

September 8, 2020

Ms. Christine Long Registrar and Board Secretary Ontario Energy Board 2300 Yonge Street, 27th floor P.O. Box 2319 Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Re: Oshawa PUC Networks Inc. (OPUCN) - 2021 Electricity Distribution Cost of Service Rate Application AMPCO Intervention Request Board File No. EB-2020-0048

Dear Ms. Long:

I am writing pursuant to the Board's Notice regarding the above proceeding to request intervenor status.

AMPCO's Interest

AMPCO is a not-for-profit consumer interest advocacy organization. AMPCO's members represent Ontario's major industries: forestry, chemical, mining and minerals, steel, petroleum products, cement, automotive and manufacturing and business consumers in general. AMPCO members are major investors, major employers and a major part of communities in which we operate, across Ontario.

AMPCO and its member companies are well known to the Board. AMPCO participates in many proceedings, working groups, consultations and initiatives of the Ontario Energy Board in which matters relevant to Ontario's large electricity consumers are being addressed.

AMPCO's interest in the Board's regulation of distribution and transmission companies relates generally to the interests of consumers with respect to price, adequacy, reliability and quality of electricity service, and, more particularly, to how costs are allocated to, and rates are designed to recover costs from, industrial customers.

OPUNC is requesting approval of a Base Revenue Requirement for the 2021 Test Year of \$27,350,082 which is an 8% increase compared to the 2019 OEB approved amount of \$25,392,522. The increase in 2021 is primarily driven by an increase in net capital additions. As part of the application, OPUNC has filed a five year Distribution System Plan (DSP) for the years 2021 to 2025. AMPCO's intervention will be focused on key aspects of the application including the DSP, proposed capital and operating costs, productivity initiatives, reliability trends, and customer engagement. AMPCO intends to participate in all key aspects of the process as required including interrogatories, technical and settlement conferences, and final submissions. AMPCO is intervening to ensure that the interests of its member are fully represented in the determination of just and reasonable rates.

We respectfully request that the Board please confirm AMPCO's eligibility for an award of costs in this matter.

Notice

Please serve all correspondence pertaining to this proceeding to AMPCO's consultant as follows:

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I trust this letter will suffice for the Board to grant intervenor status to AMPCO and to confirm AMPCO's eligibility for a cost award.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

Regards,

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Colin Anderson President Association of Major Power Consumers in Ontario

Copy to: Oshawa PUC Networks Inc.