STATE OF RHODE ISLAND DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

IN RE: BLOCK ISLAND UTILITY DISTRICT - APPLICATION FOR BORROWING AUTHORITY - DOCKET NO. D-22-01

NOTICE OF FILING AND PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to the provisions of the R.I. Gen. Laws §§39-3-15 and 39-3-17, as amended, the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers (Division) will conduct a hearing on **Monday, February 14, 2022** @ **10:00 A.M.** in Hearing Room A of the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. The hearing may continue thereafter from day to day and from time to time as required.

In this docket, the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers will consider an application by Block Island Utility District seeking consent and authorization to incur \$1,800,000 in debt for the purposes of financing: (1) a system-wide voltage conversion (\$1,500,000), and (2) repayment of a line of credit (\$300,000).

The application and related documents are on file at the office of the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers, 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, RI 02888 and at the office of McElroy & Donaldson, 21 Dryden Lane, Providence, Rhode Island and may be examined there.

The application and related documents are available for examination at the Division's office, 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island. The application can be accessed at http://www.ripuc.ri.gov/eventsactions/docket/D_22_01_Page.html. Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the R.I. General Laws.

The Division of Public Utilities and Carriers is accessible to the handicapped. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Clerk's Office at 780-2107, seventy-two hours in advance of hearing date.

Linda George, Administrator February 4, 2022