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June 6, 2024

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. A. Shonta Dunston
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

**RE: Duke Energy Progress, LLC and North Carolina Electric Membership Corporation's Affidavits of Publication
Docket Nos. E-2, Sub 1318 and EC-67, Sub 55**

Dear Ms. Dunston:

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced dockets are the Affidavits of Publication for the Public Notice related to Joint Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP") and North Carolina Electric Membership Corporation ("NCEMC") for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 1,360 MW Natural Gas-Fueled Combined Cycle Electric Generating Facility in Person County, North Carolina. DEP and NCEMC published notice in newspapers having general coverage in its service territories.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jason A. Higginbotham', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Jason A. Higginbotham

Enclosure

cc: Parties of Record

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E-2, Sub 1318 / EC-67, Sub 55

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF NC }
COUNTY OF PERSON } SS

The Undersigned, being duly sworn, says:

That she is Representative of the The Courier-Times, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Roxboro, Person County, NC; that the publication, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in the said newspaper on the following dates:

April 18, 2024, April 25, 2024, May 02, 2024, May 09, 2024

That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on those dates.

SIGNED:

Maitha E. Jones-Carter
Representative

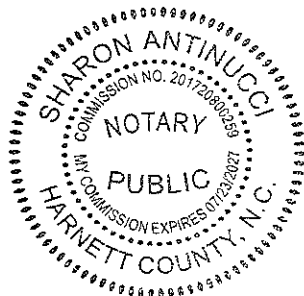
Subscribed to and sworn to me this 9th day of May 2024.

Sharon Antinucci

My commission expires: July 23, 2027

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1318
DOCKET NO. EC-67, SUB 55

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Joint Application of Duke Energy Progress, LLC and North Carolina Electric Membership Corporation for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 1,360 MW Natural Gas-Fueled Combined Cycle Electric Generating Facility in Person County, North Carolina

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the provisions of Sections 62-82 and 62-110.1 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and North Carolina Utilities Commission Rule R8-61, Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP) and North Carolina Electric Membership Corporation (NCEMC), (together with DEP, Joint Applicants), filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct a 1,360 MW natural gas-fueled combined cycle electric generating facility in Person County, North Carolina (Application). In summary, DEP and NCEMC state that the facility will be located at the site of DEP's existing Roxboro Plant and will consist of an approximately 1,360 MW combined cycle gas turbine (CC) facility. The Joint Applicants state that the CC (Facility) will be placed into service by January 1, 2029, with DEP's owning approximately 1,135 MW of the capacity, and NCEMC's owning approximately 225 MW of the capacity. The Facility, along with the Roxboro coal-fired units 2 and 3, will be known as the Person County Energy Complex. The Application indicates that only minimal network upgrades are necessary to interconnect the replacement generation of the two units, and an interconnection request has been submitted for the incremental capacity of the Facility. The Application states that DEP has contracted for sufficient firm interstate transportation natural gas capacity to support the demand requirements for the Facility that is incremental to DEP's existing CC fleet requirements. The Application further states that DEP has contracted for firm intrastate transportation rights with Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. The testimony accompanying the Application discusses DEP's and NCEMC's need for and cost of the Facility. The total projected cost of the project was filed under seal as a confidential trade secret.

Specific information about the Application may be obtained at the business offices of DEP or at the Office of the Chief Clerk of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, Dobbs Building, 430 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina, where a copy of the Application is available for review. These materials, as well as pleadings, the prefiled testimony and exhibits of all parties, the transcripts of all hearings, briefs, and proposed orders, may be viewed as they become available on the Commission's website at www.ncuc.gov. Click on "Docket Search" and search for docket number "(E-2 Sub 1318 and/or EC-67 Sub 55)".

FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that the North Carolina Utilities Commission has scheduled hearings for the purpose of receiving public witness testimony on the Application as follows:

Roxboro: Thursday, June 13, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.
Person County Courthouse 105 South Main Street,
Superior Courtroom Roxboro, North Carolina 27573

Virtual: Wednesday, June 12, 2024, at 6:30 p.m.
Held remotely via Webex.

The June 12, 2024, public witness hearing shall be held remotely via Webex, beginning at 6:30 p.m. A link to view the hearing will be available at www.ncuc.gov. Members of the public that would like to testify must register in advance of the hearing, no later than 5:00 p.m. on June 5, 2024.

To register, please complete the electronic Remote Public Witness Registration form located on the Commission's website at www.ncuc.gov/hearings/remotepublicregister.html. A confirmation email will be sent to the email provided after the registration form is submitted. Further instructions, including the call-in number, will be provided to you by email approximately one week before the hearing. Witnesses calling from a different number than provided at registration may experience delays or other difficulties in providing their testimony. If assistance is needed, please contact 919-733-0837.

