

December 15, 2023

Holly Anderson, Clerk  
Public Service Commission  
116 State St  
Montpelier, VT 05620  
Re:22-2954-PET

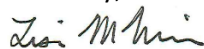
Dear Ms. Anderson,

Vermont Electric Cooperative (VEC) supports Efficiency Vermont's request to continue funding Act 151 programs in 2024. These programs have made important progress in furthering Vermont's carbon reduction goals, particularly in enabling heat pump installations for low-income Vermonters.

Efficiency Vermont partnered with utilities to offer a free heat pump to people who had previously received services through the Weatherization Assistance Program. This partnership has resulted in hundreds in free heat pump installations for Vermonters with incomes below 80 percent of area median income and in weatherized homes, which is a best practice. About thirty VEC members are currently waitlisted for this program, and we would like to have the opportunity to continue this work in partnership with Efficiency Vermont in 2024.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



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