



June 3, 2021

VIA E-File

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
400 North Street, Filing Room
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: PECO Energy Company Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan for 2019-2024 Submitted in Compliance with 52 Pa. Code §§ 54.74 and 62.4. Docket No. M-2018-3005795

Petition of PECO Energy Company to amend its Amended Proposed 2019-2024 Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan – filed July 8, 2020 Docket No. P-2020-3020727

Petition of PECO Energy Company to amend its Amended Proposed 2019-2024 Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan – filed September 25, 2020 Docket No. P-2020-3022154

Request for Extension of Comment Period

Dear Secretary Chiavetta,

On behalf of the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania (CAUSE-PA), we respectfully request that the period for comment in the above noted proceeding be extended for 20 days, to July 20, 2021.

Attorneys for CAUSE-PA have numerous conflicting deadlines during the existing 20-day comment period, which was recently extended by Secretarial Letter issued on May 25, 2021, to accommodate PECO's request to extend its deadline to file supplemental information to June 10, 2021, in response to the Commission's Tentative Order. While CAUSE-PA did not object to the additional time provided to PECO, the extension – as granted - pushes the stakeholder comment period to June 30, 2021, adding to a number of deadlines that fall on or around the same date.

CAUSE-PA is an active party in four base rate proceedings, including PECO Electric's pending case, each of which have direct testimony due on or around the deadline for comments in this proceeding. Testimony in the Columbia Gas proceeding is due on June 16, followed by PECO Electric on June 28, Duquesne on June 30, and PWSA on July 6, 2021. These conflicting deadlines will substantially inhibit our ability to fully review and provide comment in this critically important matter.

A brief extension of the stakeholder comment period would allow adequate time for review PECO's Plan, as further informed by the information PECO is required to file on June 10, and to prepare comments.

Counsel for the Office of Consumer Advocate and the Tenant Union Representative Network and Action Alliance of Senior Citizens of Greater Philadelphia have indicated to counsel for CAUSE-PA that they support our request for an extension of the comment period, and counsel for PECO has indicated that it does not object.

We are grateful to the Commission for its consideration of our request.

Respectfully Submitted,
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BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that I have this day served copies of the **Request for Extension of the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania (CAUSE-PA) to PECO Energy Company** upon the parties of record in the above captioned proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 and consistent with the Commission’s March 20 Emergency Order at Docket M-2020-3019262.

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