

STATE OF NEW YORK  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

CASE 19-T-0069 - Application of Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need Pursuant to Article VII for the Pipeline E37 Reliability and Resiliency Project in the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County and the Towns of East Greenbush and North Greenbush, Rensselaer County.

NOTICE OF PROCEDURAL CONFERENCE

(Issued May 6, 2019)

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that a procedural conference will be held before Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Anthony Belsito in the above referenced case on Thursday, June 6, 2019, beginning at 10:30 a.m. at the Public Service Commission's Albany offices, Three Empire State Plaza (Agency Building 3), Albany, NY in the 19<sup>th</sup> Floor Board Room.

The principal purposes of the procedural conference are to identify potential parties and provide all interested persons an opportunity to present and explain any proposals regarding the procedures to be followed in these cases by the ALJ and the Commission including, but not limited to, whether any issues of fact presented by the petitions, application, or the public comments warrant an evidentiary hearing. Other pertinent procedural issues also may be addressed.

Pursuant to procedures established by the building management, anyone planning to attend the conference must notify Daniel Cameron at 518-474-6513, or [Daniel.Cameron@dps.ny.gov](mailto:Daniel.Cameron@dps.ny.gov), 48 hours in advance of the conference and be prepared to show photo identification upon arrival at the Concourse level of Agency Building 3.

Questions about the conference, including requests to participate in the conference by telephone, may be directed to ALJ Belsito at (518) 474-1634. Requests to participate in the procedural conference by telephone must be received no later than by 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 5, 2019.

Case 19-T-0069 involves a request by Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid (National Grid) to construct a natural gas transmission pipeline in the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County and the Towns of North Greenbush and East Greenbush, Rensselaer County, New York. National Grid requests that the Commission issue a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need under Article VII, Section 121-a, of the Public Service Law authorizing construction and operation of the proposed Pipeline E37 Reliability and Resiliency Project (Project). The Project would include construction of a new approximately 7.3-mile long, 16-inch diameter pipeline commencing north of the Bethlehem Gate Station on River Road in the Town of Bethlehem, traversing under the Hudson River, and continuing northeast to the Troy Gate Station located on Bloomingrove Road in the Town of North Greenbush. The pipeline is proposed to have a maximum allowable operating pressure of 300 pound-force per square inch gauge. National Grid states that the Project is needed to improve system reliability to existing customers as well as for continued system growth.

On April 23, 2019, a Notice Extending Deadline for Submission of Comments was issued in response to requests from members of the public requesting an extension of the comment period so that others may have an opportunity to comment on the project. The comment period has been extended until May 24, 2019.

The application may be viewed at [www.dps.ny.gov](http://www.dps.ny.gov) by searching the case number. Hard and/or electronic copies of the application are also available at: Albany Public Library (Washington Avenue Branch), 161 Washington Ave, Albany, NY 12210; North Greenbush Public Library, 141 Main Ave, Wynantskill, NY 12198; East Greenbush Community Library, 10 Community Way, East Greenbush, NY 12061; Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave, Delmar, NY 12054; North Greenbush Town Hall, 2 Douglas Street, Wynantskill, NY 12198; East Greenbush Town Hall, 225 Columbia Turnpike, Rensselaer, NY 12144; and Bethlehem Town Hall, 45 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054.

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Secretary