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Executive Secretary  
Iowa Utilities Board  
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RE: NOI-2014-0001: Notice of Interstate Power and Light Company Collaborative Meeting

Dear Executive Secretary:

Pursuant to the Iowa Utilities Board's Order Regarding Policy Statement, Rate Design Presentations, and Net-Metering Generation Pilots on October 30, 2015 (October 30<sup>th</sup> Order), Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL) developed preliminary pilot plans addressing net metering, expansion of renewable distributed generation (DG), and community solar in Iowa. IPL submitted those preliminary plans to the Board on March 28, 2016.

As discussed in IPL's March 28<sup>th</sup> filing and consistent with the Board's October 30<sup>th</sup> Order, IPL will collaborate with participants in this docket to further refine the pilot proposals. To that end, IPL will be hosting an in-person meeting for all DG Notice of Inquiry participants to review and provide feedback on the preliminary pilot plans.

This initial collaborative meeting will be held at the Double Tree by Hilton Hotel Cedar Rapids Convention Complex on Thursday, June 16, 2016. The Convention Complex is located at 350 First Avenue NE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Parking is available at the adjacent Convention Center ramp. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. and conclude at 3:00 p.m. with a break for lunch. IPL will provide participants with a list of lunch options in the vicinity of the Convention Complex.

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The collaborative meeting will have three topics to encourage conversation and innovation:

- 1) background information on IPL's grid operations, system resource planning and rate making principles;
- 2) detailed descriptions of IPL's preliminary pilot designs for the Community Solar pilot and Residential/General Service and Large General Service Customer-Owned Renewables Rate Design pilots; and
- 3) a small group breakout session to gather participant input.

IPL looks forward to a productive first meeting with DG Notice of Inquiry participants. IPL requests the courtesy of an RSVP so that it can ensure that the meeting room will comfortably accommodate all those interested in attending. Please direct meeting RSVPs or questions regarding the June 16<sup>th</sup> collaborative meeting to Kari Gehrke at (319) 786-4326 or [KariGehrke@alliantenergy.com](mailto:KariGehrke@alliantenergy.com).

Sincerely,

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