

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
ENERGY FACILITY SITING BOARD**

IN RE: INVENERGY THERMAL DEVELOPMENT LLC'S APPLICATION TO CONSTRUCT THE CLEAR RIVER ENERGY CENTER IN BURRILLVILLE, RHODE ISLAND – DOCKET NO. SB-2015-06

NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 42-98 and 42-35 of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island, in particular section 42-98-7, and Rules 1.8(a) - (d) and 1.30(b) of its Rules of Practice and Procedure, **the Energy Facility Siting Board (Board) will hear oral argument on Friday, September 15, 2017 beginning at 1:30 PM, in Hearing Room A of the Public Utilities Commission office building, 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island on pending motions filed in Docket No. SB-2015-06.** The hearing may continue thereafter from day to day and from time to time as required. At the conclusion of the hearing, the Board may rule on the motions heard. Oral public comment will not be heard at this hearing.

In an application filed with the Board on October 29, 2015, Invenergy Thermal Development LLC ("Invenergy") seeks the approval of the Board to site and construct the Clear River Energy Center, a combined-cycle electric generating facility of approximately 850 to 1000 MW, and associated facilities and structures, on Wallum Lake Road in Burrillville, RI. The plant is intended to fire natural gas as a primary fuel and ultra-low sulfur diesel fuel as a backup fuel. The facility's intended use and size meet the definition of a "major energy facility" pursuant to Rule 1.2(p).

On July 17, 2017, the Town of Burrillville filed a Motion to Dismiss the Application Due to Invenergy's Failure to Furnish Complete Plans as to All Structures. Invenergy filed an Objection to this Motion. On August 23, 2017, the Town of Burrillville filed a motion (1) to Strike Invenergy Thermal Development LLC's Objection to the Town of Burrillville's Data Request No. 33-1 (2) to Compel a Complete Data Response to the Town of Burrillville's Data Request No. 33-1, and (3) to Stay the Hearings Until All Water Issues are Resolved. The Board will hear oral argument on these motions and objections from the parties.

The application and docket materials are on file and available for public review at the offices of the Board at the Public Utilities Commission office building and at www.ripuc.org/efsb. The Public Utilities Commission office building is accessible to the handicapped. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Coordinator at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, 401-780-2106, at least 72 hours in advance of the hearing.

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Energy Facility Siting Board
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