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Minnesota Public Utilities Commission  
121 7th Place East, Suite 350  
St. Paul, MN 55101-2147

RE: In the Matter of Updating the Generic Standards for the Interconnection and Operation of Distributed Generation Facilities Established under Minn. Stat. §216B.1611;  
Docket No. E-999/CI-16-521

Dear Commissioners:

Minnesota Municipal Utilities Association (MMUA) submits the following request in response to the Commission's February 14, 2017 Notice Soliciting Distributed Generation Workgroup Members in the above-referenced docket.

MMUA represents the interests of Minnesota's municipal electric, gas, and water utilities. Our mission is to unify, support and serve as a common voice for these utilities so they can in turn improve service to their customers and communities.

MMUA requests inclusion in the Commission's Distributed Generation Workgroup of its Director of Engineering and Policy Analysis Robert Jagusch ([rjagusch@mmua.org](mailto:rjagusch@mmua.org)) as a Participant and its Director of Government Relations Bill Black ([bblack@mmua.org](mailto:bblack@mmua.org)) as an Observer. As a Participant, MMUA agrees to the terms set out in the Notice, namely to:

1. Participate in the written comments round in advance of the first work group meeting;
2. Prepare for and attend the meetings and conference calls consistently throughout each phase;
3. Engage actively and respectfully in constructive dialogue during the issue discussions;
4. Review in a timely manner workgroup materials distributed by commission staff provided via work group listserv or e-dockets;
5. Develop, when invited, as an organization or a member of an ad hoc subgroup, presentations and/or subtopic materials for consideration by the workgroup at upcoming meetings; and,
6. Work toward agreement where possible and, where possible, clearly articulate differences.

Sincerely,

s/Bill Black

Bill Black  
Government Relations Director