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**WMGLD Celebrates its Status as a Smart Energy Provider (SEP)
during SEP Week, February 14 through 18**

(Wakefield, MA) - The Wakefield Municipal Gas & Light Department will celebrate its status as a Smart Energy Provider (SEP) during the week of February 14 through 18, 2022. The WMGLD is one of less than 100 of the 2,000-plus public power utilities in the country that have been awarded the prestigious SEP designation by the American Public Power Association (APPA).

The Smart Energy Provider (SEP) program recognizes utilities for demonstrating commitment to and accomplishment in smart energy program planning, energy efficiency and distributed energy resources, environmental and sustainability programs, and communication and customer experience. During SEP Week, designated utilities shine a light on the “smart” programs that have earned them the two-year designation, according to APPA.

“The WMGLD is committed to providing opportunities for our customers to save money, reduce our collective environmental impact, and support our community’s responsible energy use while providing safe, reliable, low-cost, and sustainable electric service,” WMGLD General Manager Pete Dion said. “During the past decade, the WMGLD has made substantial progress in supporting these goals through the implementation of programs like Connected Homes, Green Choice, the expanding home energy efficiency and appliance rebate and incentive programs, and the embracing of programs such as the Sense Monitoring program.”

“To be recognized as one of less than five percent of more than 2,000 other public power utilities nationwide is something to celebrate. SEP Week provides us with one more opportunity to showcase the opportunities that are available to WMGLD customers.”

For more information about the WMGLD and its smart energy commitment, visit the website www.wmgld.com.