



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
**ENERGY EFFICIENCY &
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT COUNCIL**

CONSULTANT TEAM

Least Cost Procurement Standards Update

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Outline

LCP Standards Update Timeline

Next Steps

Council Discussion



Process for Updating LCP Standards

March 31st: Public Utilities Commission (PUC) proposed initial set of revisions in Docket 23-07-EE

April 6th: PUC held a Technical Session to review its proposed revisions

April 21st: Stakeholders submitted written comments to the PUC

Ongoing: PUC incorporating minor changes suggested by stakeholder comments

TBD: PUC to distribute updated draft of LCP Standards and provide deadline for Stakeholders to provide additional input



Next Steps

Depending on timeline, remaining stakeholder input may be due prior to July Council meeting

C-Team proposed process for providing feedback on behalf of Council

- Review updated draft to identify which of its comments/proposed redlines were incorporated
- **Re-emphasize recommendation to open Standards review in the year prior to when a 3-Year Plan is due**
- Provide comments in support of OER's equity and climate change related comments/redlines
- Provide comments on concept of moving to a binding Three-Year plan, consistent with Council discussion on LEAD session



Council Member Discussion

