



Ladawn S. Toon
Associate General Counsel

NCRH 20 / P.O. Box 1551
Raleigh, NC 27602

o: 919.546.2148

Ladawn.Toon@duke-energy.com

April 15, 2024

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

**RE: Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's
Notification of Those Certain Persons Who Will Appear at the Technical
Conference and Joint Proposed Agenda
Docket Nos. E-100, Sub 179, E-7, Sub 1032 and E-2, Sub 931**

Dear Ms. Dunston:

I am writing on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC") and Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP" and together with DEC, the "Companies") in response to the North Carolina Utilities Commission's (the "Commission") Order Scheduling Technical Conference issued April 5, 2024, in Docket Nos. E-2, Sub 931 and E-7, Sub 1032 (the "Technical Conference Order").

In the Technical Conference Order, the Commission directed, among other things, that a technical conference be held on April 22, 2024, for the purpose of receiving presentations from the parties on specified topics related to the Companies' proposed DSM/EE Mechanisms. The Commission further directed that the parties provide the list of individuals who will appear at the technical conference and subjects on which they will speak by no later than today, April 15, 2024.

I. Companies' Presenters and Subject Matter

In compliance with the Technical Conference Order, the Companies are writing to advise the Commission that Lon Huber (Senior Vice President, Pricing and Customer Solutions), Tim Duff (General Manager, Customer Solutions Regulatory Enablement), Mike Quinto (Director, IRP Advanced Analytics) and Carolyn Miller (Manager, Rates and Regulatory Strategy) will appear at the Technical Conference on behalf of the Companies. Mr. Huber will speak first and provide the Commission with an overview of the parties' path to the proposed mechanisms submitted for approval, including a discussion of the treatment of the four Proposed Enablers and other modifications to the Mechanisms and the parties' agreement on the One-time Reconciliation proposed by the Companies. Mr. Duff, Mr. Quinto, and Ms. Miller will follow Mr. Huber and present as a panel. The panelists will provide the following information to the Commission:

1. The demonstrative examples requested in the Technical Conference Order regarding the Portfolio Performance Incentive (Measure Life Adjustment Factor), the Program Return Incentive, the updated system input benefits, the as-found baseline, and the recovery of net lost revenues;
2. How, to what extent, and under what timeframe the Proposed Mechanisms are expected to reduce the number of non-residential DSM opt-outs moving forward;
3. The Companies' response to the Public Staff – North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Public Staff") on its comments regarding the proposed provisions related to Active Load Management; and
4. The Companies' response to North Carolina Attorney General Office ("AGO") on its comments regarding the proposed tiered PPI structure.

The Companies' presenters will utilize a PowerPoint presentation, which will be emailed to the Commission no later than 12:00 p.m. on Friday, April 19, 2024, and filed in the above-referenced dockets promptly after the technical conference in accordance with the Technical Conference Order.

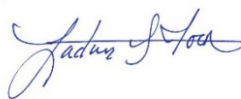
II. Joint Proposed Agenda

Although the other parties will respond to the Technical Conference Order under separate cover, consistent with the initial technical conference in the above-captioned dockets, the parties collaborated to develop a consensus proposed schedule for the conference. The parties believe that the below schedule reflects a balanced approach and represents an efficient use of the time allotted.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Time Allocated (inclusive of Commission questions)</u>
Duke Energy	2:00 – 2:45
Public Staff	2:45 – 3:30
SELC/NCSEA	3:30 – 4:00
AGO	4:00 – 4:10
Non-Residential Customers	4:10 – 4:25

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,



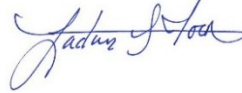
Ladawn S. Toon

cc: Parties of Record

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Notification of Those Certain Persons Who Will Appear at the Technical Conference and Joint Proposed Agenda, in Docket Nos. E-100, Sub 179, E-7, Sub 1032 and E-2, Sub 931, has been served by electronic mail, hand delivery or by depositing a copy in the United States mail, postage prepaid to parties of record.

This the 15th day of April, 2024.



Ladawn S. Toon
Associate General Counsel
Duke Energy Corporation
P.O. Box 1551/NCRH 20
Raleigh, North Carolina 27602
Tel: 919.546.7971
ladawn.toon@duke-energy.com