

**Town of
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New Hampshire
Inc. 1842**

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January 2, 2024

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 Bennington Community Power Plan

Dear Chairman Goldner,

Attached please find the Bennington Community Power Plan for review and approval by the Commission pursuant to RSA 53-E:7. The Bennington Community Power Plan was approved by the Bennington Community Power Committee on November 9, 2023.

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, majority vote at Bennington Town Meeting and final approval by the Board of Selectmen, the Town will notify the Commission, Department of Energy, Office of the Consumer Advocate, and the distribution utility serving Bennington, Eversource, 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: Deb Davidson, Town

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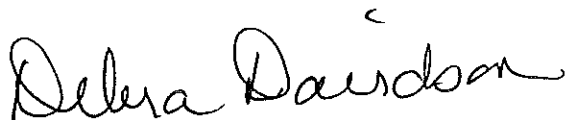
Administrator, Town of Bennington, 7 School St STE 101, Bennington, NH 03442, (603) 588-2189,
townadministrator@townofbennington.com.

The Town does not maintain a dedicated website outside the Community Power Committee page on the Town website: townofbennington.com/bennington-energy-sustainability-team-best/. 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 Eversource, the distribution utility, serving Bennington.

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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Deb Davidson". The signature is written in a cursive style with a small flourish above the "i" in "Davidson".

Deb Davidson

Town Administrator

cc:

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