

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: A & R MARINE, CORP. D/B/A PRUDENCE & BAY ISLAND TRANSPORT
GENERAL RATE FILING – DOCKET NO. 4586

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws §39-3-11, the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) will hold hearings on the following dates and locations for the purpose of accepting public comments regarding A & R Marine Corporation's rate application on:

February 4, 2016 @ 11:00 A.M. The Farnham Farm: Hope Brown Center
113 Pleasant Avenue
Prudence Island, Rhode Island.

February 5, 2016 @ 10:00 A.M. Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, Rhode Island

The evidentiary hearing will continue on **May 10, 2016 @ 10:00 A.M.**, at the PU's office.

In this docket, the PUC will examine the propriety of a rate application filed by A&R Marine Corporation seeking approval of new rates and schedules designed to collect additional revenues of \$564,409. A&R Marine proposes an across-the-board increase on all rate classes and proposes to add new Prudence Island Resident discount rates. The impact for certain rate classes between Bristol and Prudence Island and between Bristol and Hog Island is as follows:

Rate Class	Current Rates	Proposed Rates	Dollar Increase/Decrease
Adult One Way	\$ 2.85	\$ 5.90	\$ 3.05
Adult Round Trip	\$ 5.70	\$11.80	\$ 6.10
Islander Adult One-Way	-	\$ 2.85	-
Children One Way	\$ 1.00	\$ 2.05	\$ 1.05
Bicycles	\$ 0.55	\$ 1.10	\$ 0.55
Cars, Pick-up Trucks, SUVs, Vans One-Way	\$15.50	\$32.85	\$17.35
Cars, Pick-up Trucks, SUVs, Vans Round-Trip	\$31.00	\$65.70	\$34.70
Islander Cars One-Way	-	\$15.50	-
Islander Cars Round-Trip	-	\$31.00	-
Islander Pick-up Trucks, SUVs, Vans One-Way	-	\$24.75	-
Islander Pick-up Trucks, SUVs, Vans Round-Trip	-	\$49.50	-

The PUC may approve different rates that may be higher or lower than those proposed by the Company.

The application is on file for examination at the PUC's office. The filing can also be accessed at www.ripuc.org/eventsactions/docket/4586page.html. Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the RI General Laws. These buildings are accessible to the handicapped. Individuals

requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Commission Clerk's office at 780-2107, seventy-two hours in advance of hearing date.

Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk

January 24, 2016