

**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10
Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

September 10, 2021

Re: DE 21-078, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy
Petition for Electric Vehicle Make-Ready and Demand Charge Alternative Proposals
Procedural Schedule and Intervention Requests

To the Parties:

On August 25, 2021, the Commission held a duly noticed prehearing conference in the above-referenced matter. Appearances were entered by Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource) and the Department of Energy (Energy). Also present were the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Resources (DES), Clean Energy NH (CENH), Conservation Law Foundation (CLF), and ChargePoint, Inc. (ChargePoint), which have filed petitions to intervene. The Town of Derry also filed a petition to intervene. The Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA) filed a letter of participation, but did not appear at the prehearing conference.

No objections to any of the foregoing intervention requests were filed. Accordingly, the petitions to intervene filed by DES, CENH, CLF, ChargePoint, and the Town of Derry are granted, based on a finding that the standard for intervention in RSA 541-A:32 has been met. See N.H. Admin. R., Puc 203.17.

Following the prehearing conference, Eversource, DES, CENH, CLF, ChargePoint, and Energy agreed upon the following proposed schedule, which Energy submitted to the Commission by letter dated August 26, 2021:

Data Requests (DRs) to Eversource, Set # 1	September 7, 2021
Data Responses from Eversource, Set # 1	September 21, 2021
DRs to Eversource, Set # 2	October 5, 2021
Data Responses from Eversource, Set # 2	October 19, 2021
Technical Session ¹	October 25, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.
DRs to Eversource, Set #3	November 15, 2021
Data Responses from Eversource, Set # 3	December 3, 2021
Technical Session	January 21, 2022
Energy/OCA/Intervenor Testimony	February 25, 2022
DRs to Energy/OCA/Intervenors	March 11, 2022
Energy/OCA/Intervenor Responses to DRs	March 25, 2022

¹ Any technical session held in a Commission proceeding may potentially involve settlement discussions, which will be restricted to participation by parties only and must be treated as confidential and not disclosed, consistent with N.H. Admin. R., Puc 203.20(a).

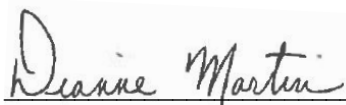
Technical Session/Settlement Conference
Hearing

March 31, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.
April 20, 2022, at 9:00 a.m.

No objections to the proposed procedural schedule were filed and no alternative schedules were proposed.

It has been determined that the proposed schedule is in the public interest and, therefore, it has been approved. The April 20, 2022 hearing will be conducted in accordance with the attached evidentiary hybrid hearing guidelines. For administrative efficiency, this letter is being issued as the Commission's prehearing order.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dianne Martin". The signature is written in black ink on a white background.

Dianne Martin
Chairwoman

cc: Service List (Electronically)
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