







# 2024 Climate Act Proposed Regulations Hearings

The Massachusetts Energy Facilities Siting Board (EFSB), Department of Energy Resources (DOER), Department of Public Utilities (DPU), Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (EEA), and EEA Office of Environmental Justice and Equity (OEJE) invite you to attend information sessions and public comment hearings (with in-person and remote participation options) to learn about regulations proposed to implement the **siting and permitting changes required by the 2024 Climate Act** for energy facilities and, in the case of the hearings, to provide oral comments regarding the proposed regulations.

DOER will conduct four hybrid informational sessions before a virtual public comment hearing:

#### **DOER Informational Session 1**

Monday October 6, 6:00 p.m.

**Location:** Massachusetts Maritime Academy, 20 Tower Lane, Buzzards Bay (Maritime

Conference Center), MA 02532

#### **DOER Informational Session 2**

Tuesday October 7, 6:00 p.m.

**Location:** Essex North Shore Agricultural Technical School, 562 Maple St, Danvers (Larkin Center), MA 01923

# **DOER Informational Session 3**

Wednesday October 8, 6:00 p.m.

**Location:** Fitchburg State University, 160 Pearl St, Fitchburg, (Ellis White Hall, Hammond

Building), MA 01420

#### **DOER Informational Session 4**

Thursday, October 9, 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** UMass Amherst Olver Design Building, Room 170, 551 N Pleasant Street,

Amherst MA 01003

**Remote attendees** can register by using this link: <a href="mailto:zoomgov.com/webinar/register/">zoomgov.com/webinar/register/</a> WN\_8vW1ZDkNRoi87dIeYKhczg

# **DOER Virtual Public Comment Hearing**

Wednesday October 15, 7:00 p.m.

Attendees can register by using this link:

zoom.us/webinar/register/

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EFSB and DPU will conduct four hybrid remote and in-person public comment hearings:

# EFSB/DPU Public Comment Hearing 1

Monday, October 27, 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. **Location:** Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School, 1121 Ashley Blvd, NewBedford, MA 02745, Auditorium

## EFSB/DPU Public Comment Hearing 2

Wednesday, October 29, 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. **Location:** Berkshire Innovation Center, 45WoodlawnAve, Pittsfield, MA 01201

### EFSB/DPU Public Comment Hearing 3

Monday, November 3, 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. **Location:** One South Station, Boston, MA 02110, 3rdfloor, Large Hearing Room

## EFSB/DPU Public Comment Hearing 4

Wednesday, November 5, 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Location: North Shore Community College, 300Broad St, Lynn, MA 01901, Cafeteria

**Remote attendees** can register by using this link: <u>zoomgov.com/j/1612425626</u>. For audio-only participation, dial-in at (646) 558-8656 (not toll-free) and enter the Webinar ID: **161 242 5626** 

Note: There will be an opportunity to comment on all proposed regulations issued by the EFSB and DPU at the hearings listed above. Public Comment Hearing 3 will focus on the Intervenor Support Grant Program regulation and guidance document.