



Demand Response Docket Update

Consultant Team Presentation

March 21, 2024

Outline



Docket Schedule

Program Design Refresh

Council Testimony

Council Discussion



Docket Schedule



Demand Response Docket Schedule



- Ongoing: Discovery
- March 4: Intervention Deadline
- March 22: Division and Intervenor's Testimony
- April 5: Rebuttal Testimony
- April 12: Surrebuttal Testimony
- TBD: Hearing



Program Design Refresh

Refresher on Design, Recent Changes



Summary of February Proposal relative to 2023



Residential and Small Business (RSB) Track

Commercial & Industrial (C&I) Track



BYOT	RSB Battery	EVDR	Targeted Dispatch	Daily Dispatch
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Increase upfront incentive from \$25 to \$50 → Maintain same participation incentive of \$25 per season → Add 4,000 new participating devices each year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Decrease incentive from \$400/kW to \$200/kW → Decrease incentive from \$225/kW → Cutover from old rates to new rates in March → Cutover from old rates to new rates in June 1 → Restrict eligibility of HEAT loan to income-eligible after cutover 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → New pathway! → \$50 upfront enrollment incentive → \$20 participation incentive per season 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Decrease incentive from \$40/kW to \$35/kW C&I → \$1,000,000 per year-customer incentive cap → Fossil generators must have proper DEM permits 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Decrease incentive from \$300/kW to \$275/kW → Lower incentive for expert → Cutover from old rates to new rates in March → Cutover from old rates to new rates in June 1

Five Pathways

New EV pathway

Raised BYOT incentive, participation goal

Reduced other incentives

Refined cost of supply

Responded to Stakeholder Feedback



Council Testimony

Council Testimony Suggested Approach



Support for Demand Response in RI

Energy Efficiency Council (EEC) Public Comment

Change in Standards



Council Discussion

Council Member Discussion



Does the Council wish to enter Testimony?



If yes, is the proposed approach appropriate, or are there other considerations that should be included? Anything that should be removed?

If no, are there other ways the Council would like to provide input during the Docket proceedings?