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DECISION AND RATE ORDER

EB-2021-0008

BLUEWATER POWER DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION

Application for rates and other charges to be effective May 1, 2022

BY DELEGATION, BEFORE: Alex Share

Manager

Incentive Rate-setting & Regulatory Accounting

[date]

1 OVERVIEW

The Ontario Energy Board is approving changes to the rates that Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation (Bluewater Power) charges to distribute electricity to its customers, effective May 1, 2022.

As a result of this Decision, there will be a monthly total bill increase of \$1.55 for a residential customer consuming 750 kWh, effective May 1, 2022. This change does not factor in applicable taxes or the Ontario Electricity Rebate.

2 CONTEXT AND PROCESS

Bluewater Power filed its application on November 3, 2021 under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998* and in accordance with Chapter 3 of the OEB's [Filing Requirements for Incentive Rate-Setting Applications](#). The application was based on the Annual IR Index (Annual IR) option.

The Annual IR option is one of three incentive rate-setting mechanisms (IRM) approved by the OEB.¹ Under this methodology, existing rates are subject to an annual price cap adjustment. Distributors under the Annual IR are not required to periodically set base rates using a cost of service process, but they are required to apply the highest stretch factor in the price cap adjustment.

The OEB follows a standardized and streamlined process for hearing IRM applications filed under Annual IR. In each adjustment year of an Annual IR term, the OEB prepares a Rate Generator Model that includes, as a placeholder, information from the distributor's past proceedings and annual reporting requirements. A distributor will then review, complete, and include the model with its application, and may update the model during the proceeding to make any necessary corrections or to incorporate new rate-setting parameters as they become available.

Bluewater Power serves approximately 36,000 mostly residential and commercial electricity customers in the municipalities of the City of Sarnia, the Town of Petrolia, the Village of Point Edward, the Village of Oil Springs, the Township of Warwick, and the Township of Brooke-Alvinston in Southwestern Ontario.

The application was supported by pre-filed written evidence and a completed Rate Generator Model and as required during the proceeding, Bluewater Power updated and clarified the evidence.

¹ Each of these options is explained in the OEB's [Handbook for Utility Rate Applications](#).

3 DECISION OUTLINE

Each of the following issues is addressed in this Decision, together with the OEB's findings.

- Annual Adjustment Mechanism
- Shared Tax Adjustments
- Retail Transmission Service Rates
- Group 1 Deferral and Variance Accounts
- Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account Balance

Instructions for implementing Bluewater Power's new rates and charges are set out in the final section of this Decision.

This Decision does not address rates and charges approved by the OEB in prior proceedings, such as specific service charges² and loss factors, which are out of scope of an IRM proceeding and for which no further approvals are required to continue to include them on the distributor's Tariff of Rates and Charges.

² Certain service charges are subject to annual adjustments to be determined by the OEB through a generic order. For example, the Decision and Order EB-2021-0301, issued November 25, 2021 established the adjustment for energy retailer service charges, effective January 1, 2022; and the Decision and Order EB-2021-0302, issued December 16, 2021, established the 2022 Wireline Pole Attachment Charge, effective January 1, 2022.

4 ANNUAL ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM

Bluewater Power has applied to change its rates, effective May 1, 2022, based on a mechanistic rate adjustment using the OEB-approved **inflation minus X-factor** formula applicable to IRM applications. The adjustment applies to distribution rates (fixed and variable) uniformly across all customer classes.³

The components of the Annual IR adjustment formula applicable to Bluewater Power are set out in the table below. Inserting these components into the formula results in a 2.70% increase to Bluewater Power's rates: **2.70% = 3.30% - (0.00% + 0.60%)**.

Table 4.1: Annual IR Adjustment Formula

Components		Amount
Inflation Factor ⁴		3.30%
X-Factor	Productivity ⁵	0.00%
	Stretch (0.00% to 0.60%) ⁶	0.60%

An inflation factor of 3.30% applies to all IRM applications for the 2022 rate year.

On August 6, 2021, the OEB issued a Notice on its own motion to initiate a proceeding to consider the inflation factor to be used to set rates for electricity transmitters and electricity and natural gas distributors for the year 2022. The OEB issued its Decision and Order on November 18, 2021, establishing the 2022 inflation factor.

