



# Utilities Kingston

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## **EB-2011-0043 Nomination for the Regional Planning Standing Committee**

### **Nominee:**

Jim Keech, President and CEO  
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**Company** – Kingston Hydro Corporation and Utilities Kingston

**Stakeholder interest** – Electricity Distributor, Natural Gas Distributor,  
Municipality

**Regional focus** – Group 2 – Peterborough to Kingston

### **Experience and Background:**

Jim Keech is the President & Chief Executive Officer and member of the Board of Directors of Utilities Kingston and Kingston Hydro Corporation since 2000. In addition, Jim provides management services to the City of Kingston's Public Works Department.

Jim serves on the Board of Directors for the Ontario Municipal Water Association (OMWA), the Electricity Distributors Association (EDA) of Ontario, the Municipal Electric Association Reciprocal Insurance Exchange (MEARIE), and Plug'n Drive.

Jim holds a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering from Queen's University and is a member of the Association of Professional Engineers of Ontario. In 2014 Jim achieved the ICD.D designation from the Institute of Corporate Directors.

Jim has 32 years of experience in a multi-utility environment, including electric distribution, natural gas distribution, water/wastewater and fibre-optics sectors.

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Nancy Taylor,  
Vice President & Corporate Secretary  
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