

# NOTICE OF FILING

## **Joint Petition of Mid-Carolina Electric Cooperative, Inc. and Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. for the Reassignment of Territory in Lexington County, Exchange of Certain Customers, and Transfer of Assets, and Approval of Agreements to Limit Corridor Rights** Docket No. 2023-79-E

### **Why is this Notice Important?**

- Mid-Carolina Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Mid-Carolina Electric") and Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. ("DESC") (together, the "Joint Petitioners") filed a Joint Petition for reassignment of territory in and around the Harbor Watch Community and the Stucks Point Community in Lexington County, South Carolina with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission").

### **Why was the Joint Petition filed with the Commission?**

- The Joint Petitioners want to reassign territory, exchange customers, and transfer facilities in and around the Harbor Watch Community and the Stucks Point Community located alongside Lake Murray.
- The Joint Petitioners want to reduce the number of overhead distribution lines crossing Lake Murray.
- DESC seeks to eliminate three (3) existing underground lake crossings and two (2) overhead lake crossings.
- Mid-Carolina Electric could potentially eliminate seventeen (17) existing overhead lake crossings if the Joint Petition is approved.

### **What are the Joint Petitioners asking the Commission to approve?**

- The reassignment of territory, and the transfer of facilities and 284 customers from DESC to Mid-Carolina Electric in and around the Harbor Watch Community and the Stucks Point Community in Lexington County, South Carolina.
- Approval of the Agreement between the Joint Petitioners not to assert corridor rights outside the territory assigned to DESC and Mid-Carolina Electric as described in the Application.

The case was filed according to The Territorial Assignment Act, S.C. Code Ann. Sections 58-27-610 to -690.

**For the Company's complete proposal visit:** <https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Attachments/Matter/bf2fd908-bb19-46cb-a8ac-aab549e911e7>

**For the entire Case visit:** <https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/118507>

### **Who Can I Talk to About This Notice?**

<b>Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc.</b>	1-800-251-7234
<b>Office of Regulatory Staff</b>	803-737-5230 or 1-800-922-1531
<b>Department of Consumer Affairs</b>	803-734-4200 or 1-800-922-1594
<b>Public Service Commission</b>	803-896-5100

## **How Can I Participate in this Case?**

A customer may participate in the case by any one or both of the ways listed below.

### **Option A:** File a Letter of Protest by:

- Email [contact@psc.sc.gov](mailto:contact@psc.sc.gov); or
- Mail to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, SC 29210.

More information is available here: <https://psc.sc.gov/consumer-info/file-letter-protest>

### **Option B:**

File a Petition to Intervene. An Intervenor becomes a party in the case. Intervenors have the right to testify, cross-examine witnesses, appeal the Commission's Final Decision, and must follow the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. To intervene, you must:

- Email a Petition to Intervene to [contact@psc.sc.gov](mailto:contact@psc.sc.gov) no later than **Tuesday, June 6, 2023**; or
- Mail a Petition to Intervene to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, SC 29210 no later than **Tuesday, June 6, 2023**. Please include your email address.

**\*\***You must give a copy of your Petition to Intervene to all Parties in this case. Petitions to Intervene must meet the requirements of Commission Regulation 103-825 and must be approved by the Commission.

**In the above referenced case, if the proposed tariffs contain any request for a change of rates, the proposed rates may be changed by the Commission.**

Persons seeking further information about these procedures should contact the Commission at **803-896-5100** or visit its website at [www.psc.sc.gov](http://www.psc.sc.gov).

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