June 28, 2022

John Hollman Tim Anderson
Clerk of the House Secretary of the Senate

Room 300 State House Room 401 Capitol Building
Springfield, IL 62706 Springfield, IL 62706

Re: Illinois Power Agency FY2022 Minority Outreach Report

Dear Clerk Hollman and Secretary Anderson:

Pursuant to Section 1-127(d) of the Illinois Power Agency Act (20 ILCS 3855), the Illinois Power Agency (IPA or Agency) hereby submits its FY2022 Minority Outreach Report.

The IPA issued one solicitation for Professional Services during Fiscal Year 2022, and the awarded proposal includes multiple BEP subcontractors. The IPA is strongly committed to conducting outreach to eligible minority owned, female owned, and persons with disabilities owned businesses for the Agency’s procurement of consulting services, the purchase of goods and services, and other contracting needs.

Among the IPA’s objectives for the next fiscal year and beyond is to increase, where possible, access to economic opportunities for business enterprises owned by minorities, women, persons with disabilities, and U.S. military veterans—specifically by advertising as needed in periodicals, newspapers, mailings, and using other forms of media.

If you have any questions or need clarification of any information included in this report, please contact me at 312-814-8106.

Sincerely,

Anthony M. Star

Director, Illinois Power Agency

cc: Sharon A. Johnson, DE&I Manager, Illinois Power Agency

 Brian Granahan, Chief Legal Officer, Illinois Power Agency