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AGENDA FOR BOARD MEETING

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Thursday, May 21, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.**

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Board Hearing Room, 1st Floor, 44 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton, at which time and
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- 1. WELCOME**
- 2. FLAG SALUTE**
- 3. PUBLIC NOTICE STATEMENT**
- 4. ROLL CALL**
- 5. ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT PUBLIC MEETING**
- 6. COMMISSIONER OPENING STATEMENTS**
- 7. EXECUTIVE SESSION**
- 8. CONSENT AGENDA**
- 9. REGULAR AGENDA**
- 10. ADJOURN**



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AGENDA FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Executive Session

The Board will announce the approximate length of Executive Session. Open Session will not reconvene until the conclusion of the Executive Session.

1. AUDITS

- B. Docket No. AA25050298 – In the Matter of an Audit of the Utilities' Calculations of Universal Service Fund/Lifeline Program Factors.

The Board will consider accepting the final audit report from Silverpoint Consulting, LLC for filing purposes only and releasing 20% retainage fees to Silverpoint Consulting, LLC.

2. REVENUE AND RATES

- B. Docket No. EO22090609 – In the Matter of a Request for Quotation Related to Oversight of the Basic Generation Service (BGS) Auction Process.

The Board will consider a contract extension and modification for the Management Consulting Contract related to the oversight of the Basic Generation Service Auction Process.

Executive Session (Cont'd)

8. CLEAN ENERGY

- A. Docket No. QO26030055 – In the Matter of a Request for Quotation for Consulting Services for a Nuclear Energy Feasibility Study.

The Board will consider releasing a Request for Quotation for Consulting Services for a nuclear energy feasibility study.



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CONSENT AGENDA FOR BOARD MEETING

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I. AUDITS

A. Energy Agent, Private Aggregator and/or Energy Consultant Initial Registrations

EE26030056L GE26030057L	EAH Energy LLC	I – EA/EC
EE25120653L	EnergyNation Solutions LLC	I – EA
EE26040115L	Gotham Energy Consulting Services LLC	I – EA
EE26030048L	MCA Energy Services, Inc. d/b/a Industrial Energy	I – EA

These matters relate to applications for initial registrations as an energy agent and/or energy consultant.

II. REVENUE AND RATES

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

III. ENGINEERING

A. Docket No. WE25100575 – In the Matter of the Petition of New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc. for Approval of a Municipal Consent Granted by the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris.

The Board will consider New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc.'s request seeking approval of a municipal consent granted by the Township of Mount Olive.

IV. CABLE TELEVISION

- A.** Docket No. CE25070446 – In the Matter of the Petition of Comcast of Mercer County, LLC for a Renewal Certificate of Approval to Continue to Construct, Operate, and Maintain a Cable Television System in and for the City of Trenton, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey.

The Board will consider the request for the renewal of Comcast of Mercer County, LLC's Certificate of Approval to provide cable television service to the City of Trenton for a fifteen (15) year term.

- B.** Docket No. CE25110613 – In the Matter of the Petition of Comcast of Central New Jersey, LLC for a Renewal Certificate of Approval to Continue to Construct, Operate, and Maintain a Cable Television System in and for the Borough of Helmetta, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey.

The Board will consider the request for the renewal of Comcast of Central New Jersey, LLC's Certificate of Approval to provide cable television service to the Borough of Helmetta for a ten (10) year term.

- C.** Docket No. CE25110586 – In the Matter of the Verified Petition of CSC TKR, LLC for Renewal of a Certificate of Approval to Continue to Operate and Maintain a Cable System in Township of Hardyston, County of Sussex, State of New Jersey.

The Board will consider the request for the renewal of CSC TKR, LLC's Certificate of Approval to provide cable television service to the Township of Hardyston for a five (5) year term.

- D.** Docket No. CE25110602 – In the Matter of the Petition of Comcast of South Jersey, LLC for a Renewal Certificate of Approval to Continue to Construct, Operate, and Maintain a Cable Television System in and for the Township of Woolwich, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey.

The Board will consider the request for the renewal of Comcast of South Jersey, LLC's, Certificate of Approval to provide cable television service to the Township of Woolwich for a ten (10) year term.

V. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

VI. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

- A.** Docket Nos. GS26030060K, et. al – In the Matter of Elizabethtown Gas Company Alleged Violations of the Underground Facility Protection Act, N.J.S.A. 48:2-73 et seq. GOC 2025-0002.

The Board will consider 25 Offers of Settlement for alleged violations of the Underground Facility Protection Act, N.J.S.A. 48:2-73, et seq.

