

Electricity Aggregation

An introduction for
Rockingham Planning Commissioners



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What is an Electricity Aggregation?

- Goal—to purchase electricity as a group from a competitive supplier at a lower rate than each member could receive on its own.

What is Timeline to participate?

- March 18, 10:00AM—initial meeting at RPC
- April 5—MOUs due to RPC
- April-July—data gathering
- July 29—issue RFP
- September—review bids, legal review & contract negotiation
- September 25—sign contracts
- November—contracts begin

What Experience does RPC have with municipal electricity aggregation?

- RPC—registered aggregator with the NH PUC
- Jill Longval—RPC Consultant
- Nicholas Hill—Hill Energy Services
- Attorney Christopher Drescher—Drescher & Dokmo
- RPC covers the costs of these services for aggregation members

What can we expect to Save?

- Savings are based on:
 1. Electricity usage
 2. Rate from competitive supplier
 3. Default utility rate
- Examples from Nashua Region
 - Overall savings 2012-2018 = \$1,763,251
 - Mason (pop. 1,398) = \$984 savings in 2018
 - Amherst (pop. 11,401) = \$8,930 savings in 2018
 - Hudson (pop. 25,103) = \$49,932 savings in 2018

What can you do to Help?

- Encourage your municipalities and school districts to attend the March 18 initial meeting
- Keep them informed about this initiative

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