The X-factor is the sum of the productivity factor and the stretch factor. It is a productivity offset that varies among different groupings of distributors. Subtracting the X-factor from inflation ensures that rates decline in real, constant-dollar terms, providing distributors with a tangible incentive to improve efficiency or else experience declining net income. The productivity component of the X-factor is based on industry conditions over a historical study period and applies to all IRM applications for the 2022 rate year.

³ The adjustment does not apply to the following components of delivery rates: rate riders, rate adders, low voltage service charges, retail transmission service rates, wholesale market service rate, smart metering entity charge, rural or remote electricity rate protection charge, standard supply service – administrative charge, transformation and primary metering allowances, loss factors, specific service charges, microFIT charge, and retail service charges.

⁴ EB-2021-0212, Decision and Order, November 18, 2021

⁵ Report of the Ontario Energy Board – “Rate Setting Parameters and Benchmarking under the Renewed Regulatory Framework for Ontario’s Electricity Distributors”, EB-2010-0379, December 4, 2013

⁶ Report to the Ontario Energy Board – “Empirical Research in Support of Incentive Rate-Setting: 2020 Benchmarking Update”, prepared by Pacific Economics Group LLC., August 2021

The stretch factor component of the X-factor is distributor specific. The OEB has established five stretch factor groupings, ranging from 0.00% to 0.60%. The stretch factor assigned to any particular distributor is usually based on the distributor's total cost performance as benchmarked against other distributors in Ontario. However, as Bluewater Power is filing under the Annual IR option, it is required to apply the highest stretch factor. Accordingly, the stretch factor assigned to Bluewater Power is 0.60%, resulting in a rate adjustment of 2.70%.

Findings

Bluewater Power's request for a 2.70% rate adjustment is in accordance with the annually updated parameters set by the OEB. The adjustment is approved, and Bluewater Power's new rates shall be effective May 1, 2022.

5 SHARED TAX ADJUSTMENTS

In any adjustment year of an IRM term, a change in legislation may result in a change to the amount of taxes payable by a distributor. The impacts of such legislated tax changes are shared equally between shareholders and customers.⁷ The shared tax change amount, whether in the form of a credit or a debit, will be assigned to customer rate classes in the same proportions as the OEB-approved distribution revenue by rate class from the distributor's last cost of service proceeding.

The application identifies a total tax increase of \$60,905, resulting in a shared amount of \$30,452 to be collected from ratepayers.

This allocated tax sharing amount does not produce a rate rider to the fourth decimal place, in one or more rate classes. In such situations where the Rate Generator Model does not compute rate riders, distributors are required to transfer the entire OEB-approved tax sharing amount into the Disposition and Recovery of Regulatory Balances Control Account (Account 1595) for disposition at a later date.

Findings

The OEB approves the tax charge of \$30,452.

As the allocated tax sharing amount does not produce a rate rider in one or more rate classes, the OEB directs Bluewater Power to record the debit amount of \$30,452 into Account 1595 - Sub-account Principal Balances Approved for Disposition in 2022.

⁷ On July 25, 2019, the OEB issued a [letter](#) providing accounting guidance with respect to changes in capital cost allowance (CCA) rules. The guidance provides that impacts from changes in CCA rules will not be assessed in IRM proceedings, and that any request for disposition of amounts related to CCA changes is to be deferred to the distributor's next cost of service rate proceeding. A distributor's request for disposition of shared tax adjustment amounts in an IRM application should, therefore, be comprised only of impacts for tax changes unrelated to CCA.

6 RETAIL TRANSMISSION SERVICE RATES

Bluewater Power is partially embedded within Hydro One Networks Inc.'s distribution system.

To recover its cost of transmission services, Bluewater Power requests approval to adjust the retail transmission service rates (RTSRs) that it charges its customers in accordance with the Uniform Transmission Rates (UTRs) and host distributor RTSRs currently in effect.

Findings

Bluewater Power's proposed adjustment to its RTSRs is approved. The RTSRs were adjusted based on the current OEB-approved UTRs and host-RTSRs.⁸

UTRs and host-RTSRs are typically approved annually by the OEB. In the event that new UTRs or host-RTSRs take effect during Bluewater Power's 2022 rate year, any resulting differences (from the prior-approved UTRs and host-RTSRs) are to be captured in Retail Settlement Variance Accounts 1584 (Retail Transmission Network Charge) and 1586 (Retail Transmission Connection Charge).

