



IN THE MATTER OF Board File No. EB-2015-0107  
Notice of Application and Hearing for an Electricity Distribution Rate Change

**AFFIDAVIT OF Joanne Tackaberry**


I, Joanne Tackaberry of Wasaga Beach in the County of Simcoe make oath and say:

1. I am the Director of Finance for Wasaga Distribution Inc. I have personal knowledge of the facts as set out in this affidavit.
2. A Notice of Application and Hearing for an Electricity Distribution Rate Change was submitted in the Wasaga Sun newspaper on October 15, 2015. The Notice of Application and Rate Application were also placed on Wasaga Distribution's Public Website on October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
3. The listed Intervenor(s) of record (VECC and Energy Probe) to the Cost of Service Application proceeding specified in the Letter of Direction, RP-2011-0103, were served the Notice of Application on October 07, 2015 and, September 25, 2015 respectively. Wasaga Distribution Inc. does not have any Embedded Distributor(s).
4. Wasaga Distribution Inc.'s microFIT customers (30) were served Notice of Application on October 07, 2015 by mail.

Sworn before me at the )  
Town of Wasaga Beach in the )  
County of Simcoe on )  
The 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015 )

  
Joanne Tackaberry, CPA, CGA

Commissioner for Taking Affidavits

  
PAMELA ANN ARCHDEKIN, a Commissioner,  
etc., Deputy Clerk, for the Corporation of the  
Town of Wasaga Beach, County of Simcoe



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## ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF WASAGA DISTRIBUTION INC.

**Wasaga Distribution Inc. has applied to raise  
its electricity distribution rates.**

**Learn more. Have your say.**

Wasaga Distribution Inc. has applied to the Ontario Energy Board to increase the amount it charges by \$2.25 each month for the typical residential customer beginning on May 1, 2016. Other customers, including businesses, may be affected as well.

Wasaga Distribution Inc. has also applied to increase certain specific service charges. It is important to review the application carefully to determine whether you may be affected by these changes.

### THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD IS HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) will hold a public hearing to consider Wasaga Distribution's request. We will question the company on its case for a rate increase. We will also hear arguments from individuals and from groups that represent Wasaga Distribution's customers. At the end of this hearing, the OEB will decide what, if any, increase will be allowed.

Distributors such as Wasaga Distribution typically apply for a full review of their rates every five years. Any rate changes for the years in between are made by applying a formula that is tied to inflation and other factors intended to promote efficiency. You may not get notice of future rate changes made by applying the formula.

The OEB is an independent and impartial public agency. We make decisions that serve the public interest. Our goal is to promote a financially viable and efficient energy sector that provides you with reliable energy services at a reasonable cost.

### BE INFORMED AND HAVE YOUR SAY

You have the right to information regarding this application and to be involved in the process. You can:

- You can review Wasaga Distribution's application on the OEB's website now.
- You can file a letter with your comments, which will be considered during the hearing.
- You can become an active participant (called an intervenor). Apply by **October 26, 2015** or the hearing will go ahead without you and you will not receive any further notice of the proceeding.
- At the end of the process, you can review the OEB's decision and its reasons on our website.

### LEARN MORE

These proposed charges relate to Wasaga Distribution's distribution services. They make up part of the Delivery line – one of the five line items on your bill. Our file number for this case is **EB-2015-0107**. To learn more about this hearing, find instructions on how to file letters or become an intervenor, or to access any document related to this case, please select the file number **EB-2015-0107** from the list on the OEB website: [www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice](http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/notice). You can also phone our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727 with any questions.

### ORAL VS. WRITTEN HEARINGS

There are two types of OEB hearings – oral and written. Wasaga Distribution has applied for a written hearing. The OEB is considering this request. If you think an oral hearing is needed, you can write to the OEB to explain why by **October 26, 2015**.

### PRIVACY

*If you write a letter of comment, your name and the content of your letter or the documents you file with the OEB will be put on the public record and the OEB website. However, your personal telephone number, home address and email address will be removed. If you are a business, all your information will remain public. If you apply to become an intervenor, all information will be public.*

*This rate hearing will be held under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998 c.15 (Schedule B).*

