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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk
Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

**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
Responses to PUC Data Requests – PUC Set 13 Post-Decisional**

Dear Ms. Massaro:

On behalf of The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy (the “Company”), enclosed is the Company’s response to PUC 13-1 Post-Decisional issued in the above-referenced matter on June 7, 2024.

As a cross-reference for the Commission, the Company will also file a copy of this response in Docket Nos. 23-37-EL and 23-38-EL.

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 13-1 – Post-Decisional

Request:

In Docket No. 22-53-EL (FY 2024 Electric ISR), Attachment 3 (Second Supplemental) continues prior years' designation of either the Tiverton Substation and/or Weaver Hill Substation line items as separately tracked major projects, either within the System Capacity & Performance or Asset Condition subcategories.

- a. Please confirm that both of these substation projects are multi-year projects with total spending in excess of \$5 million.
- b. Please explain why these projects were not categorized as separately tracked major projects in Attachment 3 (Bates pages 84-86) of the FY 2025 ISR Plan proposal.
- c. Please explain why these projects were not included in the Company's response to PUC 5-2 in this docket.

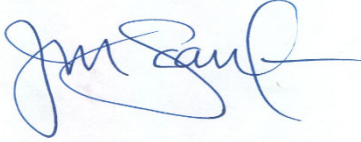
Response:

- a. The Weaver Hill and Tiverton substation projects are multi-year projects. However, neither of the conceptual estimates for the substation component exceed \$5 million. The substation component of the Weaver Hill Road project in Attachment 3, line 7, Bates Page 86, is \$3.450M. The Tiverton Substation conceptual estimate, as shown in Attachment 3, Bates Page 85 line 20, is \$2.493M. These projects were considered separately tracked major projects in the FY 2024 Electric ISR, before the budgetary framework and separately tracked major project criteria was established.
- b. As discussed in a), these projects did not meet the criteria for separately tracked major projects; therefore, they are not included in this category.
- c. These projects were not included as major projects in the Company's response to PUC 5-2 in Docket 23-48-EL because they do not meet definition of separately tracked major projects. However, the Tiverton and Weaver Hill projects are included in Attachment PUC 5-2-2 in the general project System Capacity & Performance section.

Certificate of Service

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.



Joanne M. Scanlon

June 21, 2024
Date

**Docket No. 23-48-EL – RI Energy’s Electric ISR Plan FY 2025
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