

**Vermont Public Service Department
Rate Design Initiative / Distributed Energy Resources Study**

Stakeholder Engagement Meeting #5

Zoom Meeting

(July 16, 2020 – 10:30 AM to 3:15 PM Eastern Time)

Opening Remarks: Public Service Department 10:30 – 10:45

Presentation of Draft Report: NewGen Summary of Findings and Recommendations 10:45 – 11:45

Panel Discussion #1 – Plans and Perspectives from the Vermont Distribution Utilities 11:45 – 12:15

This panel presents Vermont’s Distribution Utilities the opportunity to provide feedback on the RDI process, findings, and NewGen’s draft report summary recommendations.

- Tony Georgis (NewGen) – Moderator
- Josh Catenguay / Brian (Green Mountain Power)
- James Gibbons (Burlington Electric Department)

Lunch 12:15 – 1:00

Panel Discussion #1 – Plans and Perspectives from the Vermont Distribution Utilities 1:00 – 1:30

- Rebecca Towne (Vermont Electric Coop)
- Patty Richards (Washington Electric Coop)
- Ken Nolan (Vermont Public Power Supply Authority)

Panel Discussion #2 – Where Do We Go from Here? 1:30 – 2:30

This panel presents other stakeholders to the RDI process and to the Vermont electric system the opportunity to provide input on the next steps in evolving the state’s electric system

- Tony Georgis (NewGen) – Moderator
- Rick Weston (Regulatory Assistance Project)
- Jared Duval (Energy Action Network Vermont)
- Tom Dunn (Vermont Electric Power Company (VELCO))
- Chris Rauscher / Steve Rymsha (SunRun)
- Paul Hines/Kate Desrochers (Packetized Energy)
- Morgan Casella (Dynamic Organics)
- Annie Gilleo (Greenlots)

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Perspectives from the Public Service Department: June Tierney

2:30 – 2:55

Commissioner of the Vermont Department of Public Service June Tierney will offer the Department of Public Service's input and perspective to make further progress on rate and compensation frameworks as a matter of ongoing state regulatory policy, and how the Department plans to take a role in fostering implementation.

Closing Remarks: NewGen and Public Service Department

2:55 – 3:15

Additional Closing Remarks, Comments: Participants

3:15 – As Needed