

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS**

IN RE: CITY OF NEWPORT WATER DIVISION APPLICATION FOR BORROWING  
AUTHORITY - DOCKET NO. D-22-14

**NOTICE OF FILING AND PUBLIC HEARING**

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rhode Island Gen. Laws §39-3-15 et seq., the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers (Division) will conduct a public hearing on **Tuesday, October 25, 2022 at 2:00 P.M.** in Hearing Room B of the Division of Public Utilities and Carriers, located at 89 Jefferson Boulevard, Warwick, Rhode Island.

At this hearing, the Division will consider the propriety of an application by the City of Newport, Utilities Department, Water Division (Newport Water) for approval to obtain financing, payable more than twelve (12) months from the date of issue, in an amount not to exceed three million three hundred and five thousand dollars (\$3,305,000) from the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank's Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. The proceeds will be used to finance distribution system improvements, and the borrowing will be secured by a pledge of Newport Water's revenues.

The application is on file for examination at the Division's office. The application can also be accessed at <https://ripuc.ri.gov/node/15551>. Reference is made to Chapters 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35 of the RI 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  
October 17, 2022