



ERTH Power Corporation Inc.

**Application for electricity distribution rates and other
charges effective May 1, 2025**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 1
November 20, 2024**

ERTH Power Corporation Inc. (ERTH Power) filed an incentive rate-setting mechanism (IRM) application with the Ontario Energy Board (OEB) on October 11, 2024, under section 78 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, seeking approval for changes to its electricity distribution rates to be effective **May 1, 2025**. ERTH Power has also applied for incremental capital funding to support the purchase of property, design, construction, and furnishing of a new administrative and operational facility.

A Notice of Hearing was issued on October 29, 2024. Each of the School Energy Coalition (SEC) and Vulnerable Energy Consumers Coalition (VECC) applied for intervenor status and cost eligibility.

No objection was received from ERTH Power.

SEC and VECC are approved as intervenors and are eligible to apply for an award of costs under the OEB's [Practice Direction on Cost Awards](#). The list of parties in this proceeding is attached as **Schedule A** to this Procedural Order.

Cost eligible intervenors should be aware that the OEB will not generally allow the recovery of costs for the attendance of more than one representative of any party unless a compelling reason is provided when cost claims are filed.

The OEB is making provision for the following related to this proceeding. Further procedural orders may be issued by the OEB.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. OEB staff and intervenors shall request any relevant information and documentation from ERTH Power that is in addition to the evidence already filed, by written interrogatories filed with the OEB and served on ERTH Power and all other parties by **December 4, 2024**.

2. ERTH Power shall file with the OEB complete written responses to the interrogatories and serve them on all intervenors by **January 7, 2025**.
3. Any written submissions by OEB staff and intervenors shall be filed with the OEB and served on all other parties by **January 21, 2025**.
4. ERTH Power may file a written reply submission with the OEB and serve it on all other parties by **February 4, 2025**.

Parties are responsible for ensuring that any documents they file with the OEB, such as applicant and intervenor evidence, interrogatories and responses to interrogatories or any other type of document, **do not include personal information** (as that phrase is defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*), unless filed in accordance with rule 9A of the OEB's [Rules of Practice and Procedure](#).

Please quote file number, **EB-2024-0021** for all materials filed and submit them in searchable/unrestricted PDF format with a digital signature through the [OEB's online filing portal](#).

- Filings should clearly state the sender's name, postal address, telephone number and e-mail address.
- Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the [Regulatory Electronic Submission System \(RESS\) Document Guidelines](#) found at the [File documents online page](#) on the OEB's website.
- Parties are encouraged to use RESS. Those who have not yet [set up an account](#), or require assistance using the online filing portal can contact registrar@oeb.ca for assistance.
- Cost claims are filed through the OEB's online filing portal. Please visit the [File documents online page](#) of the OEB's website for more information. All participants shall download a copy of their submitted cost claim and serve it on all required parties as per the [Practice Direction on Cost Awards](#).

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Registrar and be received by end of business, 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, Urooj Iqbal at urooj.iqbal@oeb.ca and OEB Counsel, James Sidlofsky at james.sidlofsky@oeb.ca.

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DATED at Toronto, **November 20, 2024**

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

By delegation, before: Nancy Marconi

Nancy Marconi
Registrar

SCHEDULE A
LIST OF APPLICANT AND INTERVENORS
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APPLICANT & LIST OF PARTICIPANTS, INTERVENORS

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