

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**IN RE: THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY :  
d/b/a RHODE ISLAND ENERGY RENEWABLE ENERGY :  
GROWTH PROGRAM REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF : DOCKET NO. 24-50-REG  
CERTIFICATES OF ELIGIBILITY FOR COMMERCIAL :  
SCALE AND LARGE SCALE PROJECTS :  
PROGRAM YEAR 2025 :**

**ORDER  
(Third Enrollment)**

The Renewable Energy Growth Program<sup>1</sup>(Program) is a tariff-based financing program for renewable distributed energy generation systems. The Program is only available under The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a Rhode Island Energy (RI Energy) tariffs.<sup>2</sup> The purpose of the Program is to facilitate and encourage the installation and development of renewable distributed generation systems, reduce environmental impacts and carbon emissions, diversify generation sources, stimulate economic development, improve distribution system resilience and reliability, and reduce distribution system costs.<sup>3</sup> Annually, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) reviews and approves an enrollment schedule, technology targets, and ceiling prices against which commercial and large scale projects compete for participation in the Program. The program year runs from April 1<sup>st</sup> to the following March 31<sup>st</sup>. The 2025 Program year targets and ceiling prices were approved on March 28, 2024.

R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-20(b) requires the Commission to review and issue Certificates of Eligibility for commercial scale, large-scale, and small-scale hydropower projects that have been chosen by RI Energy for participation in the Renewable Energy Growth Program. Following each enrollment, RI Energy files an Enrollment Report. Pursuant to the R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-

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<sup>1</sup> R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-1 to 27.

<sup>2</sup> R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-3(8).

<sup>3</sup> R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-26.6-1.

20(b), RI Energy filed the Third Enrollment Report for Program Year 2025 on October 7, 2025. RI Energy reported that in the Third Enrollment it selected two commercial scale solar projects with a total nameplate capacity of 1,997 kW and a small hydropower project with a nameplate capacity of 520 KW. RI Energy requested the Commission approve the Certificates of Eligibility for these projects.<sup>4</sup>

On October 27, 2025, the Commission reviewed and approved the Certificates of Eligibility from the Third Enrollment, finding that the projects were consistent with the applicable Program tariff and enrollment rules.

Accordingly, it is hereby

(25542) ORDERED:

1. The Certificates of Eligibility from the Third Enrollment are awarded to the projects listed in Appendix A of this Order.

EFFECTIVE AT WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND PURSUANT TO AN OPEN MEETING  
DECISION ON OCTOBER 27, 2025. WRITTEN ORDER ISSUED ON NOVEMBER 4, 2025.

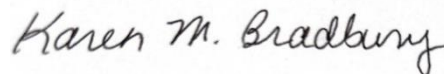
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Ronald T. Gerwatowski, Chairperson



Abigail Anthony, Commissioner



Karen M. Bradbury, Commissioner

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<sup>4</sup> Third Enrollment Report; <https://ripuc.ri.gov/sites/g/files/xkgbur841/files/2025-10/24-50-REG%20-%20RIE%203rd%20Open%20Enrollment%20Report%20-%20PUC%2010-7-2025.pdf>.

**Notice of Right of Appeal:** Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-5-1, any person aggrieved by a decision or order of the PUC may, within 7 days from the date of the Order, petition the Supreme Court for a Writ of Certiorari to review the legality and reasonableness of the decision or Order.

**APPENDIX A**

**Third 2025 Open Enrollment Results**

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
1	Project Name	Project Location	Nameplate Capacity (kW)	Class	Price (¢/kWh)	Ceiling Price (¢/kWh)	Tariff Term
2	Forest Solar	87 Shore Drive, Johnston, Rhode Island, 02919	499	Commercial-Scale Solar I (>250-500 kW DC)	28.54	28.55	20
3	Ultra Fine Solar	500 Park East Drive, Woonsocket, Rhode Island, 02895	499	Commercial-Scale Solar I (>250-500 kW DC)	28.05	28.55	20
4	DeCurtis Solar	2361 Providence Pike, North Smithfield, Rhode Island, 02896	999	Commercial-Scale Solar II (>500-<1000 kW DC)	23.74	23.75	20
5	Natick Pond Dam Hydro	649 Providence Street, West Warwick, Rhode Island, 02893	520	Small-Scale Hydropower (>0 to 5,000 kW)	33.35	33.35	20
4	<b>Total:</b>		<b>2,517</b>				
5	Note: Nameplate Capacity is rounded to the nearest kW.						