VII. CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

- A.** Docket Nos. BPU GC25100565U and OAL PUC 21887-25 – Michael Avignone v. Elizabethtown Gas Company – Billing Dispute.

The Board will consider an Initial Decision and Stipulation related to a billing dispute between Michael Avignone and Elizabethtown Gas Company.

VIII. CLEAN ENERGY

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

IX. MISCELLANEOUS

- A.** Approval for the February 18, 2026 Minutes; and
Approval for the March 4, 2026 Minutes.



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1. AUDITS

- A. Docket No. EO24090718 – In the Matter of the Department of Community Affairs’ State Fiscal Year 2025 Universal Service Fund Administrative Cost Budget.

The Board will consider the Department of Community Affairs’ Fiscal Year 2025 Universal Service Fund Administrative Expenses and reimbursement to Treasury.

- B. Docket No. AA25050298 – In the Matter of an Audit of the Utilities’ Calculations of Universal Service Fund/Lifeline Program Factors – **Executive Session.**

The Board will consider accepting the final audit report from Silverpoint Consulting, LLC for filing purposes only and releasing 20% retainage fees to Silverpoint Consulting, LLC.

2. REVENUE AND RATES

- A. Docket No. ER25040190 – In the Matter of the Provision of Basic Generation Service (“BGS”) for the Period Beginning June 1, 2026.

The Board will consider the Basic Generation Service compliance tariffs filed by the electric distribution companies for service rendered on and after June 1, 2026.

- B. Docket No. EO22090609 – In the Matter of a Request for Quotation Related to Oversight of the Basic Generation Service (BGS) Auction Process – **Executive Session.**

The Board will consider a contract extension and modification for the Management Consulting Contract related to the oversight of the Basic Generation Service Auction Process.

2. REVENUE AND RATES (CONT'D)

- C. Docket No. ER26020021 – In the Matter of the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company to Reconcile and Update the Level of its Societal Benefits Charge (2026).

The Board will consider Atlantic City Electric Company's proposed Societal Benefits Charge rates. The parties executed a stipulation for provisional rates which, if approved by the Board, would result in a monthly bill decrease of approximately \$0.11 for an average residential customer.

- D. Docket No. WR25060331 – In the Matter of the Petition of Veolia Water New Jersey, Inc. Consideration of the Gross Receipts Tax on Water and Sewer Utilities.

The Board will consider Veolia Water New Jersey, Inc.'s petition seeking deferred accounting treatment of refunds related to Gross Receipts Tax. The parties have executed a stipulation, which would result in an initial one (1)-time bill credit of \$16.30 for residential customers with a 5/8" meter.

- E. Docket Nos. BPU GR25050315 and OAL PUC 21339-25 – In the Matter of the Petition of Elizabethtown Gas Company to Review its Periodic Basic Gas Supply Service Rate and Conservation Incentive Program Rates for the Year Ended September 30, 2026.

The Board will consider an Initial Decision and stipulation regarding Elizabethtown Gas Company's 2025 filing seeking rate adjustments related to its Basic Gas Supply Service and Conservation Incentive Program ("CIP") rates. The parties executed a stipulation which, if approved by the Board, will result in no impact to customer bills.

- F. Docket Nos. BPU GR25050318 and OAL PUC 00572-2026 S – In the Matter of the Petition of New Jersey Natural Gas Company for the Annual Review and Revision of its Basic Gas Supply Service (BGSS) and Conservation Incentive Program (CIP) Rates for F/Y 2026.

The Board will consider an Initial Decision and stipulation regarding New Jersey Natural Gas Company's 2025 Basic Gas Supply Service (BGSS) Balancing Charge and Conservation Incentive Program (CIP) Rate filing. The parties executed a stipulation for final rates which, if approved by the Board, would result in no impact on customer bills.

- G. Docket No. ER24120878 – In the Matter of the Petition of Public Service Electric and Gas Company for Approval of Changes in its Electric and Gas Societal Benefits Charge Rates, and for a Change in its Electric Non-Utility Generation Charge Rate.

The Board will consider Public Service Electric and Gas Company's December 2024 petition requesting a resetting of the company's Societal Benefits Charge and Non-Utility Generation Charges. The parties executed a stipulation which, if approved by the Board, would result in a monthly decrease of \$0.05 to the bill of a typical residential electric customer and a monthly increase of \$1.26 to the bill of a typical residential gas customer.

2. REVENUE AND RATES (CONT'D)

- H. Docket No. GR25050311 – In the Matter of the Petition of Public Service Electric and Gas Company for Approval of Changes in its Gas Conservation Incentive Program (2025 PSE&G Gas Conservation Incentive Program).

