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## Statement of Position Submitted

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**Docket**

E-7 Sub 1155

**Message**

Please expand the Residential New Construction Program to Duke Energy Carolinas. This program incentivizes builders to build new homes utilizing energy efficiency building practices that provide consumers homes that are energy efficient, more comfortable, and less expensive to operate than standard code-built homes. This will help North Carolina continue to lead the country in energy efficiency.

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**From:** smtprelay  
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**Subject:** Statement of Position Submitted by Jamie Hager

## Statement of Position Submitted

### Name

Jamie Hager

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### Docket

E-7, Sub 1155

### Message

Dear Chief Clerk, As an industry professional and Duke Energy rate payer, I am writing in support of the Residential New Construction (RNC) Program to the Duke Energy Carolinas territories, and request that the Commission reject Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's motion to withdraw its application as referenced in Docket No. E-7, Sub 1155. Expanding the RNC Program to all of the Duke Energy Carolinas territories will not only have a major impact on new construction in these areas and save future ratepayers money, it also supports local businesses and subtrades such as ours that provide energy efficient products and services. As a Home Energy Rater providing verification services for the Duke Energy Progress (DEP) RNC Program, I see first hand every day the impact of this program on the decisions builders are able to make that increase the energy efficiency of their homes. It is the most powerful driver we have at this time to get builders to build energy efficient homes. The main upgrades that enables builders to qualify for the DEP RNC Program are added insulation, air sealing of the building envelope, better windows, LED lighting, and then finally increased efficiencies for HVAC equipment. Builders are not penalized for using gas heating or water heating, and in fact most of our builders in the HERO program continue to use gas for both of these applications. Therefore the gas utilities commission fears of "potential unintended consequences" are simply unfounded. Please deny Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's motion to withdraw it's application and instead approve expansion of this very successful program. Thank you for your time, Jamie Hager Green Building Specialist Southern Energy Management T: 919.538.8700 southern-energy.com 5908 Triangle Dr., Raleigh NC 27617

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