⁸ EB-2021-0276, Decision and Rate Order, December 16, 2021; EB-2021-0032, Decision and Rate Order, December 14, 2021

7 GROUP 1 DEFERRAL AND VARIANCE ACCOUNTS

In each year of an IRM term, the OEB will review a distributor's Group 1 deferral and variance accounts in order to determine whether those balances should be disposed. OEB policy states that Group 1 account balances should be disposed if they exceed, on a net basis (as a debit or credit), a pre-set disposition threshold of \$0.001 per kWh, unless a distributor justifies why balances should not be disposed.⁹ If the net balance does not exceed the threshold, a distributor may still request disposition.

The 2020 year-end net balance for Bluewater Power's Group 1 accounts eligible for disposition, including interest projected to April 30, 2022, is a debit of \$314,805, and pertains to variances accumulated during the 2019 and 2020 calendar years. This amount represents a total debit claim of \$0.0003 per kWh, which does not exceed the disposition threshold. Bluewater Power has requested disposition of this amount over a one-year period.

Included in the Group 1 accounts are certain variances related to costs that are paid for by a distributor's customers on different bases, depending on their classification. Namely, "Class A" customers, who participate in the Industrial Conservation Initiative, pay for Global Adjustment (GA) charges based on their contribution to the five highest Ontario demand peaks over a 12-month period. "Class B" customers pay for GA charges based on their monthly consumption totals, either as a standalone charge or embedded in the Regulated Price Plan (RPP).¹⁰ A similar mechanism applies to Class A and Class B customers for Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) charges.¹¹ The balance in the GA variance account is attributable to non-RPP Class B customers and is disposed through a separate rate rider. The balance in the CBR Class B variance account is attributable to all Class B customers.

Bluewater Power had Class A customers during the period in which variances accumulated so it has applied to have the balance of the CBR Class B variance account disposed through a separate rate rider for Class B customers to ensure proper allocation between Class A and Class B customers.

During the period in which variances accumulated, Bluewater Power had a customer transition between Class A and Class B. Under the general principle of cost causality, customer groups that cause variances which are recorded in Group 1 accounts should be responsible for paying (or receiving credits) for their disposal. Bluewater Power has

⁹ Report of the OEB – "Electricity Distributors' Deferral and Variance Account Review Initiative (EDDVAR)", EB-2008-0046, July 31, 2009

¹⁰ For additional details on the Global Adjustment charge, refer to the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO)'s [website](#).

¹¹ All Class B customers (RPP and non-RPP) pay the CBR as a separate charge based on their monthly consumption. For additional details on the CBR for Class A customers, refer to the IESO's [website](#).

proposed to allocate a portion of the GA and CBR Class B balances to its transition customer, based on their customer-specific consumption levels.¹² The amount allocated to the transition customer is proposed to be recovered (or refunded, as applicable) by way of 12 equal monthly installments for the GA variance and by way of a lump sum credit for the CBR variance.

In this proceeding, Bluewater Power explained that it has been transitioning its customers towards billing GA based on actual rates, rather than 1st Estimate, and that starting January 1, 2020, its General Service > 50kW customers had been billed based on actual GA rates.¹³ Bluewater Power further noted that its practice was to dispose of the balance in Account 1589 to only those customers that were charged the 1st Estimate GA rate. However, given that there are variances in the account that relate to factors other than the difference between 1st Estimate and Actual GA rates, Bluewater Power submitted that, under the principle of cost causality, it is more appropriate to allocate the variance to all Non-RPP Class B customers. Bluewater Power cited loss factor differences, unbilled revenue differences, and the impacts of the GA deferral from 2020 as items that would attribute to all Non-RPP Class B customers.¹⁴

Bluewater Power also provided details on the composition of the principal balance in Account 1589, and the customer groups that have contributed to that variance, reproduced below:¹⁵

