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Subject: Discussion Session for Municipalities in July

Municipalities are invited to participate in the IESO's next Long-Term RFP Community Engagement virtual discussion session on July 14 at 2:00 pm. The session will continue the dialogue that began earlier this year to engage with municipalities in the development of a process to procure new supply to meet Ontario's future electricity needs.

Register for this July 14 engagement session in two parts:

Register for Part I to receive an update on the Long-Term Procurement Design (2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.)

Register for Part II to join a targeted discussion with municipalities (2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.)

(A separate, targeted discussion will also be held with Indigenous Communities.)

More details about the session will follow shortly including how municipalities can provide input into the procurement design and how best to prepare for next steps. Additional information can be found on the Long-Term RFP community engagement webpage.

Municipalities are integral to the success of the long-term procurement process. Thank you to everyone that joined one of the first information sessions held in April 2022. We appreciate the feedback provided. This information helps to inform the procurement design and complementary outreach and engagement activities. Your feedback along with the IESO's response is posted on the dedicated <u>community engagement webpage.</u>

For your additional information, the IESO recently released the Long-Term Request for Qualification (LT1 RFQ) intended to qualify applicants for the first Long-Term RFP (LT1 RFP) and the Expedited Process. This document is now available on the IESO's <u>website</u>. Further details about the RFQ will be provided during the July 14 community engagement session. The LT1 RFQ submission deadline is July 30, 2022.

The IESO is committed to providing up-to-date, targeted information as they relate to the specific needs of Ontario communities. As part of this effort, we have updated the <u>Q&A</u> document to reflect the common themes from your questions received so far.

We look forward to continuing the dialogue at the next webinar on July 14. Please reach out with any questions that you may have about this initiative.

Thanks, Sari Gerwitz Community Engagement IESO