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Daniel Goldner, Chairman New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street Concord, NH 03301

Email: ClerksOffice@puc.nh.gov

Re: Request for Approval of Derry Community Power Plan

Dear Chairman Goldner,

Attached please find the Derry Community Power Plan dated 6/30/23 for review and approval by the Commission pursuant to RSA 53-E:7, which states:

53-E:7 Aggregation Program.

Section II. Every electric aggregation plan and any revision of a plan to include an optout default service program shall be submitted to the commission, <u>either before or after</u> <u>being submitted by the governing body to the legislative body for approval</u>, to determine whether the plan conforms to the requirements of this chapter and applicable rules of the commission. (Emphasis added.)

The plan is being submitted for Commission review and approval prior to being submitted to the Town's legislative body for approval, as allowed under Puc 2204.01(a). Once the plan has been approved or rejected by the legislative body (Derry Town Council), the Town will notify the commission, department of energy, office of the consumer advocate, and Eversource, Unitil, Liberty Utilities, and the New Hampshire Electric Coop, the distribution utilities serving Derry of such final plan approval or rejection, as required under Puc 2204.01(g).

The municipal employee who is the official liaison for questions about the approved or revised plan, and who is authorized to request information from utilities under these rules is: David Caron, Town Administrator, 14 Manning St, Derry, NH 03038, (603) 432-6100, dcaron@derrynh.org.

The Town does not maintain a dedicated Community Power website. Information on Community Power can be found on the Net Zero Task Force page on the Town website: https://www.derrynh.org/net-zero-task-force . The Town will notify the Commission if such a website is created, as required under Puc 2203.01(e).

The Town is providing copies of this plan on the same day as this submission to the Office of the Consumer Advocate, the NH Department of Energy, and the distribution utilities Eversource, Unitil, Liberty Utilities and the NHEC, should they wish to comment on the plan. Pursuant to current Commission policy, this filing is being made electronically only. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

David R. Caron
Town Administrator

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