

## **Hardwick Electric Department**

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## **PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE**

Hardwick Electric Department (HED) Board of Commissioners

THIS IS A PUBLIC MEETING OPEN TO ANY AND ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN ATTENDING.

Purpose: Regular Meeting of HED Board of Commissioners

**Date:** Tuesday, May 20, 2025 **Time:** 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm<sup>1</sup>

Location: [In-Person] Hardwick Municipal Office (20 Church Street, Hardwick, VT 05843)

[Virtual] Zoom (https://zoom.us/j/99228218597?pwd=ZlgFpbau1IGaY8Z2ybLiLWa1foZbRn.1)

Meeting ID: 992 2821 8597 Passcode: 886208

**AGENDA** 

6:00 pm Call to Order & Determination of a Quorum

Chair, Gedanken

Approval/Modification of Agenda Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes

**Public Comment** 

6:15 pm Financial Reports

B. Essary

1. Monthly Financial Operating Report

2. FEMA Wolcott Hydro Special Construction & Cash Fund Report

3. [ACTION] Union Bank Line of Credit

4. [ACTION] Authorize Sarah Braese to sign Engagement Letter for 2024 Audit.

6:30 pm [INFORMATIONAL] Power Resources Budgeting & Regulatory Proceedings

S. Braese

1. FEMA RFQ Status

[ACTION] Authorize Sarah Braese to execute agreement with DuBois & King for Architectural and Engineering study for hydro plant.

- 2. General Manager Summary Report
  - Utility Business & Operations Report
    - [ACTION] Authorize Sarah Braese to execute agreement for VTDEC site #1977-0105 investigation work plan.
    - ii. Report on HED dams.
    - iii. 2025 Rate case update.
  - General Business Operations
  - Introduction for Policies & Procedures Review
  - Government & Public Affairs
  - Power Plant
  - Interconnection & Generation Construction

7:15 pm Executive Session<sup>2</sup> - Confidential Attorney-Client Communications

[ACTION] Assignment of two commissioners to represent HED interest in IBEW negotiations.

7:55 pm Other Business

8:00 pm Adjourn<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Adjournment time may vary.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Per <u>1 V.S.A. § 313</u> HED may enter Executive Session under certain conditions "...after making a specific finding that premature general public knowledge would clearly place[HED or person(s)] involved at a substantial disadvantage."