

Long-Term Renewable Resource Procurement Plan Update Stakeholder Workshop Agendas

Day One: Thursday, June 20, 2019

Morning: Overview of the Renewable Portfolio Standard (“RPS”) and the Long-Term Renewable Resources Procurement Plan; RPS Budgets; Utility-Scale Procurements

10 am to Noon

- Overview
 - RPS overview
 - Long-Term Plan development/update process (and synchronization with pending legislative proposals)
 - High-level lessons to date
- RPS goals and budget overview
 - REC Portfolio
 - Funds allocated/available
 - End of rollover period/use of utility-held ACPs
- Items for consideration in Plan update
 - Public Interest Criteria for adjacent state projects
 - Other Renewables Request for Information
 - Meeting the RPS percentage goals
 - Process for contingency procurements
- Other topics from stakeholders for consideration*

Afternoon: Illinois Solar for All

1 pm to 5 pm

- Illinois Solar for All overview
- Funding/program scale
 - Program year timing
 - Allocation from Renewable Energy Resources Fund
- Consideration of “tangible economic benefits”
 - Multifamily housing
 - Non-profits and public facilities
- Eligibility requirements for non-profits/public facilities
- Approved Vendor requirements
- Project Application requirements (by sub-program)
- Managing program demand
 - Project selection process
 - Waiting lists
- Income eligibility
 - Verification approaches
 - Multifamily and community solar
- Job training requirements and linkages between programs
- Review of Environmental Justice Communities and self-designation process
- Grassroots education priorities
- Other topics from stakeholders for consideration*

Day Two: Wednesday, June 26, 2019

Morning: Adjustable Block Program structure; REC Pricing Model; Distributed Generation

9:30 am to Noon

- Adjustable Block Program overview
- Program structure
 - Blocks and capacity
 - Batch/project application process
- REC pricing
 - Updating model
 - Community Solar small subscriber adder
 - Other adjustments
- Approved Vendor requirements
- Project requirements
 - Application requirements (interconnection agreements, permits, etc.)
 - Capacity factors
 - Metering requirements
- Contracts and collateral issues
- Other topics from stakeholders for consideration*

Afternoon: Community Solar, Consumer Protections

1 pm to 5 pm

- Continuation of morning topics (if needed)
- Managing Community Solar waitlist/new applications
 - Maintaining lottery ordinal positions versus new criteria
 - Intersection with interconnection process
- Community solar net metering and supply options
- Consumer protections
 - Illinois Shines branding
 - Community Solar small subscriber requirements
 - Codifying marketing guidelines
 - Designee and third-party marketing behavior
 - Disclosure Forms
- Other topics from stakeholders for consideration*

* Stakeholders wishing to propose additional topics should provide those requests to the Agency by June 18 for the June 20 workshop and by June 24 for the June 26 workshop. Additional topics will be discussed subject to available time. The Agency will also issue follow-up requests for comments after each workshop. Please send additional topic proposals to IPA.Contactus@illinois.gov.

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