## BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 178

In the Matter of:

Rulemaking Proceeding to Implement

Performance-Based Regulation of Electric Utilities

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PETITION TO INTERVENE

BY CITY OF CHARLOTTE

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Pursuant to North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") Rules RI-5, RI-7, and RI-19, the City of Charlotte, through the undersigned attorney, respectfully requests that the North Carolina Utilities Commission enter an order permitting the City of Charlotte to intervene in the above-referenced docket. In support of this petition is the following:

- 1. The City of Charlotte ("City") is a municipal corporation organized under North Carolina law. Its address is City of Charlotte, 600 East 4th Street, Charlotte, NC 28202.
- 2. The attorney for the City to whom all correspondence and filings should be addressed is Karen Weatherly, Senior Assistant City Attorney, City Attorney's Office, 600 East 4th Street, Charlotte, NC 28202.
- 3. Pursuant to Commission Rule Rl-39, the City agrees to electronic service of all pleadings and other filings in this matter.
- 4. The City of Charlotte has an interest in the subject matter of this proceeding. The City Council-approved Strategic Energy Action Plan ("SEAP") sets municipal and city-wide carbon emissions reduction goals centered around energy generation, transportation, buildings, and equitable workforce development. The Rulemaking Proceeding to Implement Performance-Based Regulation of Electric Utilities, Docket No. E-100, SUB 178, will have significant implications for the City's ability to achieve the ambitious SEAP goals. As a result, the City has a clear, direct and substantial interest in the matters to be addressed by the Commission. City participation in this docket will bring municipal government perspective, insight, knowledge, and understanding to the proceeding.
- 5. Intervention will give the City an opportunity to comment on the Rulemaking of Performance-Based Regulation of Electric Utilities and seek solutions that align with Commission, Duke Energy, and City SEAP goals.

**THEREFORE**, for the reasons set forth above, the City of Charlotte requests that it be allowed to intervene in this matter.

Respectfully submitted, this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.

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## **VERIFICATION**

Karen Weatherly, being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is an attorney for the City of Charlotte; that she has read the foregoing Petition to Intervene and that the same is true of her personal knowledge, except as to any matters and things therein stated on information and belief, and as to those, she believes them to be true; and that she is authorized to sign this verification on behalf of the City of Charlotte.

This the 9th day of November, 2021

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NORTH CAROLINA MECKLENBURG COUNTY

Sworn to and subscribed before me, This the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.

Notary Public

My commission Expires: 5/9/2026

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that all persons on the docket service list have been served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Petition to Intervene by hand delivery, first class mail deposited in the U.S. mail, postage pre-paid, or by email transmission with the party's consent.

This the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021.

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