

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

LIBERTY UTILITIES (GRANITE STATE ELECTRIC) CORP. d/b/a LIBERTY

Request for Change in Distribution Rates

DOCKET NO. DE 23-039

PETITION FOR INTERVENTION
CLEAN ENERGY NH

Pursuant to the Notice of Intent issued on March 29, 2023 by Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty (the “Company”) in the above-captioned docket, N.H. Admin. Rules Puc 203.17, and in accordance with the standards of RSA 541-A:32, Clean Energy New Hampshire (“CENH”) hereby petitions for leave to intervene in this proceeding. In support of its Petition, CENH states the following:

1. CENH is a statewide nonprofit organization, which educates and advocates for sustainable energy in New Hampshire. It has residential, business, and municipal members across the state of New Hampshire. Its mission is to strengthen New Hampshire’s economy and conserve natural resources by promoting a transition to an economy powered by clean, affordable, and abundant energy resources.

2. CENH has received support from more than 500 members, including more than 130 businesses, 36 municipal members, comprising nearly 425,000 New Hampshire citizens, and more than 400 individuals in every corner of the Granite State. Further, each of the regulated energy utilities is also a member of CENH. Therefore, our members have a substantial interest in this proceeding as it relates to the energy system as a whole and to electricity costs to consumers.

3. Moreover, CENH has a strong interest in the following subject areas, all of which could be directly or indirectly impacted by the findings made in this proceeding: innovative utility business models, renewable energy, transportation electrification, and battery storage.

4. CENH has been an intervenor in numerous adjudicative dockets including DE 11-250, DE 14-238, DE 15-137, DE 16-576, DE 17-136, DG 17-152, DE 17-189, DE 19-057, DE 19-064, DE 19-197, DE 20-092, DE 20-161, DE 20-170, DE 21-030, DE 21-071, DE 21-078, DE 21-119, DRM 21-142, and DE 22-060.

5. The rights, duties, privileges, immunities, and other substantial interests of CENH and its members will be affected by the decisions made in this proceeding. Additionally, those decisions will impact the core issues for which CENH was created to advocate.

6. CENH has participated in many proceedings before the Commission in the past on behalf of its members and clean energy practices and regulation in New Hampshire, and its participation in the proceeding will be in the interest of justice and will not impair the orderly and prompt conduct of this proceeding, nor will it delay the proceedings.

7. Clean Energy New Hampshire respectfully requests that it be granted full intervenor status in this proceeding.

Dated at Concord, New Hampshire, this 9th day of June, 2023.

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