Table 7.1: GA Variance Composition

	2019 Principal Balance (\$)	2020 Principal Balance (\$)	Total (\$)	% of Total	Attributable to:
Rate variance (1 st estimate to actual)	334,916	12,948	347,864	52%	Customers that pay 1 st estimate
Loss factor variance	24,313	15,735	40,048	6%	All Non-RPP customers
GA deferral disposition (2020)	-	79,094	79,094	12%	All Non-RPP customers
Other	94,020	103,870	197,890	30%	All Non-RPP customers
Class A Transition Customers	-	5,627	5,627	1%	Transition Customer
Total	453,249	217,274	670,523	100%	

¹² 2022 IRM Rate Generator Model, Tab 6.1a GA Allocation and Tab 6.2a CBR B_Allocation

¹³ Response to OEB staff follow-up question 1, March 10, 2022

¹⁴ Manager's Summary, pages 16-17

¹⁵ Response to OEB staff follow-up question 1, March 10, 2022

Findings

The balances proposed for disposition reconcile with the amounts reported as part of the OEB's *Electricity Reporting and Record-Keeping Requirements*.

The OEB accepts Bluewater Power's proposed allocations for its Group 1 variance accounts, including its proposal for allocating the GA variance to all Non-RPP Class B customers. The OEB notes that starting in 2020, Bluewater Power transferred a significant volume of its billings away from 1st Estimate rates and towards the use of actual GA rates. For that same year, the amount associated with GA price variance is not significant to the overall balance, which is the only element specific to those customers paying GA at 1st Estimate rates. Accordingly, it generally aligns with cost causality principles for all of Bluewater Power's Non-RPP Class B customers to bear responsibility for the total GA balance for the calendar years 2019 and 2020. The OEB agrees with Bluewater Power that, should the proportional composition of variances in this account change going forward, it may be more appropriate to propose a different cost allocation approach in the future.

The OEB notes that there remain variances in the account that have not been specifically identified (the "Other" row in Table 7.1). The OEB reminds Bluewater Power that, when following the OEB's accounting guidance with respect to commodity accounts,¹⁶ there are no variances expected in Account 1589 other than those pertaining to the GA price differential and any loss factor differences.¹⁷

Finally, while the OEB appreciates that Bluewater Power has undertaken to transition its Non-RPP Class B customers to paying actual GA rates (which helps minimize variances), the OEB notes that having other rate classes pay GA at 1st Estimate creates potential cross-subsidization between rate classes that otherwise would not exist. Accordingly, the OEB suggests that, to the extent practicable, Bluewater Power should consider aligning all of its Non-RPP Class B customers under the same GA billing approach to mitigate any cross-subsidization.

The OEB approves the disposition of a debit balance of \$314,805 as of December 31, 2020, including interest projected to April 30, 2022 for Group 1 accounts on a final basis.

¹⁶ Accounting Procedures Handbook Update – Accounting Guidance Related to Commodity Pass-Through Accounts 1588 & 1589, February 21, 2019

¹⁷ With the exception of the years 2020 to 2021, where the GA deferral and subsequent recovery may impact these balances.

Table 7.2 identifies the principal and interest amounts, which the OEB approves for disposition.

Table 7.2: Group 1 Deferral and Variance Account Balances

Account Name	Account Number	Principal Balance (\$) A	Interest Balance (\$) B	Total Claim (\$) C=A+B
LV Variance Account	1550	183,214	5,940	189,154
Smart Meter Entity Variance Charge	1551	(5,297)	(294)	(5,591)
RSVA - Wholesale Market Service Charge	1580	(1,044,858)	(40,151)	(1,085,009)
Variance WMS - Sub-account CBR Class B	1580	(109,761)	(2,649)	(112,410)
RSVA - Retail Transmission Network Charge	1584	524,388	12,591	536,979
RSVA - Retail Transmission Connection Charge	1586	75,494	1,031	76,525
RSVA - Power	1588	(26,563)	7,162	(19,401)
RSVA - Global Adjustment	1589	670,523	23,904	694,427
Disposition and Recovery of Regulatory Balances (2017)	1595	90,588	(50,458)	40,130
Totals for Group 1 accounts		357,728	(42,923)	314,805

The balance of each of the Group 1 accounts approved for disposition shall be transferred to the applicable principal and interest carrying charge sub-accounts of Account 1595. Such transfer shall be pursuant to the requirements specified in the *Accounting Procedures Handbook for Electricity Distributors*.¹⁸ The date of the transfer must be the same as the effective date for the associated rates, which is generally the start of the rate year.

