton	Q2 2026
Middletown	Portsmouth	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-West	North Kingstown	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-West	Exeter	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-West	West Greenwich	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-West	Coventry	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-West	East Greenwich	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-East	West Warwick	Q2 2026
North Kingstown-East	Warwick	Q3 2026
Providence-West	Cranston	Q3 2026
Providence-West	Johnston	Q3 2026
Providence-East	East Providence	Q3 2026
Providence-East	Barrington	Q3 2026
Providence-East	Warren	Q3 2026
Providence-East	Bristol	Q3 2026
Providence	Providence	Q4 2026
Chopmist	Foster	Q4 2026
Chopmist	Scituate	Q4 2026
Chopmist	Glocester	Q4 2026
Chopmist	Smithfield	Q4 2026
Chopmist/Lincoln-East	North Providence	Q4 2026

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I hereby certify that a copy of the cover letter and any materials accompanying this certificate was electronically transmitted to the individuals listed below.

The paper copies of this filing are being hand delivered to the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission and to the Rhode Island Division of Public Utilities and Carriers.



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March 1, 2024  
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