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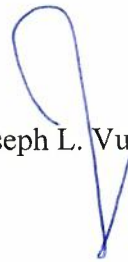
RE: PA Public Utility Commission v. National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation  
Docket No. R-2022-3035730

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Please accept for filing the Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force, Inc.'s Pre-Hearing Conference Memorandum in the above-referenced matter. A copy of this filing was served in accordance with the attached Certificate of Service.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph L. Vullo



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cc: All Parties of Record

**BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission     :  
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National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation    :

Docket No.    R-2022-3035730

**PENNSYLVANIA WEATHERIZATION PROVIDERS TASK’S  
PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE MEMORANDUM**

**I.     HISTORY**

The Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force, Inc. intervened in this matter by Petition to Intervene filed on December 1, 2022. The Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force, Inc. is a statewide association of thirty-seven (37) organizations providing utility assistance and energy conservation services in each of the Commonwealth’s sixty-seven (67) counties. Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force, Inc. has intervened in prior matters before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the purpose of addressing a company’s universal service programs and the effects of any requested rate increases, and rate design, on low-income customers. The Task Force, Inc. intervened in this particular matter to examine the effects of the proposed rate increase and rate design on low-income customers and to address whether the Company’s universal service programs will be appropriately funded and available as a result of this request. The Task Force, Inc. reserves the right to address other issues raised by the Company’s request.

**II.    ISSUES TO BE PRESENTED BY PENNSYLVANIA WEATHERIZATION  
PROVIDERS TASK FORCE, INC.**

1.     Whether the Company’s universal service programs are appropriately funded and available and whether those programs will remain appropriately funded and available if the request for a rate increase is granted.

2. The effect of any proposed rate increase and/or rate design on the residential customer class and particularly low-income, residential customers and their ability to conserve and lower their bills.

3. Such other additional issues as may arise during the discovery process.

**III. WITNESSES**

Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force, Inc. will present the testimony of Jennifer Warabak to address the issues above-described.

**IV. PROPOSED SCHEDULE**

Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force, Inc. will work with the other parties for an agreed upon schedule to be presented to the Administrative Law Judge.

**V. SETTLEMENT**

Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force, Inc. will be open to settlement discussions as this matter proceeds.

Respectfully submitted,

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 National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation :

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certified that he served a copy of the foregoing Pennsylvania Weatherization Providers Task Force Prehearing Memorandum upon the following participants this 12th day of December, 2022, via electronic mail:

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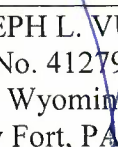
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