¹⁸ Article 220, Account Descriptions, Accounting Procedures Handbook for Electricity Distributors, effective January 1, 2012

The OEB approves these balances to be disposed through final rate riders, charges, or payments, as calculated in the Rate Generator Model. The final rate riders, charges, and payments, as applicable, will be in effect over a one-year period from May 1, 2022 to April 30, 2023.¹⁹

¹⁹ 2022 IRM Rate Generator Model Tab 6.1 GA, Tab 6.1a GA Allocation, Tab 6.2 CBR B, Tab 6.2a CBR B_Allocation and Tab 7 Calculation of Def-Var RR

8 LOST REVENUE ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM VARIANCE ACCOUNT

The OEB utilizes a Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA), which captures a distributor's revenue implications resulting from differences between actual and forecast conservation savings included in its last OEB-approved load forecast.²⁰

Distributors delivered conservation and demand management (CDM) programs to their customers through the Conservation First Framework (CFF) that began on January 1, 2015 until March 20, 2019, when the CFF was revoked.²¹ The OEB provided direction to distributors seeking to claim program savings up to December 31, 2021 related to CFF programs or other conservation programs they delivered.²²

Bluewater Power has applied to dispose of its LRAMVA debit balance of \$331,601. The balance consists of lost revenues in 2020 from CDM programs delivered during the period from 2011-2020 and carrying charges. The actual conservation savings claimed by Bluewater Power under the CFF were validated with reports from the IESO, project level savings files, or both.

Actual conservation savings were compared against Bluewater Power's forecasted conservation savings of 16,150,633 kWh included in its last OEB-approved load forecast.²³

Findings

The OEB finds that Bluewater Power's LRAMVA balance has been calculated in accordance with the OEB's CDM-related guidelines and LRAMVA policy. The OEB approves the disposition of Bluewater Power's LRAMVA debit balance of \$331,601, as set out in Table 8.1 below.

²⁰ Guidelines for Electricity Distributor Conservation and Demand Management, EB-2012-0003, April 26, 2012; and Requirement Guidelines for Electricity Distributors Conservation and Demand Management, EB-2014-0278, December 19, 2014

²¹ On March 20, 2019 the Minister of Energy, Northern Development and Mines issued separate Directives to the OEB and the IESO.

²² Chapter 3 Filing Requirements, section 3.2.6.1

²³ EB-2012-0107, Decision and Order, April 25, 2013

Table 8.1 LRAMVA Balance for Disposition

Account Name	Account Number	Actual CDM Savings (\$) A	Forecasted CDM Savings (\$) B	Carrying Charges (\$) C	Total Claim (\$) D=(A-B)+C
LRAMVA	1568	371,480	42,229	2,350	331,601

9 IMPLEMENTATION

- 1 This Decision is accompanied by a Rate Generator Model, applicable supporting models, and a Tariff of Rates and Charges (Schedule A). The Rate Generator Model also incorporates the rates set out in Table 9.1.

Table 9.1: Regulatory Charges

Rate	per kWh
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection (RRRP)	\$0.0005
Wholesale Market Service (WMS) billed to Class A and B Customers	\$0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) billed to Class B Customers	\$0.0004

Each of these rates is a component of the “Regulatory Charge” on a customer’s bill, established annually by the OEB through a separate, generic order. The RRRP, WMS and CBR rates were set by the OEB on December 16, 2021.²⁴

The Smart Metering Entity Charge is a component of the “Distribution Charge” on a customer’s bill, established by the OEB through a separate order. The Smart Metering Entity Charge was set by the OEB on March 1, 2018.²⁵

In the *Report of the Board: Review of Electricity Distribution Cost Allocation Policy*,²⁶ the OEB indicated that it will review the default province-wide microFIT charge annually to ensure it continues to reflect actual costs in accordance with the established methodology. On January 26, 2022, the OEB issued a letter advising electricity distributors that the microFIT charge shall remain at \$4.55 for the duration of the 2022 calendar year.

