



EERMC Councilor Learning, Education & Advancement Discussion 2023 Session #2 Agenda

Monday, October 30, 2023 | 1:00 – 4:00 PM

President’s Dining Room, Donovan Dining Center
 Rhode Island College, 600 Mt. Pleasant Ave, Providence, RI 02908

PROPOSED AGENDA

12:45 – 1:00 PM	15 min	Arrival, Refreshments & Welcome
1:00 – 1:15 PM	15 min	Introductions & Icebreaker
1:15 – 2:10 PM	55 min	Opportunities for Council Process Improvements
1:15 – 1:20 PM	5 min	- Discussion Framing by Consultant Team & Council Chair
1:20 – 2:10 PM	50 min	- Discussion Facilitated by Consultant Team
2:10 – 2:25 PM	15 min	Break & Refreshments
2:25 – 3:10 PM	45 min	PUC Regulatory Process for Energy Efficiency Plans
2:25 – 2:45 PM	20 min	- Presentation by RI Public Utilities Commission
2:45 – 3:10 PM	25 min	- Discussion Facilitated by Consultant Team & RI Energy
3:10 – 3:55 PM	45 min	Advanced Metering Deep Dive
3:10 – 3:30 PM	20 min	- Presentation by RI Energy
3:30 – 3:55 PM	25 min	- Discussion Facilitated by Consultant Team & RI Energy
3:55 – 4:00 PM	5 min	Public Comment

OBJECTIVES

- Council members will share, brainstorm, and discuss potential ways to improve **Council operations and processes** to increase Council efficiency and effectiveness.
- As a follow-up to the EERMC’s approval of the Annual and Three-Year Energy Efficiency Plans, the RI Public Utilities Commission will walk through its **regulatory process** for reviewing and approving the Plans. Council members will have the opportunity to discuss the process with PUC staff to ensure understanding of the PUC’s responsibilities, steps, and timeline.
- Rhode Island Energy will present a deeper dive on the concept of **advanced metering** and recent activity related to the RI Public Utilities Commission’s ongoing advanced metering docket to improve Council member familiarity with the subject and its implications for Rhode Island.