## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION RALEIGH

DOCKET NO. E-2, SUB 1190 DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1185 DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 90

## BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of Application by Duke Energy Progress, LLC, for Approval of Renewable Advantage Rider	) ) ) )
DOCKET NO. E-7, SUB 1185 In the Matter of Application by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, for Approval of Renewable Advantage Rider	) ) ) ORDER APPROVING NOTICE ) TO CUSTOMERS OF CHANGES ) IN NC GREENPOWER ) PROGRAMS
DOCKET NO. E-100, SUB 90 In the Matter of	) )
Investigation of Voluntary Green and Public Benefit Check-Off Programs –	)
NC GreenPower	, )

BY THE CHAIR: On October 15, 2019, the Commission issued an Order in Docket Nos. E-2, Sub 1190; E-7, Sub 1185; and E-100, Sub 90 that approved a new tariff for Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC), and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (DEP), called the Renewable Advantage Program Rider (Renewable Advantage Tariff), as well as proposed changes to the NC GreenPower (NCGP) program tariffs (NCGP Tariff). The Renewable Advantage Tariff is a voluntary program that will allow residential and small business customers to purchase renewable energy credits (RECs) to offset all or a portion of their electrical consumption. The NCGP Tariff will no longer offer RECs on a mass market basis and instead, will use all funds to install solar generation at schools throughout North Carolina. The NCGP Tariff changes coincide with the introduction of Dukes' Renewable Advantage Tariff.

On November 14, 2019, DEC and DEP, in coordination with the Public Staff and NCGP, filed a proposed NC GreenPower Program Change Notice which they intend to submit to NCGP tariff participants by letter and email in January 2020.

The Chair has reviewed the proposed NC GreenPower Program Change Notice and finds good cause to approve it in the form attached hereto as Appendix A.

IT IS, THEREFORE, SO ORDERED.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2019.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

Kimberley A. Campbell, Chief Clerk

## NC GreenPower Program Change

## 100% of your funds support the installation of solar power at schools

Thank you for participating in the development of renewable energy through your monthly contribution to NC GreenPower. You can feel proud that you're taking an active role in improving the North Carolina environment now and for years to come.

Currently, a portion of your current NC GreenPower contribution supports the production of renewable energy and grants for educational solar PV installations at North Carolina K-12 schools.

We are pleased to announce a change in how this NC GreenPower program works, effective Jan. 1, 2020. NC GreenPower recently received North Carolina Utilities Commission approval to use 100% of NC GreenPower renewable energy contributions (from individuals and small businesses) for solar installations at North Carolina K-12 schools. This program modification is NC GreenPower's increased commitment to North Carolina schools and the preservation of the local environment.

The NC GreenPower program will continue uninterrupted, and this shift does not change your current contribution level. Also, this change does not affect any other NC GreenPower programs in which you may participate.

Visit the website to learn more about the NC GreenPower Solar Schools grant program.

Regards,

Duke Energy NC GreenPower Program Team Distributed Energy Technology

Duke Energy does not profit from NC GreenPower. One-hundred percent of the funds collected are transferred to NC GreenPower, which supports local renewable energy, the purchase of carbon offsets, and solar school projects in North Carolina.