²⁴ EB-2021-0300, Decision and Order, December 16, 2021

²⁵ EB-2017-0290, Decision and Order, March 1, 2018

²⁶ EB-2010-0219, Report of the Board “Review of Electricity Distribution Cost Allocation Policy”, March 31, 2011

10 ORDER

THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD ORDERS THAT:

1. The Tariff of Rates and Charges set out in Schedule A of this Decision and Rate Order is approved effective May 1, 2022 for electricity consumed or estimated to have been consumed on and after such date. Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation shall notify its customers of the rate changes no later than the delivery of the first bill reflecting the new rates.

DATED at Toronto, [date]

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Nancy Marconi
Registrar

Schedule A

To Decision and Rate Order

Tariff of Rates and Charges

OEB File No: EB-2021-0008

DATED: [Date]

Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation

TARIFF OF RATES AND CHARGES

Effective and Implementation Date May 1, 2022

This schedule supersedes and replaces all previously approved schedules of Rates, Charges and Loss Factors

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RESIDENTIAL SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

All service supplied to single-family dwelling units for domestic or household purposes shall be classed as residential service. Where electricity service is provided for combined residential and business purposes (including agricultural usage) and the wiring does not provide for separate metering, the classification shall be in the discretion of Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation ("Bluewater Power") and shall be based on such considerations as the estimated predominant consumption or the municipal tax roll classification. A residential customer may be found in a detached, semi-detached, linear row housing, apartment building or mixed-use building. Where more than one dwelling is served by a single meter, that service shall be considered a General Service Customer. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

The application of these rates and charges shall be in accordance with the Licence of the Distributor and any Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, which may be applicable to the administration of this schedule.

No rates and charges for the distribution of electricity and charges to meet the costs of any work or service done or furnished for the purpose of the distribution of electricity shall be made except as permitted by this schedule, unless required by the Distributor's Licence or a Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, or as specified herein.

Unless specifically noted, this schedule does not contain any charges for the electricity commodity, be it under the Regulated Price Plan, a contract with a retailer or the wholesale market price, as applicable. In addition, the charges in the MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component of this schedule do not apply to a customer that is an embedded wholesale market participant.

It should be noted that this schedule does not list any charges, assessments, or credits that are required by law to be invoiced by a distributor and that are not subject to Ontario Energy Board approval, such as the Global Adjustment and the HST.

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	34.18
Smart Metering Entity Charge - effective until December 31, 2022	\$	0.57
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0002
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kWh	(0.0004)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Capacity Based Recovery Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023		
Applicable only for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	(0.0002)
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0092
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0074

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0005
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation

TARIFF OF RATES AND CHARGES

Effective and Implementation Date May 1, 2022

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GENERAL SERVICE LESS THAN 50 KW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to a customer not designated as Residential, and that over a twelve month period has, or a new customer forecast to have, an average monthly peak demand less than 50 kW, and has a monthly peak demand that never exceeds 100 kW. Bluewater Power shall review this rate class designation on an annual basis and the customer's designated rate class may change as a result. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

The application of these rates and charges shall be in accordance with the Licence of the Distributor and any Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, which may be applicable to the administration of this schedule.

No rates and charges for the distribution of electricity and charges to meet the costs of any work or service done or furnished for the purpose of the distribution of electricity shall be made except as permitted by this schedule, unless required by the Distributor's Licence or a Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, or as specified herein.

Unless specifically noted, this schedule does not contain any charges for the electricity commodity, be it under the Regulated Price Plan, a contract with a retailer or the wholesale market price, as applicable. In addition, the charges in the MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component of this schedule do not apply to a customer that is an embedded wholesale market participant.

It should be noted that this schedule does not list any charges, assessments, or credits that are required by law to be invoiced by a distributor and that are not subject to Ontario Energy Board approval, such as the Global Adjustment and the HST.

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	30.60
Smart Metering Entity Charge - effective until December 31, 2022	\$	0.57
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0213
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0002
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kWh	0.0006
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kWh	(0.0004)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Capacity Based Recovery Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023		
Applicable only for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	(0.0002)
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0086
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0065

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0005
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

Bluewater Power Distribution Corporation

TARIFF OF RATES AND CHARGES

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GENERAL SERVICE 50 TO 999 KW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to a customer not designated as Residential, and that over a twelve month period has, or a new customer forecast to have, an average monthly peak demand equal to or greater than 50 kW and less than 1,000 kW. This rate class designation is reviewed on an annual basis and the customer's designated rate class may change as a result. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

The application of these rates and charges shall be in accordance with the Licence of the Distributor and any Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, which may be applicable to the administration of this schedule.

