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Stephanie De La Rosa, Commission Clerk
Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

RE: Docket No. 23-44-REG – 2024 Renewable Energy Growth Program
2024 Second Open Enrollment Report

Dear Ms. De La Rosa:

On behalf of The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy (the "Company"), enclosed please find the Company's Second Open Enrollment Report for the 2024 Rhode Island Renewable Energy ("RE") Growth Program (the "Report"). This Report is being filed in accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(a) and (b). The Company is seeking the issuance of an Order from the Public Utilities Commission ("PUC") awarding a certificate of eligibility ("COE") to the project detailed in Attachment 3 (DuTemple Solar, LLC).

The Report consists of the following attachments:

- Attachment 1 is entitled Second 2024 Rhode Island Renewable Energy Growth Program Open Enrollment Report. This attachment lists the four (4) projects that the Company has selected for a COE.

  The list includes three (3) medium-scale solar projects. In accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(a), the selected medium-scale solar projects are to be provided a COE by the Company without approval from the PUC subject to the review and consent of the Office of Energy Resources ("OER").

  This list also includes one (1) Commercial-Scale Solar II project. In accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(b), this selected project is subject to approval by the PUC. Attachment 3 contains the COE for the project, which includes the corresponding pricing information.

- Attachment 2 is the RE Growth Program Review and Consent per R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(a) by the OER, which serves to memorialize OER's consent for the selected three (3) medium-scale solar projects.

- Attachment 3 is the COE for DuTemple Solar, LLC, which is a Commercial-Scale Solar II project.

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

Sincerely,

Andrew S. Marcaccio

Enclosures

cc: Docket No. 23-44-REG Service List

Second 2024 Rhode Island Renewable Energy Growth Program

Open Enrollment Report

Rhode Island Energy selected four projects for a certificate of eligibility in the Second 2024 Open Enrollment, totaling 1,407 kW of project nameplate capacity.

Distribution Company-Awarded Certificates

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rhode Island Renewable Energy Growth Program, R.I. Gen Laws § 39-26.6-20(a), Rhode Island Energy is providing the attached list of the medium-scale solar projects that have been awarded a certificates of eligibility in the Second Open Enrollment that completed in August 2024, which was subject to approval from the Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources.

Project Name	Project Location	Nameplate Capacity (kW)	Class	Price (¢/kWh)	Ceiling Price (¢/kWh)	Tariff Term
Canavan Solar	10 Latham Farm Road, Esmond, RI 02917	35	Medium-Scale Solar (>25-250 kW DC)	33.00	33.15	20
Appian Way Property - Solar Project	15 Appian Way, Smithfield, RI 02917	102	Medium-Scale Solar (>25-250 kW DC)	33.15	33.15	20
SBI - RI	12 High St., Wakefield, RI 02879	87	Medium-Scale Solar (>25-250 kW DC)	32.10	33.15	20
Total:		**223**				
Note: Nameplate Capacity is rounded to the nearest kW.						

Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission (PUC)-Awarded Certificates

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rhode Island Renewable Energy Growth Program, R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(b), Rhode Island Energy must submit a list of commercial-scale and large-scale solar, and all other distributed-generation projects, selected by Rhode Island Energy with their corresponding pricing information. The Company is submitting the attached list of one project selected by Rhode Island Energy with their corresponding pricing information and is requesting PUC approval for the listed project.

Second 2024 Open Enrollment Results

Project Name	Project Location	Nameplate Capacity (kW)	Class	Price (¢/kWh)	Ceiling Price (¢/kWh)	Tariff Term
DuTemple Solar, LLC	AM 36 - BLK 2 - LOT 2 (36-2-2) Ten Rod Road, Exter, RI 02822	960	Commercial-Scale Solar II (>500-<1000 kW DC)	24.00	24.45	20
	Total:	**960**				
Note: Nameplate Capacity is rounded to the nearest kW.						

Renewable Energy Growth Program
Review And Consent Per R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(a)
By the Rhode Island Office Of Energy Resources

Program Year: 2024 Enrollment Period: Second

List of Projects for Review and Consent by the Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources ("OER"):

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In accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(a), OER has reviewed the above projects and hereby consents to The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy providing Certificates of Eligibility to the above projects.

