

Ontario Energy Board

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*,
S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B, as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an Application by Halton Hills
Hydro Inc. for an Order or Orders approving the recovery of
amounts related to the restoration of electricity service in the
Town of Halton Hills due to the December 2013 Southern and
Eastern Ontario Ice Storm.

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

OF

ENERGY PROBE RESEARCH FOUNDATION

Energy Probe Research Foundation (Energy Probe) applies for intervenor status in this proceeding.

Statement of Interest

Energy Probe is a non-profit environmental and consumer organization which promotes economic efficiency in the use of resources. Energy Probe will be representing its residential customer supporters in Ontario, which we have some number of thousands, and also representing a broader concern with respect to the overall financial health and operational integrity of our utilities. Energy Probe will be intervening on issues which the Foundation believes to be in the residential ratepayer interest.

Intervention

Energy Probe intends to participate in the proceeding. Energy Probe expects to be an all issues intervenor and will be assisted by experts. It expects to review a number of the discrete issues related to the proposed recovery raised in the application, including the amount, the incremental nature of those costs and the causation, materiality and prudence of the costs. In addition, Energy Probe will be reviewing the reasonableness of the assignment of costs to OM&A versus capitalized costs and the rate rider calculation and proposed term for that rider.

Costs

Energy Probe is a non-profit organization which relies on individual donations to help protect the public interest. Without the prospect of an award of costs, Energy Probe's ability to participate in proceedings would be very limited. Energy Probe intends to seek a cost award in this proceeding, and expects to intervene responsibly, cognizant of the Boards guidelines regarding cost awards.

Communications

Communications relating to this Notice of Intervention, including but not limited to a copy of all documents filed with the Board by Halton Hills Hydro, are required by Energy Probe and should be directed to:

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