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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] JCP&L Energize NJ - BPU Docket No. EO23

Hello Secretary Golden! I hope this email finds you well during these first few weeks of 2024!

Please accept this message of support, and the attached signed letter, from Covenant House New Jersey's Executive Director, Julia Einbond.

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Dear Secretary Golden,

I am writing to express my strong support for JCP&L's proposed Infrastructure Investment Program – EnergizeNJ. As a leader in the non-profit community, I can attest to the importance of investing in our region's electrical grid. Covenant House New Jersey relies heavily on electricity at our multiple locations where we house youth facing homelessness and victims of human trafficking.

In addition to advocating for the much-needed infrastructure upgrades, I would also like to mention how supportive JCP&L has been to Covenant House New Jersey over the years. They have been an incredible community partner in so many ways.

I urge the board to move forward with the necessary approvals and funding to ensure the successful implementation of this critical initiative. I appreciate your time and consideration, and I look forward to witnessing the positive impact of this infrastructure upgrade for our region.

Sincerely,  
Julia Einbond  
Executive Director  
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