No rates and charges for the distribution of electricity and charges to meet the costs of any work or service done or furnished for the purpose of the distribution of electricity shall be made except as permitted by this schedule, unless required by the Distributor's Licence or a Code or Order of the Ontario Energy Board, and amendments thereto as approved by the Ontario Energy Board, or as specified herein.

Unless specifically noted, this schedule does not contain any charges for the electricity commodity, be it under the Regulated Price Plan, a contract with a retailer or the wholesale market price, as applicable. In addition, the charges in the MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component of this schedule do not apply to a customer that is an embedded wholesale market participant.

If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of WMS - Sub-account CBR Class B is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new Class B customers.

If included in the following listing of monthly rates and charges, the rate rider for the disposition of Global Adjustment is only applicable to non-RPP Class B customers. It is not applicable to wholesale market participants (WMP), customers that transitioned between Class A and Class B during the variance account accumulation period, or to customers that were in Class A for the entire period. Customers who transitioned are to be charged or refunded their share of the variance disposed through customer specific billing adjustments. This rate rider is to be consistently applied for the entire period to the sunset date of the rate rider. In addition, this rate rider is applicable to all new non-RPP Class B customers.

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	163.49
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	4.7508
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0748
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023		
Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA)		
(2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	0.5073

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Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023		
Applicable only for Non-Wholesale Market Participants	\$/kW	(0.4623)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	0.3162
Rate Rider for Disposition of Capacity Based Recovery Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023		
Applicable only for Class B Customers	\$/kW	(0.0725)
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	3.4463
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	2.6412

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0005
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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GENERAL SERVICE 1,000 TO 4,999 KW SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	3,593.59
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	1.9381
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0820
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	0.0429
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	(0.2083)
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	3.6603

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Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate

\$/kW

2.8954

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR

\$/kWh

0.0030

Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers

\$/kWh

0.0004

Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)

\$/kWh

0.0005

Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)

\$

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LARGE USE SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to a customer not designated as Residential, and that over 12 consecutive billing periods has, or a new customer forecast to have, an average monthly peak demand equal to or greater than 5,000 kW. This rate class designation is reviewed on an annual basis and the customer's designated rate class may change as a result. Class A and Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	28,120.73
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	2.1118
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0938
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	0.0076
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023 Applicable only for Non-Wholesale Market Participants	\$/kW	(0.8060)

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Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	0.5338
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate - Interval Metered	\$/kW	4.0528
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate - Interval Metered	\$/kW	3.3110

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0005
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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UNMETERED SCATTERED LOAD SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account whose average monthly maximum demand is less than, or a new customer forecast to be less than, 50 kW and the consumption is unmetered. Such connections include cable TV power packs, bus shelters, telephone booths, traffic lights, railway crossings, etc. The level of the consumption will be agreed to by Bluewater Power and the customer, based on detailed manufacturer information/documentation with regard to electrical consumption of the unmetered load or periodic monitoring of actual consumption. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	13.75
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kWh	0.0374
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0002
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023 Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kWh	(0.0006)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kWh	(0.0004)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Capacity Based Recovery Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023 Applicable only for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	(0.0002)
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0086
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kWh	0.0065

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0005
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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SENTINEL LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification refers to accounts that are an unmetered lighting load supplied to a sentinel light. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	4.43
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	29.2222
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0590
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023 Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	(0.0702)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	(0.1537)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Capacity Based Recovery Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023 Applicable only for Class B Customers	\$/kW	(0.0753)
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.6121
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	2.0846

