



## **ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 3E**

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### **Resolution Regarding PSC Formal Case No. 1139, Application for Pepco Rate Increase**

**WHEREAS**, the Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia (“Commission”) will make a decision this year on Formal Case No. 1139, the Potomac Electric Power Company’s (“Pepco”) application to increase its distribution rates by over \$76 million.

**WHEREAS**, this is the largest increase Pepco has sought in at least 30 years, and the increase Pepco seeks comes soon after a merger which it justified in substantial part on supposed cost savings to consumers,

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the People's Counsel (“OPC”) has advised ANC 3E regarding their position and the background of the rate case,

**WHEREAS**, Pepco seeks a 10.6% return on equity for shareholders,

**WHEREAS**, OPC asserts that the rate of return Pepco seeks is excessive and not supported by current market conditions,

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, ANC 3E support’s OPC’s request to the Commission to reduce the rate increase sought by Pepco.

The resolution passed by a vote of 4-0-0 at a properly noticed meeting held on April 13, 2017, at which a quorum was present, with Commissioners Bender, McHugh, Quinn, and Wallace in attendance.

ANC 3E

By Jonathan Bender, Chairperson