The Board will consider Public Service Electric and Gas Company's May 2025 Gas Conservation Incentive Program rate filing. The parties executed a stipulation for final rates which, if approved by the Board, would result in a monthly decrease of \$0.48 for a typical residential customer.

- I. Docket Nos. BPU GR25050314 and OAL PUC 21570-25 – In the Matter of Public Service Electric and Gas Company's 2025/2026 Annual BGSS Commodity Charge Filing for its Residential Gas Customers Under its Periodic Pricing Mechanism and for Changes in its Balancing Charge.

The Board will consider the Initial Decision and stipulation related to Public Service Electric and Gas Company's 2025 petition regarding its Basic Gas Supply Service, Balancing Charge rates, and amendments to the Requirements Contract. The parties executed a stipulation which, if approved by the Board, will result in a monthly decrease of \$0.46 for the typical residential gas heating customer.

3. ENGINEERING

- A. Docket Nos. BPU EC23040208 and OAL PUC 07480-2023 – Michael and Dawn Strano v. Jersey Central Power and Light Company.

The Board will consider an Initial Decision issued by Administrative Law Judge Gertsman regarding a dispute between Michael and Dawn Strano and Jersey Central Power and Light Company.

4. CABLE TELEVISION

- A. Docket No. CE26020038 – In the Matter of the Application for Renewal of a System-Wide Cable Television Franchise for Cablevision of Rockland/Ramapo, LLC.

The Board will consider the renewal of Cablevision of Rockland/Ramapo, LLC, system-wide franchise, to continue providing cable television service to the one (1) municipality, the Borough of Montvale.

5. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

NO ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

6. RELIABILITY AND SECURITY

- A. Docket No. CS26050206K – In the Matter of Alleged Violations of the Underground Facility Protection Act, N.J.S.A. 48:2-73, by Optimum Communications Inc.

The Board will consider issuing an Administrative Order and Notice of Civil Administrative Penalty Assessment to Optimum Communications Inc. for alleged violations of the Underground Facility Protection Act, N.J.S.A. 48:2-73, et seq.

7. CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE

- A. Docket No. AX26040108 – In the Matter of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities' Summer Termination Program.

The Board will consider implementing a temporary Summer Termination Program pending adoption of formal rules in accordance with L. 2025, c. 145.

- B. Docket No. AX26040107 – In the Matter of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities' Proposed New Rules to N.J.A.C. 14:3-3A.2(e)6, 14:3-3A.3(h), 14:3-3A.10 and Proposed Rule Amendments to: N.J.A.C. 14:3-3A.5(a), 14:3-3A.5(d), 14:3-3A.6(a), 14:3-3A.9(e), 14:3-7.5.

The Board will consider recommendations regarding proposed rules to establish a Summer Termination Program.

8. CLEAN ENERGY

- A. Docket No. QO26030055 – In the Matter of a Request for Quotation for Consulting Services for a Nuclear Energy Feasibility Study – **Executive Session.**

The Board will consider releasing a Request for Quotation for Consulting Services for a nuclear energy feasibility study.

- B. Docket No. QO20050357 – In the Matter of Straw Proposal on Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Build Out;

Docket No. EO20110730 – In the Matter of the Petition of Rockland Electric Company for Approval of an Electric Vehicle Program, Establishment of an Electric Vehicle Surcharge, and for Other Relief;

Docket No. EO21030630 – In the Matter of the Verified Petition of Jersey Central Power & Light Company for Approval of an Electric Vehicle Program and an Associated Cost Recovery Mechanism;

Docket No. EO18020190 – In the Matter of the Petition of Atlantic City Electric Company for Approval of a Voluntary Program for Plug-In Vehicle Charging; and

8. CLEAN ENERGY (CONT'D)

Docket No. EO18101111 – In the Matter of the Petition of Public Service Electric and Gas Company for Approval of its Clean Energy Future-Electric Vehicle and Energy Storage (“CEF-EVES”) Program on a Regulated Basis.

The Board will consider extending Atlantic City Electric Company’s, Public Service Electric and Gas Company’s, Jersey Central Power & Light Company’s, and Rockland Electric Company’s existing Light Duty Programs for a period of one (1) year.

- C. Docket No. QO20020184 – In the Matter of a Successor Solar Incentive Program Pursuant to P.L. 2021, c. 169 – Order Regarding the Three-Year Review of the Administratively Determined Incentive Program; and

Docket No. QO26030096 – In the Matter of the Certification of Energy Year 2025 Cost Cap Calculation and Setting ADI Program Megawatt Blocks for Energy Year 2027.