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0005
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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STREET LIGHTING SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an account for roadway lighting with a Municipality, Regional Municipality, Ministry of Transportation and private roadway lighting, controlled by photo cells. The consumption for these customers will be based on the calculated connected load times the required lighting times established in the approved Ontario Energy Board street lighting load shape template. Class B consumers are defined in accordance with O. Reg. 429/04. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge (per connection)	\$	2.74
Distribution Volumetric Rate	\$/kW	21.3727
Low Voltage Service Rate	\$/kW	0.0578
Rate Rider for Disposition of Global Adjustment Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023 Applicable only for Non-RPP Customers	\$/kWh	0.0044
Rate Rider for Disposition of Lost Revenue Adjustment Mechanism Variance Account (LRAMVA) (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	(0.0938)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Deferral/Variance Accounts (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023	\$/kW	(0.1406)
Rate Rider for Disposition of Capacity Based Recovery Account (2022) - effective until April 30, 2023 Applicable only for Class B Customers	\$/kW	(0.0742)
Retail Transmission Rate - Network Service Rate	\$/kW	2.5991
Retail Transmission Rate - Line and Transformation Connection Service Rate	\$/kW	2.0421

MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Regulatory Component

Wholesale Market Service Rate (WMS) - not including CBR	\$/kWh	0.0030
Capacity Based Recovery (CBR) - Applicable for Class B Customers	\$/kWh	0.0004
Rural or Remote Electricity Rate Protection Charge (RRRP)	\$/kWh	0.0005
Standard Supply Service - Administrative Charge (if applicable)	\$	0.25

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microFIT SERVICE CLASSIFICATION

This classification applies to an electricity generation facility contracted under the Independent Electricity System Operator's microFIT program and connected to the distributor's distribution system. Further servicing details are available in the distributor's Conditions of Service.

APPLICATION

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MONTHLY RATES AND CHARGES - Delivery Component

Service Charge	\$	4.55
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ALLOWANCES

Transformer Allowance for Ownership - per kW of billing demand/month	\$/kW	(0.60)
Primary Metering Allowance for Transformer Losses - applied to measured demand & energy	%	(1.00)

SPECIFIC SERVICE CHARGES

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Customer Administration

Duplicate invoices for previous billing	\$	15.00
Income tax letter	\$	15.00
Legal letter charge	\$	15.00
Account set up charge/change of occupancy charge (plus credit agency costs if applicable)	\$	10.00
Returned cheque (plus bank charges)	\$	15.00
Special meter reads	\$	30.00
Account history	\$	15.00
Meter dispute charge plus Measurement Canada fees (if meter found correct)	\$	30.00

Non-Payment of Account

Late payment - per month (effective annual rate 19.56% per annum or 0.04896% compounded daily rate)	%	1.50
Reconnection at meter - during regular hours	\$	65.00
Reconnection at meter - after regular hours	\$	185.00

Other

Specific charge for access to the power poles - \$/pole/year (with the exception of wireless attachments)	\$	34.76
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RETAIL SERVICE CHARGES (if applicable)

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Retail Service Charges refer to services provided by a distributor to retailers or customers related to the supply of competitive electricity.

One-time charge, per retailer, to establish the service agreement between the distributor and the retailer	\$	107.68
Monthly fixed charge, per retailer	\$	43.08
Monthly variable charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	1.07
Distributor-consolidated billing monthly charge, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	0.64
Retailer-consolidated billing monthly credit, per customer, per retailer	\$/cust.	(0.64)
Service Transaction Requests (STR)		
Request fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	0.54
Processing fee, per request, applied to the requesting party	\$	1.07
Request for customer information as outlined in Section 10.6.3 and Chapter 11 of the Retail Settlement Code directly to retailers and customers, if not delivered electronically through the Electronic Business Transaction (EBT) system, applied to the requesting party		
Up to twice a year	\$	no charge
More than twice a year, per request (plus incremental delivery costs)	\$	4.31
Notice of switch letter charge, per letter (unless the distributor has opted out of applying the charge as per the Ontario Energy Board's Decision and Order EB-2015-0304, issued on February 14, 2019)	\$	2.15

LOSS FACTORS

If the distributor is not capable of prorating changed loss factors jointly with distribution rates, the revised loss factors will be implemented upon the first subsequent billing for each billing cycle.

Total Loss Factor - Secondary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0421
Total Loss Factor - Secondary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0170
Total Loss Factor - Primary Metered Customer < 5,000 kW	1.0316
Total Loss Factor - Primary Metered Customer > 5,000 kW	1.0069