

Ms. Nancy Marconi  
Registrar  
Ontario Energy Board  
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February 17, 2023

**EB-2022-0249 – Hidden Valley Community Expansion Project Leave to Construct  
Pollution Probe Intervention Request**

Dear Ms. Marconi:

Pollution Probe received the notice for the above noted proceeding and hereby applies for intervenor status and requests that it be eligible for the recovery of reasonably incurred costs for its participation. Pollution Probe represents a direct consumer and policy interest related to this proceeding.

Pollution Probe is a frequent intervenor in Board proceedings, including facility Leave to Construct applications and a copy of our current Annual Filing can be found on the Board's website at the following location:

<https://www.rds.oeb.ca/CMWebDrawer/Record/759269/File/document>

**Goals and Objectives**

Pollution Probe intends to actively participate in all aspects of this proceeding, including a focus on Project scope, alternatives, costs, Project impacts and Environmental and Socio-economic issues related to the proposed project.

Enbridge has indicated a desire for confidential treatment of certain information in Exhibit F-1-1 and Exhibit G-1-1. Pollution Probe does not oppose confidential treatment of the information requested. However, Pollution Probe recommends that OEB Staff review the unredacted versions it has access to in order to appropriately validate that the redacted information is in fact personal information and not business information.

**Intention to Seek Cost Awards**

Pollution Probe is a not-for-profit charitable organization. We receive individual donations as well as funding for consumer and research projects, such as on community energy planning, future of natural gas and regulated utility innovation, from a variety of public and private sources. Without the prospect of an award of costs, Pollution Probe's ability to participate in the consultation process would not be possible.

Pollution Probe has been an active and valuable participant in proceedings before the Ontario Energy Board and will continue to coordinate its activities, where appropriate, with other parties which represent consumer, municipal and environmental interests in Ontario.

Pollution Probe respectfully requests your acceptance of this request to participate and confirmation that it will be eligible for its costs.

**Notice**

Pollution Probe requests that further communications with respect to this matter be sent to:

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Respectfully submitted on behalf of Pollution Probe.



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