The Board will consider recommendations arising from the three (3)-year review of the Administratively Determined Incentive (“ADI”) Program required by N.J.A.C. 14:8-11.6(e). The Board will also consider recommendations regarding certifying the calculation of the Energy Year 2025 Cost Cap and setting the ADI Program megawatt block allocations for Energy Year 2027.

- D. Docket No. QX24080597 – In the Matter of a Rulemaking Proceeding to Establish the Dual-Use Solar Energy Pilot Program Pursuant to P.L. 2021, c. 170.

The Board will consider approving the adoption of new rules at N.J.A.C. 14:8-13.3, 13.5, 13.7, 13.8, 13.9, 13.10, and 13.13.

- E. Docket No. QO22080479 – In the Matter of the Establishment of Programming for the 2020-2022 RGGI Strategic Funding Plan; and

Docket No. QO22080480 – In the Matter of the Establishment of the RGGI Medium and Heavy Duty Electric Vehicle Charging Program.

The Board will consider issuing an updated notice of funding availability for the RGGI medium-and heavy-duty electric vehicle charging program.

- F. Docket No. QO25080520 – In the Matter of the Petition of Solar Landscape Development for Extension of Construction Deadlines for Conditionally Approved Community Solar Projects in ACE Service Territory Due to Uncertainty; and

Docket No. QO25080521 – In the Matter of the Petition of Solar Landscape Development for Extension of Construction Deadlines for Conditionally Approved Community Solar Projects in JCP&L Service Territory Due to Uncertainty.

The Board will consider the petitions of Solar Landscape Development regarding waivers for projects in the Community Solar Energy Program.

8. CLEAN ENERGY (CONT'D)

- G. Docket No. QO23030150 – In the Matter of the Implementation of P.L. 2018, c. 17, the New Jersey Clean Energy Act of 2018, Regarding the Second Triennium of Energy Efficiency and Peak Demand Reduction Programs.

The Board will consider the proposed tariffs filed by Atlantic City Electric Company in compliance with the Board's June 18, 2025 Order to effectuate the direct contracting program pathway of the Direct Install program.

- H. Docket No. QO23030150 – In the Matter of the Implementation of P.L. 2018, c. 17, the New Jersey Clean Energy Act of 2018, Regarding the Second Triennium of Energy Efficiency and Peak Demand Reduction Programs.

The Board will consider the proposed tariffs filed by Jersey Central Power & Light Company in compliance with the Board's June 18, 2025 Order to effectuate the direct contracting program pathway of the Direct Install program.

9. MISCELLANEOUS

- A. Docket No. WM25050320 – In the Matter of the Joint Petition of American Water Works Company, Inc., New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc., Nexus Regulated Utilities, LLC, Montague Water Co., Inc., and Montague Sewer Co., Inc. for: (1) American Water Works Company, Inc. to Acquire Control of Montague Water Co., Inc. and Montague Sewer Co., Inc.; (2) Montague Water Co., Inc. and Montague Sewer Co., Inc. to Transfer Upon Their Books All of Their Capital Stock to American Water Works Company, Inc.; (3) Shortly Thereafter, Montague Water Co., Inc. and Montague Sewer Co., Inc. to be Merged into New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc.; and (4) for Such Other Approvals as May be Necessary to Complete the Proposed Transaction.

The Board will consider a petition filed by American Water Works Company, Inc., New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc., Nexus Regulated Utilities, LLC, Montague Water Co., Inc. and Montague Sewer Co., Inc. seeking approval of a change in control. The parties have executed a stipulation resolving the matter.

- B. Docket No. EO18080899 – In the Matter of the Implementation of L. 2018, c. 16 Regarding the Establishment of a Zero Emission Certificate Program for Eligible Nuclear Power Plants;

Docket No. ER20080557 – In the Matter of the Application of PSEG Nuclear, LLC and Exelon Generation Company, LLC for the Zero Emission Certificate Program – Salem Unit 1;

Docket No. ER20080558 – In the Matter of the Application of PSEG Nuclear, LLC and Exelon Generation Company, LLC for the Zero Emission Certificate Program – Salem Unit 2; and

9. MISCELLANEOUS (CONT'D)

Docket No. ER20080559 – In the Matter of the Application of PSEG Nuclear, LLC for the Zero Emission Certificate Program – Hope Creek.

The Board will consider findings and recommendations regarding potential Zero Emission Certificate double payments to selected units due to Production Tax Credits granted PSEG Nuclear and Constellation for calendar year 2024 and the method of returning funds to ratepayers.