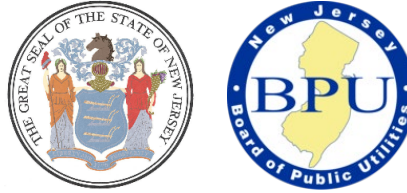


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NOTICE¹

STAKEHOLDER MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF PROPOSED UPDATES TO NEW JERSEY'S CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM: NEW CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

DOCKET NO. QO22050327

Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 *et seq.*, the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (NJBP or Board) hereby gives notice and invites all interested parties and members of the public to participate in a Stakeholder Meeting to discuss proposed updates to the NJBP's New Construction Program (Program), which is offered through New Jersey's Clean Energy Program (NJCEP) and serves the residential, multi-family, commercial, and industrial markets.

On February 9, 1999, the Electric Discount and Energy Competition Act (EDECA), N.J.S.A. 48:3-49 *et seq.*, was signed into law, creating the societal benefits charge (SBC) to fund programs for the advancement of energy efficiency (EE) and renewable energy (RE) in New Jersey. EDECA, as amended, at N.J.S.A. 48:3-60(a)(3), provided for the Board to initiate proceedings and undertake a comprehensive resource analysis (CRA) of EE, plug-in electric vehicles and charging infrastructure, and Class I RE programs and determine, as a result of the CRA, the programs to be funded by the SBC, which are part of what is now NJCEP.

As re-envisioned, the Program will bring projects to the next level of EE and building performance. Proposed updates are designed to remove barriers to participation, streamline the application process, and align the program with New Jersey's Energy Master Plan goals. During the Stakeholder Meeting, Board Staff or its representatives will review the proposed Program updates and request input. The draft plan outlining the proposed updates is available for your review [here](#).

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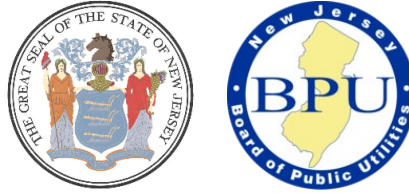
DATE: Friday, July 22, 2022
TIME: 9:30 a.m.
LOCATION: Zoom Virtual Webinar
REGISTER: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_tuoLV46pQ16UsYHvYCztSQ

Please note that the meeting will be conducted via Zoom. You must register for the meeting before attending via the link provided above. Please register for this session at least **48 hours prior to the scheduled date.**

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information on how to join the webinar, as well as system requirements. We encourage stakeholders to check their systems ahead of the meeting so that they can ensure that they will be properly connect to the meeting.

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Any interested party who would like to speak at the Stakeholder Meeting should indicate that they wish to be added to the speakers list at the time they register for the meeting, on the Zoom registration page. This meeting will be recorded, and the recording will be made publicly available on the Board's [website](#).

The deadline for comments on this matter is 5 p.m. on Friday, July 29, 2022. Members of the public may file written comments after this meeting, regardless of whether they participate in the meeting process. Please submit comments on the draft plan directly to the specific docket listed above using the "Post Comments" button on the Board's [Public Document Search](#) tool. Comments are considered "public documents" for purposes of the State's Open Public Records Act and any confidential information should be submitted in accordance with the procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3. Written comments may also be submitted to:

Secretary of the Board

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Please direct all questions about this matter to board.secretary@bpu.nj.gov.

Staff looks forward to receiving and reviewing stakeholder comments. Thank you for your interest in New Jersey's solar program.

Carmen D. Diaz

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Acting Secretary of the Board

Dated: July 12, 2022