



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Board of Public Utilities
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AGENDA FOR BOARD MEETING
The meeting will be held on
Wednesday, January 25, 2023 – 10:00 a.m.

Open to the Public: Board Hearing Room, 1st Floor, 44 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton
or available to **Watch Online:**

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Executive Session

Open Session will not reconvene until the conclusion of the Executive Session, which will commence at 10:00 a.m. The only business to be conducted in the 10:00 a.m. Open Session will be the reading of the public notice statement, roll call, and the exception, under the Open Public Meetings Act, for each item to be considered in Executive Session.

8. CLEAN ENERGY

- A.** Docket No. QO20120750 – In the Matter of Clean Energy Request for Qualifications of Offshore Wind Transmission Consulting Services for PJM State Agreement Approach Process.

The Board will consider a budget increase request from The Brattle Group regarding the State Agreement Approach evaluation process.

- B.** Docket No. QO22070443 – In the Matter of a Memorandum of Understanding Between the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities and the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) to Establish a Cooperating Agency Relationship with Respect to Renewable Energy or Alternate Use Projects.

The Board will consider entering into a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) to establish a cooperating agency relationship with respect to renewable energy or alternate use projects.

Executive Session (Cont'd)

8. CLEAN ENERGY (CONT'D)

- C.** Docket No. QO20030262 – In the Matter of the Charge Up New Jersey Electric Vehicle Incentive Program.

The Board will consider a contract extension for the Center for Sustainable Energy, the Charge Up New Jersey Program Administrator.



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I. AUDITS

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

II. ENERGY

- A.** Docket Nos. BPU EC22040301 and OAL PUC 03381-22 – In the Matter of JAS Group Enterprises, Inc., Petitioner v. Public Service Electric and Gas Company (PSE&G), Respondent.

The Board will consider an extension of time to issue a final decision in this matter.

III. CABLE TELEVISION

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

IV. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

- A.** Docket No. TM21111235 – In the Matter of the Notice of Peerless Network of New Jersey, LLC and Airus, Inc. – Indirect Transfer of Control.

The Board will consider a petition requesting approval of an indirect transfer of control of Peerless Network of New Jersey, LLC and Airus, Inc. to OpenMarket and certain financing arrangements.

V. WATER

- A.** Docket Nos. BPU WR22090555 and OAL PUC 08466-2022S – In the Matter of Pinelands Water Company for Approval of an Increase in its Rates for Water Service and Other Tariff Changes.

This matter involves a petition for a base rate increase, for water service, filed by Pinelands Water New Jersey. The proposed Board action is the further suspension of the proposed rates for four months, to June 7, to allow the Board to investigate the just and reasonableness of the proposed rates.

- B.** Docket Nos. BPU WR22090556 and OAL PUC 08516-2022S – In the Matter of Pinelands Wastewater Company for Approval of an Increase in its Rates for Wastewater Service and Other Tariff Changes.

This matter involves a petition for a base rate increase, for water service, filed by Pinelands Water New Jersey. The proposed Board action is the further suspension of the proposed rates for four months, to June 7, to allow the Board to investigate the just and reasonableness of the proposed rates.

VI. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

VII. CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

VIII. CLEAN ENERGY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

IX. MISCELLANEOUS

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION



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2. ENERGY

- A.** Docket No. GR22070465 – In the Matter of the Petition of Elizabethtown Gas Company to Revise the Remediation Adjustment Clause Component of its Societal Benefits Charge Rate.

The Board will consider Elizabethtown Gas Company's July 2022 petition seeking to adjust its Remediation Adjustment Clause rates. The parties executed a stipulation, which if approved by the Board, will result in a monthly increase of \$1.06 for a typical residential heating customer.

- B.** Docket No. ER22060408 – In the Matter of the Petition of Public Service Electric and Gas Company for Approval of Changes in its Electric Solar Pilot Recovery Charge ("SPRC") for its Solar Loan I Program.

The Board will consider Public Service Electric and Gas Company's June 2022 petition seeking to modify its Solar Pilot Recovery Charge rate. The parties executed a stipulation, which if approved by the Board, will result in an annual increase of \$0.04 for the typical residential electric customer using 740 kWh in a summer month and 6,920 kWh annually.