Only the first 20 individuals registered by 5:00 p.m. on June 5, 2024, will be allowed to testify at the June 12, 2024, remote public witness hearing. This hearing will be canceled if no one registers to testify by 5:00 p.m. on June 5, 2024.

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Persons desiring to present testimony for the record should appear at one of the public hearings. Persons desiring to send written statements to inform the Commission of their positions in the matter should address their statements to the North Carolina Utilities Commission, 4325 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300 and reference Docket No. E-2, Sub 1318 / EC-67, Sub 55. However, such written statements cannot be considered competent evidence unless those persons appear at the hearing and testify concerning the information contained in their written statements. Customers can also email the Commission a statement about DEP's and NCEMC's Application via the Commission's website at www.ncuc.gov/contactus.html. In either case, consumer statements will be placed in Docket No. E-2, Sub 1318 / EC-67, Sub 55CS, and may be accessed by searching that docket number via the Commission's website.

Persons having an interest in the investigation and desiring to intervene in the matter as formal parties of record may file their petitions to intervene not later than June 20, 2024. These petitions should reference Docket No. E-2, Sub 1318 / EC-67, Sub 55 and should be filed with the Chief Clerk of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, 4325 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300. All parties to this proceeding planning to present expert testimony must prefile their testimony and exhibits not later than June 20, 2024.

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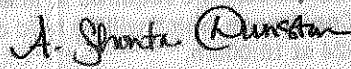
Mr. Christopher J. Ayers
Executive Director
Public Staff – North Carolina Utilities Commission
4326 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4300

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The Honorable Josh Stein
Attorney General of North Carolina
c/o Consumer Protection – Utilities
9001 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-9001

This the 10th day of April, 2024.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



A. Shonta Dunston, Chief Clerk

Greensboro News Record

Advertising Affidavit

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May 09, 2024

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Before the undersigned, a Notary Public duly commissioned, qualified, and authorized by law to administer oaths, personally appeared the Publisher's Representative who by being duly sworn deposes and says: that he/she is authorized to make this affidavit and sworn statement; that the notice or other legal advertisement, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in the Greensboro News Record on the following dates:

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and that the said newspaper in which such notice, paper document, or legal advertisement was published, was at the time of each and every such publication, a newspaper meeting all

Billing Representative

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(Notary Public)

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
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DOCKET NO. EC-67, SUB 55

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This the 10th day of April, 2024.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

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Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of Dallas County, Texas, duly commissioned and authorized to administer oaths, affirmations, etc., personally appeared Tara Pennington, who being duly sworn or affirmed, according to law, doth depose and say that he or she is Accounts Receivable Specialist of the News & Observer Publishing Company, a corporation organized and doing business under the Laws of the State of North Carolina, and publishing a newspaper known as The News & Observer, Wake and State aforesaid, the said newspaper in which such notice, paper, document, or legal advertisement was published was, at the time of each and every such publication, a newspaper meeting all of the requirements and qualifications of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and was a qualified newspaper within the meaning of Section 1-597 of the General Statutes of North Carolina, and that as such he or she makes this affidavit; and is familiar with the books, files and business of said corporation and by reference to the files of said publication the attached advertisement for DUKE ENERGY CORPORATION was inserted in the aforesaid newspaper on dates as follows:

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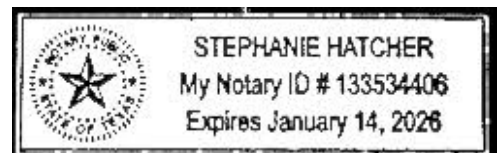
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Tara Pennington

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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Notary Public in and for the state of Texas, residing in Dallas County



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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH

COURT NO. S.E. 2024-000
DOCKET NO. 20-02, SUB 01

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of
Joint Application of Duke Energy Progress,
LLC and North Carolina Electric
Membership Corporation for a Certificate
of Public Convenience and Necessity to
Construct a 1,000 MW Natural Gas-Fueled
Combined Cycle Gas Turbine Generating
Facility in Person County, North Carolina

