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NOTICE1

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAMS AND BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPREHENSIVE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND RENEWABLE ENERGY RESOURCE ANALYSIS FOR FISICAL YEAR 2022 CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM

Docket No. QO21040720 and Docket No. QO21040721

Public Hearing
May 25, 2021 at 12:30 p.m.
Virtual format via Zoom

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_eN3x2Fz5QcW_aLNIMsMXSQ

Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq., the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (NJBPU or Board) is requesting written comments on the Fiscal Year 2022 (FY22) Straw Proposal for *New Jersey's Clean Energy Program™* (CEP) Comprehensive Resource Analysis (CRA) and the proposed FY22 program budgets and compliance filings. The proposed funding level will fund the core CEP programs and provide opportunities for new and enhanced programs that will help residents, businesses, and State and local governments reduce energy use, save money, and improve the environment. The investments by the State in the proposed FY22 CEP budget will serve a vital role in New Jersey's continued recovery from COVID-19.

The proposed CRA, budget, compliance filings, and Request for Comments will be available the week of May 17, 2021 here.

Staff will conduct a virtual Public Hearing on the Straw Proposal and the proposed FY22 CEP program budgets and filings at the following date, time, and location:

Date: Tuesday May 25, 2021 **Time:** 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. ET

Via Zoom: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_eN3x2Fz5QcW_aLNIMsMXSQ

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The deadline for comments on this matter is 5:00 p.m. on June 4, 2021. Staff encourages commenters to file electronically through the Board's e-Filing Portal upon obtaining a MyNewJersey Portal ID. After establishing a MyNewJersey account, you will need to request an authorization code from NJBPU's IT Helpdesk by emailing BPUITHELPDESK@bpu.nj.gov. Detailed instructions on this process are included in the e-Filing FAQs on the NJBPU website. Comments may also be submitted electronically to board.secretary@bpu.nj.gov in PDF or Word format with the specific docket number referenced in the subject line.

Please note that these comments are considered "public documents" for purposes of the State's Open Public Records Act. Stakeholders may identify information that they seek to keep confidential by submitting them in accordance with the confidentiality procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3.

Submit any questions on this matter to <u>publiccomments@njcleanenergy.com</u> with the subject line: FY22 CRA, Budget, and Program Plans.

We look forward to receiving your comments.

Aida Camacho-Welch Secretary of the Board

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Dated: May 7, 2021