Intervention Form

Case Number:

EB-2025-0014

Intervenor Name:

Pollution Probe

Mandate and Objectives:

Refer to the Frequent Intervenor Form below.

Membership of the Intervenor and Constituency Represented:

Refer to the Frequent Intervenor Form below.

Programs or Activities Carried Out by the Intervenor:

Refer to the Frequent Intervenor Form below.

Governance Structure:

Refer to the Frequent Intervenor Form below.

Representatives:

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Other Contacts:

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Frequent Intervenor Form:

https://www.rds.oeb.ca/CMWebDrawer/Record/893229/File/document

OEB Proceedings:

EB-2022-0335

EB-2023-0071

EB-2023-0111

EB-2023-0125

EB-2023-0175

EB-2023-0200

EB-2023-0201

EB-2023-0260

EB-2023-0261

EB-2023-0306

EB-2023-0335

EB-2023-0195

EB-2024-0092

EB-2024-0063

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EB-2024-0129

EB-2024-0130

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EB-2024-0198

EB-2024-0199

EB-2024-0236

EB-2025-0060

EB-2025-0108

EB-2025-0064

Issues:

Pollution Probe represents a consumer and policy interest related to Oshawa PUC's 2026 Cost of Service Application. The application is intended to meet the City of Oshawa's energy consumers' needs in a cost-effective manner, while ensuring its plan and utility execution over the term aligns with energy transition and related policy demands. The application and underlying Distribution System Plan (DSP) term aligns with a critical period for system planning at a time when the City of Oshawa and Region of Durham are undertaking significant energy and emissions plan activity requiring increased electrification and distributed energy resources. Oshawa PUC has been identified as a key factor for plan coordination and delivery over this period.

Pollution Probe was also a party to the EB-2020-0048 Oshawa PUC Settlement Agreement approved by the OEB. The Settlement Agreement included commitments to be addressed in this application, including enhanced utility planning (e.g. updated DSP), stakeholder coordination and reporting on activities undertaken during the current rate term to be included in the 2026 Cost of Service application.

Policy Interests:

Please see above.

Hearings:

Pollution Probe recommends that the OEB make a decision on the format of the hearing following the interrogatory phase of the proceeding.

Evidence:

Pollution Probe does not intend to commission expert evidence at this time. However, based on the issues outlined in the application Pollution Probe may provide relevant materials to the OEB during the proceeding. No specific approvals are required to enable this approach.

Coordination with Other Intervenors:

Pollution Probe has been an active and valuable participant in OEB proceedings and will continue to coordinate its activities with impacted consumers, intervenors and other parties as appropriate.

Cost Awards:

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

Pollution Probe is a not-for-profit charitable organization. We receive individual donations as well as funding for consumer and research projects. Without the prospect of an award of costs, Pollution Probe's ability to participate in this proceeding would not be possible.

Language Preference:

English