

Notice of Proposed Innovative Rate and Service

Pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 218d(o) and the Vermont Public Utility Commission's (PUC's) *Standard and Procedures for Innovative Rates and Services Offered by Municipal and Cooperative Electric Utilities* dated January 20, 2022, the Jacksonville Electric Company (Jacksonville) is filing with the PUC and the Vermont Department of Public Service (DPS) written notice of its *SmartHours Program* effective October 1, 2025 on a pilot basis for up to eighteen (18) months. The *SmartHours Program* involves electric vehicle (EV) tariff riders to Jacksonville's existing base residential and small commercial rates. The EV tariff riders provide market-informed incremental rates for EV loads and on-peak or off-peak adders. The *SmartHours Program* is designed to provide strong, market driven price signals that will encourage eligible participants in the EV rates to avoid or minimize EV charging during periods when power is more expensive, thus reducing participants' energy costs as well as costs borne by Jacksonville. Participation in the *SmartHours Program* is available on an opt-in basis to no more than five (5) Jacksonville residential or commercial customers owning approved EVs that authorize the sharing of EV related load usage data. Unless an objection to the *SmartHours Program* is filed with the PUC within 45 days following this notice or the PUC orders an investigation on its own motion, Jacksonville may commence offering the program to its customers. For more information on the *SmartHours Program*, please visit Vermont Public Power Supply Authority's website at <https://www.vppsa.com/smarthours>.