



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

ORDER OF NOTICE

D.P.U. 17-46

June 8, 2017

Petition of the Town of New Ashford for approval by the Department of Public Utilities of a municipal aggregation plan pursuant to G.L. c. 164, §134.

The Town of New Ashford ("Town") shall, no later than June 15, 2017, publish the attached Notice of Filing and Public Hearing ("Notice") in: (1) either The Boston Globe or The Boston Herald; and (2) The Berkshire Eagle. In addition, no later than June 13, 2017, the Town shall serve a copy of the attached Notice of Filing and Public Hearing on the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources and Western Massachusetts Electric Company, d/b/a Eversource Energy. Finally, the Town shall from three days following the receipt of the Notice from the Department through the end of the comment period, July 13, 2017: (1) post a copy of the attached Notice in a conspicuous location in New Ashford Town Hall; and (2) prominently display the attached Notice on the Town's website.

The Town is directed to make proof of publication and return of service at the time of the public hearing.

By Order of the Department,

/s/

Mark D. Marini, Secretary