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**Report of Virginia Electric and Power Company
on the Status of the Virginia Community Solar Pilot Program**

Dear Laura Wilborn:

Pursuant to § 56-585.1:3 F of the Code of Virginia, and the State Corporation Commission of Virginia's September 11, 2018, Final Order in Case No. PUR-2018-00009, *Application of Virginia Electric and Power Company For approval to establish a Virginia community solar pilot program, pursuant to § 56-585.1:3 of the Code of Virginia*, enclosed please find the report on the status of the Virginia Community Solar Pilot Program from Virginia Electric and Power Company d/b/a Dominion Energy Virginia.

Pursuant to the requirements of § 56-585.1:3 F of the Code of Virginia, this report also is being distributed under separate cover to the Governor, the Virginia State Corporation Commission, and the Chairpersons of the Senate Commerce and Labor Committee and the House Commerce and Energy Committee.

Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

/s/ David J. DePippo

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Enclosure

**Report of
Virginia Electric and Power Company
d/b/a Dominion Energy Virginia
on the Status of a Pilot Program for
Virginia Community Solar**

**Submitted to the Governor,
Chair of the House Committee on Commerce and Energy,
Chair of the Senate Committee on Commerce and Labor,
and the State Corporation Commission of Virginia**

Case No. PUR-2018-00009

July 1, 2022

Program Status

On September 11, 2018, the State Corporation Commission (“Commission”) issued a Final Order approving Dominion Energy Virginia’s (“Company”) application for the Virginia Community Solar Pilot Program (“Pilot Program”). The Pilot Program provides an opportunity for eligible customers to purchase renewable energy from small scale projects.

At the time of the application to the Commission, the Company submitted a portfolio of potential solar facilities that met the Pilot Program’s requirements, which the Commission approved. As selected projects moved through the development process, only one project was deemed viable and resulted in a signed power purchase agreement. Rappahannock Solar, in Whitestone, Virginia, was energized in November 2021. Three additional solicitations have been issued but a second project has not been selected.

Customer Engagement

The Final Order required the Company to make subscriptions available to customers by March 11, 2019. Because a solar site was not energized at that time, the Company began a pre-enrollment list on the Pilot Program’s webpage to capture customer interest. When the Pilot Program went live on May 1, 2022, 8,257 customers were on the pre-enrollment list.

The Company emailed all pre-enrolled customers to notify them that enrollment was open. In addition to the pre-enrolled customers, any eligible customer was able to enroll through the Company’s billing portal as of May 1, 2022.

As of June 23, 2022, 171 customers have enrolled in the Pilot Program. With 171 enrolled customers, the Pilot Program has reached 81% of its enrollment capacity. Of these, 138 customers elected to enroll in the 100% match option and 33 customers selected the block

option. To align the usage of our 100% match customers with our Pilot Program capacity limitations, the Company developed a forecasting tool. The tool evaluates the customer's historical usage, while also accounting for natural fluctuations such as changes in weather and usage habits. Using the tool, the Company will continue to enroll customers up to the capacity limitations and is evaluating opportunities to expand the Pilot Program.