

October 13, 2023

Via Electronic Report Filing

Daniel Goldner
Chairman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit St., Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429

Dear Chairman Goldner:

Re: DE 22-043; Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty

Monthly EAP Reconciliation Report — September 2023

Enclosed for filing please find Liberty's Monthly EAP Reconciliation Report. Please note this report has been filed via the Commission's Electronic Report Filing system.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/Adam R.M. Yusuf

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Enclosure

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Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Electric Assistance Program System Benefits Charge Reconciliation Report September 2023

Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric)

			Inputed	Billed kWh	Differen
Retail Delivery kWh			86,739,696	86,739,696	
SBC Low Income EAP Rate		\$	0.0015		
SBC Low Income EAP Billed Amount		\$	130,109.54		
Interest on 10% Reserve Fund Balance (1)		\$	176.54		
SBC Low Income EAP Funding		\$	130,286.08		
EAP Costs					
Discounts Applied to Customers Bills	\$ 50,965.17				
Discounts Applied to Customers Bills - Marketer ⁽²⁾	\$ 9,221.19				
Payments to Community Action Agencies ⁽³⁾ (NOTE: Includes June & July)	\$ 1,603.72	_			
Total EAP Costs		\$	61,790.08		
SBC Low Income EAP Balance		\$	68,496.00		
Total amount due to (from) State of New Hampshire Treasury		\$	68,496.00		
Program to Date Reserve Balance Interest on reserve at 0.0549857		\$	37,923.49		

(1) Interest rate / 365 (x) # of days in month (x) Reserve: Pursuant to Order No. 24,329 in Docket DE 03-195 State-wide Low Income Electric Assistance Program approving the Settlement Agreement, Liberty Utilities is paying interest on the reserve balance of \$37,923.49. The interest rate is based on the three month London Interbank Offer Rates (LIBOR) on the first business day of the month.

(2) Source: G/L 3071-241210-10254000

(3) The June & July invoices from Belknap CAA are accrued for the month of August. Payment did not get approved in time to reflect correctly for August's filing. The accrual was reversed and reflected in September's filing. Source: G/L 3071-240300-10254000

Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Electric Assistance Program Number of Active EAP Participants by Discount Tier Levels and Amounts September 2023

	Number of Active Participants	Discount Tier	% per Tier Participants To Total Participants Discount Amount		% per Tier Discount <u>To Total Discounts</u>	
	0	1	0.0%	\$	-	0.0%
	667	2	43.0%		7,378.55	12.3%
	209	3	13.5%		5,333.14	8.9%
	245	4	15.8%		12,017.62	20.0%
	214	5	13.8%		12,640.31	21.0%
	216	6	13.9%		22,801.49	37.9%
TOTAL*	1,551		100.0%	\$	60,171.11	100.0%

% of Federal Poverty

	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Guidelines</u>
2	8%	151% to 200%
3	22%	126% to 150%
4	36%	101% to 125%
5	52%	76% to 100%
6	76%	Up to 75%

^{*}The sum of the individual tier values may not match the Total because some customers moved tiers during the month

Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Electric Assistance Program Aging Report September 2023

Non-EAP Customers

	Percentage	
	of Customers	<u>Balance</u>
Current Balance	78.2%	\$ 8,203,238.85
1st Arrears	4.0%	\$ 855,450.17
2nd Arrears	2.4%	\$ 395,146.15
3rd Arrears	0.5%	\$ 311,635.41
4th Arrears	14.9%	\$ 2,260,482.67
Total	100.0%	\$ 12,025,953.25
Customer Count		34,655
EAP Custor	mers	
Current Balance	61.9%	\$ 371,611.56
1st Arrears	6.1%	\$ 78,299.11
2nd Arrears	3.8%	\$ 39,793.07
3rd Arrears	0.6%	\$ 43,689.71
4th Arrears	27.7%	\$ 340,160.55
Total	100.0%	\$ 873,554.00
Customer Count		1,240

^[1] Arrears data is as of September 30, 2023.

^[2] EAP Customer data includes customers receiving a discount in the current month.