



EB-2016-0038

Union Gas Limited

**Application for franchise agreement and certificate of
public convenience and necessity with the Municipality
of Tweed**

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1

March 15, 2016

Union Gas Limited (Union) filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board (the OEB) on January 14, 2016 for an order approving Union's proposed franchise agreement with, and granting Union a new certificate of public convenience and necessity for, the Municipality of Tweed. The application was made under section 8 and 9 of the *Municipal Franchises Act, 1990*. The OEB has assigned file number EB-2016-0038 to the application.

The Municipality of Tweed was formed on January 1, 1998 by Ministerial Order, amalgamating the former Village of Tweed, the former Township of Hungerford and the former Township of Elzevir & Grimsthorpe.

Union has a Franchise Agreement with the former Village of Tweed (E.B.A. 733) and the former Township of Hungerford (E.B.A. 749). Union does not have a Franchise Agreement with the former Township of Elzevir & Grimsthorpe.

Union holds a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate works and add to the works for the distribution of gas in the geographical area comprising the former Village of Tweed (E.B.C. 247) and the former Township of Hungerford (E.B.C. 243). Union does not have a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the former Township of Elzevir & Grimsthorpe.

The OEB issued a Notice of Application on March 2 and 3, 2016. The last date for intervention was March 14, 2016. No parties applied for intervenor status.

I consider it necessary to make provision for the following matters related to this proceeding. The OEB may issue further procedural orders from time to time.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. OEB staff who wish information and material from Union that is in addition to Union's evidence, shall request it by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and delivered to Union by Thursday, **March 17, 2016**.
2. Union shall file with the OEB complete responses to the interrogatories and deliver them to OEB staff by Tuesday, **March 22, 2016**.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, **EB-2016-0038** and be made electronically in searchable/unrestricted PDF format through the OEB's web portal at <https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/>. Two paper copies must also be filed. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Parties must use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at <http://www.ontarioenergyboard.ca/OEB/Industry>. If the web portal is not available, parties may email their documents to the address below.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

With respect to distribution lists for all electronic correspondence and materials related to this proceeding, parties must include the Case Manager, Azalyn Manzano at Azalyn.Manzano@ontarioenergyboard.ca and Board Counsel, Richard Lanni at Richard.Lanni@ontarioenergyboard.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, March 15, 2016

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

By delegation, before: Kristi Sebalj

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Registrar