

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**IN RE: NARRAGANSETT BAY COMMISSION : DOCKET 25-32-WW**  
**BASE RATE FILING :**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT AND EVIDENTIARY HEARING**

Pursuant to the provisions of R.I. Gen. Laws §39-3-11, as amended, the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) will conduct a hearing on **Tuesday, June 23, 2026 starting at 9:30 A.M.** at the Public Utilities Commission, Hearing Room A, 89 Jefferson Blvd. Warwick, RI. Prior to the start of the evidentiary hearing, the PUC will take public comment from interested members of the public on the requests to increase rates made by The Narragansett Bay Commission. The hearing will be live-streamed and recorded at <https://video.ibm.com/channel/WqQyXw296dg>.

On October 17, 2025, NBC filed an application for a general rate increase with the PUC (Docket 25-32-WW) to change its rates primarily to cover increased operation and maintenance expenses. The new rates, as proposed, are designed to generate additional revenues in the amount of \$14,102,824 to support a total revenue requirement of \$141,499,731 for NBC. The impact of the proposal will be an across-the-board increase of 11.35% on all residential and non-residential rates. For an average residential customer, using 135 gallons per day (5.5 Hundred Cubic Feet (HCF) of water per month), the request will result in an increase of \$66.84 in their annual bill from \$588.96 to \$655.80. The impact of the rate increase on all other customers will vary depending upon the customer's classification and consumption. This proposed total revenue requirement in Docket 25-32-WW includes the \$5,065,959 revenue increase approved by the PUC on February 2, 2026 in Docket 25-40-WW. NBC has requested that the proposed new rates become effective on July 1, 2026.

People interested in providing written public comments regarding NBC'S proposal may submit them by 4:00 P.M. on June 22, 2026 to Stephanie De La Rosa, Commission Clerk, Public Utilities Commission, 89 Jefferson Blvd., Warwick, R.I. 02888 or by email to [stephanie.delarosa@puc.ri.gov](mailto:stephanie.delarosa@puc.ri.gov).

The Narragansett Bay Commission's proposal may be examined at the PUC's office and can also be accessed on the PUC's website at <https://ripuc.ri.gov/Docket-25-32-WW>. Reference is made to R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 39-1, 39-3 and 42-35.

The Public Utilities Commission Building is accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Commission Clerk's office at 780-2107, seventy-two hours in advance of hearing date.

Stephanie De La Rosa, Commission Clerk  
June 12, 2026