2. ENERGY (CONT'D)

- C. Docket No. EO22100632 – In the Matter of the Petition of Rockland Electric Company for Approval of a Zero Emission Certificate Recovery Charge.

The Board will consider Rockland Electric Company's Zero Emissions Certificate Reconciliation Charge rate filing. If approved by the Board, the typical residential customer will see an increase in their monthly bill of approximately \$0.13.

- D. Docket No. EO22100656 – In the Matter of the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company for Approval of a Change to its Zero Emission Certificate Recovery Charge (10/2022).

The Board will consider Atlantic City Electric Company's Zero Emissions Certificate Reconciliation Charge rate filing. If approved by the Board, the typical residential customer will see an increase in their monthly bill of approximately \$0.05.

- E. Docket No. EO22100658 – In the Matter of the Petition of Public Service Electric and Gas Company for Approval of a Zero Emission Certificate Recovery Charge.

The Board will consider Public Service Electric and Gas Company's Zero Emission Certificate Return of Excess Collections rate filing. If approved by the Board, the typical residential customer will see an increase in their monthly bill of approximately \$0.06.

- F. Docket No. GM22040270 – In the Matter of the Merger of South Jersey Industries, Inc. and Boardwalk Merger Sub, Inc.

The Board will consider a petition for a merger of South Jersey Industries, Inc., the parent company of Elizabethtown Gas Company and South Jersey Gas Company, with IIF US Holdings 2. IIF US Holdings 2 is a private equity investment fund, advised and managed by JP Morgan Chase Company.

3. CABLE TELEVISION

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

4. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

5. WATER

- A. Docket No. WM22110690 – In the Matter of the Verified Joint Petition of Montague Water Co., Inc., Montague Sewer Co., Inc., Corix Infrastructure (US) Inc., and SW Merger Acquisition Corp. for Approval of a Change of Control of Montague Water Co., Inc. and Montague Sewer Co., Inc.

The Board will consider designating a presiding commissioner for the petition filed by Montague Water Co., Inc., Montague Sewer Co., Inc., Corix Infrastructure (US) Inc., and SW Merger Acquisition Corp. seeking approval of a change of control of Montague Water Co. and Montague Sewer Co.

6. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

- A. Docket No. GS22110688 – In the Matter of Allegations of Violations of Pipeline Safety Regulations By Public Service Electric and Gas Company With Respect to a Gas Pipeline Safety Inspection in Morris Plains, New Jersey on May 26, 2021.

The Board will consider an Offer of Settlement regarding PSE&G's alleged violations of State and Federal pipeline safety regulations.

7. CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

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- D. Docket No. EO20110730 – In the Matter of the Petition of Rockland Electric Company for Approval of an Electric Vehicle Program, Establishment of an Electric Vehicle Surcharge, and for Other Relief (RECO-EV); and

Docket No. EO22120743 – In the Matter of the Petition of Rockland Electric Company for Approval of an Electric Vehicle Managed Charging Program, and for Other Relief.

The Board will consider the designation of a presiding commissioner for Rockland Electric Company's light duty electric vehicle managed charging filing.

- E. Docket No. EO12090832V – In the Matter of the Implementation of L. 2012, c. 24, The Solar Act of 2012;

Docket No. QO19010068 – In the Matter of a New Jersey Solar Transition Pursuant to P.L. 2018, c. 17 – Application for Certification of Solar Facility as Eligible for TRECS Pursuant to Subsection (t) of the Solar Act of 2012; and

Docket No. QO20120769 – CEP Renewables Foul Rift Solar Farm LLC Natures Choice Brownfield.

The Board will consider the CEP Renewables LLC request for TREC eligibility for its Foul Rift Solar Farm application proposed for the former Nature's Choice Corporation located in White Township in Warren County, New Jersey.

9. MISCELLANEOUS

- A. Docket No. AX21121240 – In the Matter of the Proposed Readoption with Amendments to N.J.A.C. 14:1 – Rules of Practice.

The Board will consider the final readoption of N.J.A.C. 14:1 – Rules of Practice and publication of the rules in the New Jersey Register.