



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
**OFFICE OF  
ENERGY RESOURCES**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT AND PUBLIC HEARING**

***PROPOSED OFFICE OF ENERGY RESOURCES TANGIBLE TAX VALUE FOR  
COMMERCIAL RENEWABLE ENERGY SYSTEMS***

The Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources (OER) proposes the Commercial Tangible Tax Value for Commercial Renewable Energy Systems Rules and Regulations (Rules and Regulations) and gives notice of intent to hold a public hearing to receive public comment on the proposed Rules and Regulations and to afford interested parties an opportunity to submit data, views, or arguments orally and/or in writing on the proposed Rules and Regulations.

The public hearing will be held on **October 26, 2016 at 3 p.m.** in Conference Room B, Second Floor of the Powers Building, One Capitol Hill, Providence Rhode Island. The hearing room is accessible to the handicapped. The Department of Administration will provide interpreter services for the hearing impaired, provided such a request is made at least three (3) business days prior to the hearing date. Requests for such services may be made in writing or by calling TTY (711) or (401) 222-5300.

Copies of the proposed Rules and Regulations can be obtained at [www.energy.ri.gov](http://www.energy.ri.gov) or by contacting Christopher Kearns at [christopher.kearns@energy.ri.gov](mailto:christopher.kearns@energy.ri.gov) or by calling (401) 574-9113 weekdays from 8:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., or by writing to:

Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources  
One Capitol Hill, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Providence, Rhode Island 02908

Written comments may be submitted by mail prior to the date of the public hearing at the address indicated above or by hand-delivery during the public hearing. The public record will be kept open for ten (10) calendar days following the conclusion of the public hearing to allow additional time for the submission of written comments.

Signed this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 2016.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Carol Grant". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal line extending from the end.

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Carol Grant, Commissioner  
Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources