

Report on Municipal Load Aggregation and Renewable Resource Development Request for Stakeholder Feedback

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The Climate and Equitable Jobs Act (Public Act 102-0662) requires the Illinois Power Agency to publish a report by June 1, 2023, assessing how municipal electrical load aggregation can support the achievement of Illinois' renewable energy goals. Section 1-92 of the Illinois Power Agency Act allows for the aggregation of electric load by municipalities and counties, and hundreds of communities across Illinois have active municipal aggregation programs.

The IPA is seeking stakeholder feedback on a draft of the Report on <u>Municipal Load Aggregation and</u> <u>Renewable Resource Development</u>, in particular the recommendations outlined in the report, as well as feedback on municipal aggregation programs in other states that might inform policy choices in Illinois.

Stakeholders who wish to comment on the draft report should provide comments by email to <u>IPA.Contactus@illinois.gov</u> by **May 10, 2023**. The final report will be published on June 1, 2023. Responses will generally be made public and will be published on the Agency's website. However, should a commenter seek to designate any portion of its response as confidential, that commenter should provide both public and redacted versions and the Agency will only post the redacted version. Independent of that designation, if the IPA determines that a response contains confidential information that should not be disclosed in connection with a competitive procurement event, it reserves the right to provide its own redactions.