Authority Mission Statement and Performance Measures

Name of Public Authority:  NIAGARA POWER COALITION, INC.
MISSION STATEMENT:

The Niagara Power Coalition, Inc. represents the interests of its members, Niagara County, the City of Niagara Falls, the Town of Lewiston, the Town of Niagara, the City of Niagara Falls School District, the Lewiston-Porter Central School District and the Niagara Wheatfield Central School District, in matters relating to the New York Power Authority’s Niagara Power Project. In the relicensing process for the Project, the Coalition was instrumental in obtaining benefits for its members and their constituents in the form of allocations of low-cost electric power and funding, as embodied in the 2005 Host Community Relicensing Settlement Agreement. The seven members of the Coalition, together with the Power Authority, comprise the Host Communities Standing Committee which, over the 50-year term of the renewed license for the Project, are responsible for administering and allocating the Greenway Recreation/Tourism Fund consisting of $3 million provided annually by the Power Authority to support the construction and/or rehabilitation of parks, recreation and related facilities for the purpose of redefining the Niagara riverfront, promoting tourism, enhancing the environment, and advancing the economic revitalization of the Niagara River Greenway within Niagara County. The Coalition provides administrative support for the Standing Committee, serves as a forum for the non-Power Authority members of the Standing Committee to address common issues pertaining to the Greenway Fund, and follows current developments regarding the Power Authority and the Niagara Power Project that may affect the Coalition’s members and their constituents.

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