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Director, Energy Programs and Policy

Date

Certificate of Eligibility

Rhode Island Renewable Energy Growth Program

The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy

This Certificate of Eligibility is written confirmation that the Distributed Generation ("DG") Project referenced below has been selected for participation in the Rhode Island Renewable Energy Growth Program. The Project Applicant is bound by the terms and conditions of the Tariff for the Renewable Energy Growth Program (the "Non-Residential Tariff") as well as Other Company Tariff Requirements described and referenced therein. In addition, the facility is interconnected with the distribution system of the Narragansett Electric Company and is located in the Narragansett Electric Company ISO-NE load zone.

Project Name: **DuTemple Solar, LLC**

Project Owner: **DuTemple Solar**

Project Contact: **Asa Davis**

Facility Address: **AM 36 - BLK 2 - LOT 2 (36-2-2) Ten Rod Road, Exeter, RI 02822**

Phone Number: **401-741-7862**

Email Address: **asa.davis3@gmail.com**

RI Interconnection Application ID or Case#: 200191

Renewable Technology: **Solar PV - Ground Mount**

Solar PV – rooftop; Solar PV – ground mount; Wind; Anaerobic Digestion; Hydropower

Renewable Energy Class: **Commercial-Scale Solar II (>500-<1000 kW DC)**

Small-Scale Solar I, Small-Scale Solar II, Medium-Scale Solar, Commercial-Scale Solar I, Commercial-Scale Solar II, Commercial-Scale Solar CRDG I, Commercial-Scale Solar CRDG II, Large-Scale Solar, Large-Scale Solar CRDG, Wind, Wind CRDG, Anaerobic Digestion, Hydroelectric

Nameplate Capacity (kW): **960**

The total rated power output of all solar panels measured in DC

Maximum Hourly Output (kWh AC per hour): **800**

Maximum amount of energy produced in an hour measured in AC for all technologies

Expected Annual Energy Output (MWh per year): 1,266

Expected amount of energy produced in a year measured in AC for all technologies

Applicable Renewable Energy Growth Program Tariff: Non-Residential Tariff

Indicate which tariff the Project Applicant is bound by the terms and conditions of: Renewable Energy Growth Program Tariff for Residential Customers, RIPUC No. 2151-K or Renewable Energy Growth Program Tariff for Non-Residential Customers, RIPUC No. 2152-K.

Required Performance Guarantee Deposit Paid ($): $31,650

Additional Required Performance Guarantee Deposit Paid ($): $0

Subject to the conditions set forth in Section 3.e of the Tariff, an Applicant may elect to extend the DG Project deadline a second time for providing the Output Certification by posting an additional Deposit amount equal to one-half of the original Deposit amount.

Performance Based Incentive (cents/kWh): 24

Term of Performance Based Incentive (# years): 20

The term of the applicable Tariff supplement beginning on the Certificate Effective Date.

Certificate Issuance Date: TBD - pending PUC approval

Payment Option: Option 1

Subject to the conditions set forth in Section 8.c of the Tariff, an Applicant must notify the Company of the manner by which it will be compensated for its output under the Program. Option 1 – Direct payment of the entire PBI or Option 2 – a combination of direct payment and customer bill credit.

Output Certification Deadline: Certificate Issuance Date + 2 years

If the Output Certification is not received within the required timeframe, subject to the conditions set forth in Section 3 of the Tariff, the project's Certificate of Eligibility will be voided and its performance guarantee deposit will be forfeited. Once a DG Project has provided the Output Certification, the Project then has 90 days to meet all other requirements pursuant to Section 8.a. of the Tariff in order to receive payment.

Certificate Effective Date: Click here to enter a date.

The performance-based incentive is paid beginning on this date for the applicable term of the tariff. As a condition of receiving payments, the Applicant must provide confirmation of: 1) the Company's written authority to interconnect to its electric distribution system and Applicant's payment of all amounts due; 2) Commission certification of the DG Project as an Eligible Renewable Energy Resource; 3) registration of the DG Project with the ISO-NE and NEPOOL GIS; 4) the Output Certification; and 5) being current with amounts due on the electric service accounts or fulfilling the requirements of an approved payment plan.

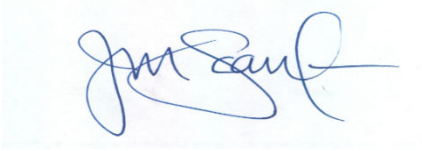
Certificate Termination Date: Click here to enter a date.

The performance-based incentive is paid up to this date covering the applicable 20-year term of the tariff. Section 11 of the Tariff highlights termination provisions under which the tariff might be terminated earlier than the stated Certificate Termination Date.

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

September 17, 2024
Date

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The Narragansett Electric Company & RI Distributed Generation Board
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