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Via ERF and US Mail

Debra A. Howland Executive Director New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re:

DE 18-118; Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities

**Monthly EAP Reconciliation Report – March 2019** 

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing, please find Liberty Utilities' 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 call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Adam M. Hall

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**OCA** Litigation

### Electric Assistance Program System Benefits Charge Reconciliation Report March-19

#### Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric)

Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric)					
			 Imputed	Billed kWh	Difference
Retail Delivery kWh			74,412,660	74,412,661	1
SBC Low Income EAP Rate			\$ 0.0015		
SBC Low Income EAP Billed Amount			\$ 111,618.99		
Interest on 10% Reserve Fund Balance (1)			\$ 83.70		
SBC Low Income EAP Funding			\$ 111,702.69		
EAP Costs					
Discounts Applied to Customers Bills	\$	43,353.00			
Payments to Community Action Agencies <sup>(2)</sup>	\$	10,847.04			
Discounts Applied to Customers Bills - Marketer (3)	\$	782.40			
Other Costs	\$				
Total EAP Costs			\$ 54,982.44		
SBC Low Income EAP Balance			\$ 56,720.25		
Total amount due to State of New Hampshire Treasury	109		\$ 56,720.25		
Program to Date Reserve Balance Interest on reserve at 0.025985			\$ 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) Payment to Belknap CAA

(3) Source: G/L 8830-2-0000-20-2142-2543

# Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities Electric Assistance Program Number of Active EAP Participants by Discount Tier Levels and Amounts March-19

	Number of Active Participants	Discount Tier*	% per Tier Participants To Total Participants	Disc	ount Amount	% per Tier Discount To Total Discounts
	0	1	0.0%	\$	- 11	0.0%
	357	2	28.3%		2,756.94	6.4%
	207	3	16.4%		4,514.27	10.4%
	255	4	20.2%		8,486.14	19.6%
	249	5	19.7%		11,799.20	27.2%
	194	6	15.4%		15,796.45	36.4%
TOTAL*			100.0%	\$	43,353.00	100.0%

	Discount	% of Federal Poverty Guidelines			
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%			

<sup>\*</sup>The total may not sum because some customers moved tiers during the month.

# Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities Electric Assistance Program (EAP) Aging Report March-19

#### **Non-EAP Customers**

	Percentage	
	of Customers	<u>Balance</u>
Current Balance	91.4%	\$ 4,721,262.01
1st Arrears	3.3%	\$ 303,487.49
2nd Arrears	1.4%	\$ 164,434.74
3rd Arrears	0.7%	\$ 87,215.41
4th Arrears	3.1%	\$ 597,958.99
Total Arrears	100.0%	\$ 5,874,358.64
Customer Count		32,324
	EAP Customers	
Current Balance	71.5%	\$ 268,576.17
1st Arrears	6.3%	\$ 53,357.31
2nd Arrears	4.7%	\$ 39,003.17
3rd Arrears	2.2%	\$ 22,008.95
4th Arrears	15.3%	\$ 346,992.78
Total Arrears	100.0%	\$ 729,938.38
Customer Count		1,837

<sup>[1]</sup> Arrears data is as of March 31, 2019

<sup>[2]</sup> EAP Customer data includes customers formerly on EAP with balances and customers currently on EAP