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the provisions of Sections 26-48 and 26-112.5 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and North Carolina Utilities Commission Rule 26-41, Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP) and North Carolina Electric Membership Corporation (NCEMC) (together with DEP, "Joint Applicants"), filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct a 1,000 MW natural gas-fired combined cycle gas turbine generating facility in Person County, North Carolina (Applicant). In summary, DEP and NCEMC seek that the facility will be located at the site of DEP's existing Reeborn Plant and will consist of an approximately 1,000 MW combined cycle gas turbine (CCGT) facility. The Joint Applicants state that the CCGT facility will be placed into service by January 1, 2026, with DEP's owning approximately 70% of the capacity, and NCEMC's owning approximately 30% of the capacity. The facility, along with the Reeborn cogeneration plant #1 and #2, will be known as the Person County Energy Center. The Applicants believe that their natural resource concerns are necessary to demonstrate the environmental protection of the low costs, and an environmental review has been initiated for the incremental increase of the facility. The Applicants state that DEP has undertaken to address its interstate transportation related gas capacity to support the demand requirements for the facility that is projected to meet its existing CO2 level requirements. The Applicants further state that DEP has undertaken for the interstate transportation rights with Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. The testimony accompanying the Applicants discusses DEP's and NCEMC's need for and cost of the facility. The total proposed cost of the project was filed under seal as a confidential trade secret.

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FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that the North Carolina Utilities Commission has scheduled hearings for the purpose of receiving public witness testimony on the Application as follows:

Hearing	Thursday, June 13, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. Person County Courthouse 145 South Main Street, Deepwater Courthouse Raleigh, North Carolina 27679
Witness	Wednesday, June 12, 2024, at 2:00 p.m. Held virtually via Webex

The June 13, 2024, public witness hearing shall be held virtually via Webex, beginning at 2:00 p.m. A link to view the hearing will be available at www.ncugc.com. Members of the public that would like to testify must register in advance of the hearing, no later than 5:00 p.m. on June 5, 2024.

To register, please complete the standard North Carolina Public Witness Registration form located on the Commission's website at www.ncugc.com/ncugc-public-witness-registration/. A confirmation email will be sent to the email provided after the registration form is submitted. Further instructions, including the order number, will be provided to you by email approximately one week before the hearing. Witnesses calling from a different number than provided in registration may experience delays or other difficulties in providing their testimony. If assistance is needed, please contact 919-732-2827.

Only the first 30 individuals registered by 5:00 p.m. on June 5, 2024, will be allowed to testify at the June 13, 2024, virtual public witness hearing. This hearing will be conducted if an one registers to testify by 5:00 p.m. on June 5, 2024.

The public witness hearing will be subject to the process of receiving the testimony of public witnesses in accordance with Commission Rule 26-21(b). The Commission reserves the right to limit testimony at the public witness hearing pursuant to Commission Rule 26-41(d)(2).

A hearing solely for the purpose of receiving expert witness testimony from the public witnesses and for cross-examination of expert witnesses for DEP, NCEMC, the Public Staff, and any other intervenors will be held in Raleigh immediately following the hearing in Docket No. 20-02 Sub 01, which is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, July 29, 2024. If the hearing on DEP's and NCEMC's Application begins prior to August 5, 2024, and has not concluded by August 5, 2024, the hearing will resume at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 3, 2024, unless an extension is approved. The hearing will be held in Commission Hearing Room #11, Second Floor, Public Building, 490 North Salisbury Street, Raleigh, North Carolina.

Persons wishing to request intervenor fee for the record should submit an affidavit of need for the public hearing, Persons wishing to request witness statements to inform the Commission of their positions in the matter should submit their statements to the North Carolina Utilities Commission, 4900 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4228 and reference Docket No. S.E. 2024-000 / 20-02 Sub 01. However, such written statements cannot be submitted to the public witness hearing unless persons appear at the hearing and testify, unless they file the information requested in their written statements. Witnesses can also send the Commission a statement about DEP's and NCEMC's Application via the Commission's website at www.ncugc.com/ncugc/ncugc/. In either case, intervenor statements will be placed in Docket No. S.E. 2024-000 / 20-02, Sub 01, and may be accessed by searching that docket number via the Commission's website.

Persons having an interest in the investigation and wishing to intervene in the matter on formal notice of record may file their petition to Intervene and later file June 20, 2024. Those petitions should reference Docket No. S.E. 2024-000 / 20-02, Sub 01 and should be filed with the Chief Clerk of the North Carolina Utilities Commission, 4326 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-4326. All parties to this proceeding desiring to present expert testimony must provide their testimony and exhibits no later than June 28, 2024.

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Executive Director
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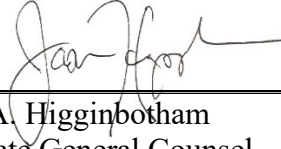
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NOTE TO PRINTERS DEP and NCEMC shall pay advertising costs. It is required that an Affidavit of Publication be filed with the Commission by DEP and NCEMC.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Progress, LLC and North Carolina Electric Membership Corporation's Affidavits of Publication, in Docket Nos. E-2, Sub1318 and EC-67, Sub 55, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery, or by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, 1st Class Postage Prepaid, properly addressed to parties of record.

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