

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF	)	
KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY FOR	)	
AUTHORIZATION OF CHANGES IN	)	CASE NO. 2026-00140
SERVICE TERRITORY WITH BLUE GRASS	)	
ENERGY COOPERATIVE CORPORATION	)	

RESPONSE OF
KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY AND
BLUE GRASS ENERGY COOPERATIVE CORPORATION
TO
THE COMMISSION STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

DATED AUGUST 13, 2026

FILED: AUGUST 24, 2026

VERIFICATION

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY)

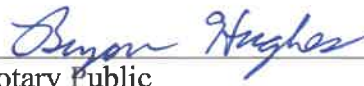
COUNTY OF MADISON)

The undersigned, **Seth Hendrix**, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Senior Manager – Operations Center for Kentucky Utilities Company and an employee of LG&E and KU Services Company, that he has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the response for which he is identified as the witness, and the answer contained therein is true and correct to the best of his information, knowledge and belief.



Seth Hendrix

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and before said County and State, this 18th day of August 2026.



Notary Public

Notary Public ID No. KYNP55343

My Commission Expires:

8-7-2030

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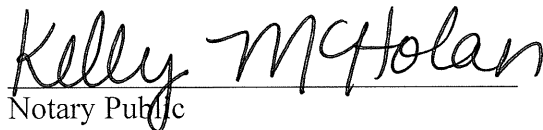
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY)

COUNTY OF JESSAMINE)

The undersigned, **Connor Hernandez**, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Supervisor, Engineering for Blue Grass Energy, that he has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the responses for which he is identified as the witness, and the answers contained therein are true and correct to the best of his information, knowledge and belief.


Connor Hernandez

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and before said County and State, this 18th day of August 2026.


Notary Public

Notary Public ID No. KYNP84720

My Commission Expires:

1/26/2026

**KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY AND
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**Response to the Commission Staff's Second Request for Information
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Question No. 1

Responding Witness: Seth Hendrix (KU) / Connor Hernandez (Blue Grass Energy)

Q-1. For each parcel:

- a. Provide the cost for each current utility to service its parcel. Include in the response a breakdown of the cost(s) as well as any estimates or work papers, in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, columns, and rows unprotected and fully accessible.
- b. Provide the estimated cost for each utility to serve the proposed service parcel. Include in the response a breakdown of the cost(s), as well as any estimates or workpapers, in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, columns, and rows unprotected and fully accessible.

A-1. **KU**

- a. KU currently only provides electric service to parcel 256-00-011.000. This is a secondary service for a house and a barn. Using today's costs, the cost to provide electrical service is approximately \$8,132. See attachment 1 being provided in a separate file.
- b. See attachment 2 being provided in a separate file. KU's cost to provide electrical service is approximately \$33,275. Besides the higher costs (compared to Blue Grass Energy) to serve parcel 257-00-006.000, KU also could not obtain easement access to provide service.

Blue Grass Energy

- a. Blue Grass Energy currently provides electric service to parcels: 257-00-006.001, 256-00-009.000, 256-00-014.000, 256-00-015.000 and 257-00-001.000. Using today's costs, the cost to provide electrical service is approximately \$34,900. See attachment 3 being provided in a separate file. Said file includes estimated costs to serve these existing members.
- b. Blue Grass Energy has existing distribution facilities immediately adjacent to the western portion of the parcel. Under the proposed territorial realignment,

Blue Grass Energy would extend service from its existing facilities to provide permanent residential electric service to the member. Blue Grass Energy's estimated total construction cost to provide service is \$28,236.88. Pursuant to Blue Grass Energy's line extension tariff, the member's estimated contribution for the portion of the extension exceeding 1,000 feet is \$8,587.00. See attachment 4 being provided in a separate file.

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Question No. 2

Responding Witness: Connor Hernandez (Blue Grass Energy)

- Q-2. Confirm that the homeowner with the self-served solar system will be fully electric receiving service as a residential customer or will an interconnection survey¹ be conducted. If not confirmed, explain the response.
- A-2. Blue Grass Energy has not yet confirmed whether the homeowner intends to interconnect the existing solar system with Blue Grass Energy's electric system. If the homeowner elects to interconnect the solar system, Blue Grass Energy will require the member to complete the applicable interconnection and net-metering review requirements prior to interconnection.

¹ For service as a net-metering customer.

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Question No. 3

Responding Witness: Seth Hendrix (KU) / Connor Hernandez (Blue Grass Energy)

- Q-3. Describe how each parcel is zoned, by parcel, and identify the entity that has the zoning authority.
- A-3. Every parcel is zoned A-1 (Agricultural, farming, low-density rural housing), with zoning administered by the Georgetown-Scott County Planning Commission.

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Question No. 4

Responding Witness: Seth Hendrix (KU) / Connor Hernandez (Blue Grass Energy)

Q-4. Describe the type of customers or proposed customers for each parcel. Include in the response the corresponding parcel the customer is located as well as the class of service the customer receives or may receive service under.

A-4. As noted in response to Question No. 3, all parcels are zoned A-1.

KU

Existing Customer

Parcel 256-00-011.000 KU RS-Residential Service rate for a home and GS-General Service rate for a barn

Blue Grass Energy

Existing Members

Parcels 257-00-006.001, 256-00-009.000, 256-00-014.000, 256-00-015.000, 257-00-001.000 are all on the Blue Grass Energy GS-1 (Residential and Farm) rate schedule.

Proposed Member

The proposed member located on parcel No. 257-00-006.000 will also be a residential member and will receive service under Blue Grass Energy GS-1 (Residential and Farm) rate schedule.