

Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty

DG 20-105
Distribution Service Rate Case

Staff Data Requests - Set 4

Date Request Received: 12/18/20
Request No. Staff 4-5

Date of Response: 1/5/21
Respondent: Francisco C. DaFonte
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REQUEST:

Ref. Supplemental Testimony, Bates p. 12. Please provide copies of all consultant contracts for which costs were incurred.

RESPONSE:

Table Staff 4-5 lists each of the consultants and associated attachments containing the confidential contracts. Please note that all of the attachments referenced in this response are provided in Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5.zip.

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Consultant	Attachment
ANALYSIS GROUP	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5a
BEALS & THOMAS, INC.	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5b
CHA CONSULTING INC.	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5c
CHI ENGINEERING SERVICES INC	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5d
CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON (McDermott)	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5e
CORNERSTONE	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5f
EPSILON	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5g
EXPONENT	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5h
GRADIENT	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5i
SANBORN HEAD & ASSOCIATES, INC.	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5j
SCOTT MADDEN	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5k
VANASSE HANGEN BRUSTLIN INC (VHB)	Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5l

Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5a through Confidential Attachment Staff 4-5l contain the proprietary and competitively sensitive information of the above contractors, which information is “confidential, commercial, or financial information” protected from disclosure by RSA 91-A:5, IV. Therefore, pursuant to Puc 203.08(d), the Company has a good faith basis to seek confidential treatment of this information and will submit a motion confirming confidential treatment prior to the final hearing in this docket.

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Since the confidential information exists throughout these documents, and thus redaction would be unduly burdensome, the Company will not be providing redacted versions.