# Ohio | Public Utilities Commission

#### Competitive Retail Electric Service (CRES) **Provider Application**

Case Number: 15 - 0305 -EL- AGG

Please complete all information. Identify all attachments with a label and title (example: Exhibit C-2 Financial Statements). For paper filing, you can mail the original and two complete copies to the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, Docketing Division, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793.

#### A.

Application I	nformation				
A-1. Provider Type.  Select the competitive retail electric service (CRES) provider type(s) for which the applicant is seeking certification. Please note you can select more than one.					
Aggregator	Power Broker	Power Marketer	Retail Electric Generation Provider		
	X				
A-2. Applicant's le	egal name and contact information	on.			
Provide the nam	ne and contact information of the	business entity.			
Legal Name:	Destination Energy, LLC				
Street Address:	309 N. Oak Street				
City:	Roanoke	State: Texas	Zip: 76262		
Telephone:	817-421-8870	Website: N/A			
A-3. Names and contact information under which the applicant will do business in Ohio.  Provide the names and contact information the business entity will use for business in Ohio. This does not have to be an Ohio address and may be the same contact information given in A-2.					
Name:	Destination Energy, LLC				
Street Address:	Street Address: 309 N. Oak Street				
City:	Roanoke	State: Texas	Zip: 76262		
Telephone:	817-421-8870	Website: N/A			
A-4. Names under which the applicant does business in North America.					
Provide all business names the applicant uses in North America. You do not need to include the names provided in A-2 and A-3.					
Name(s):	Destination Energy, LLC		<del></del>		

A-5. Contact pers	on for regulatory matters.			
Name:	James Edward Troublefield	III	Title: Vice	President
Street Address:	309 N. Oak Street			
City:	Roanoke	State: _	Texas	Zip: 76262
Telephone:	817-421-8870	Email:	jim@destene	ergy.com
A-6. Contact pers	on for PUCO Staff use in investiga	ting consu	ımer complaints	<b>5.</b>
Name:	James Edward Troublefield	111	Title: Vice	President
Street Address:	309 N. Oak Street			
City:	Roanoke	State:	Texas	Zip: 76262
Telephone:	817-421-8870	Email:	jim@destene	rgy.com
A-7. Applicant's a	ddress and toll-free number for co	ıstomer s	ervice and comp	plaints.
Street Address:	309 N. Oak Street			
City:	Roanoke	State:	Гехаѕ	Zip:76262
Toll-free Telephone:	800-761-7359	Email: _	jim@destene	rgy.com
A-8. Applicant's fo	ederal employer identification nu	mber.		
FEIN:	45-4983522			
A-9. Applicant's fo	orm of ownership (select one).			
Sole Proprietor	ship Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)	Ó	Corporation	Partnership
Limited Liabil Company (LL	' ()ther			
A-10. Identify cur	rent or proposed service areas.			
	rvice area in which the applicant is tify each customer class that the a			•
Service area selec	tion:			
AEP Ohjo	DP&L	Duk	e Energy Ohio	FirstEnergy – Cleveland Electric Illuminating
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FirstEnergy – Ohio Edison	FirstEnergy – Toledo Edison		
Class of customer selection:			
Commercial	Industrial	Mercantile	Residential
V			
<b>A-11. Start Date.</b> Indicate the approximate s	start date the applicant beg	gan/will begin offering ser	vices.
Date: Currently Offering	<u>Se</u> rvices		
A-12. Principal officers, dire	ctors and partners.		
Please provide an attachm	ent for all contacts that sho	ould be listed as an officer	r, director or partner.
A-13. Company history.			
Provide an attachment wit business interests.	h a concise description of t	the applicant's company h	istory and principal
A-14. Secretary of State.			
Provide evidence that the	applicant is currently regist	ered with the Ohio Secre	tary of State.

#### B. Managerial Capability

Provide a response or attachment for each of the sections below.

#### B-1. Jurisdiction of operations.

List all jurisdictions in which the applicant or any affiliated interest of the applicant is certified, licensed, registered or otherwise authorized to provide retail natural gas service or retail/wholesale electric service as of the date of filing the application.

#### B-2. Experience and plans.

Describe the applicant's experience in providing the service(s) for which it is applying (e.g., number and type of customers served, utility service areas, amount of load, etc.). Include the plan for contracting with customers, providing contracted services, providing billing statements and responding to customer inquiries and complaints in accordance with Commission rules adopted pursuant to Sections 4928.10 and/or 4929.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

#### B-3. Disclosure of liabilities and investigations. None

For the applicant, affiliate, predecessor of the applicant, or any principal officer of the applicant, describe all existing, pending or past rulings, judgments, findings, contingent liabilities, revocation of authority, regulatory investigations, judicial actions, or other formal or informal notices of violations, or any other matter related to competitive services in Ohio or equivalent services in another jurisdiction.

#### **B-4.** Disclosure of consumer protection violations.

Has the applicant, affiliate, predecessor of the applicant, or any principal officer of the applicant been convicted or held liable for fraud or for violation of any consumer protection or antitrust laws within the past five years? If yes, attach a document detailing the information.

Yes	No

#### B-5. Disclosure of certification denial, curtailment, suspension, or revocation.

Has the applicant, affiliate, or a predecessor of the applicant had any certification, license, or application to provide retail natural gas or retail/wholesale electric service denied, curtailed, suspended, revoked, or cancelled or been terminated or suspended from any of Ohio's Natural Gas or Electric Utility's Choice programs within the past two years? If yes, attach a document detailing the information.

Yes	No

#### B-6. Environmental disclosure.

This section is only applicable if power marketer or retail electric generation provider has been selected in A-1.

Provide a detailed description of how the applicant intends to determine its generation resource mix and environmental characteristics, including air emissions and radioactive waste. Include the annual projection methodology and the proposed approach to compiling the quarterly actual environmental disclosure data. See <u>4901:1-21-09</u> of the Ohio Administrative Code for additional details of this requirement.

#### C. Financial Capability

Provide a response or attachment for each of the sections below.

#### C-1. Financial reporting.

Provide a current link to the most recent Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) or attach a copy of the form. If the applicant does not have a Form 10-K, submit the parent company's Form 10-K. If neither the applicant nor its parent is required to file Form 10-K, state that the applicant is not required to make such filings with the SEC and provide an explanation as to why it is not required.

#### ✓ C-2. Financial statements

Provide copies of the applicant's two most recent years of audited financial statements, including a balance sheet, income statement, and cash flow statement. If audited financial statements are not available, provide officer certified financial statements. If the applicant has not been in business long enough to satisfy this requirement, provide audited or officer certified financial statements covering the life of the business. If the applicant does not have a balance sheet, income statement, and cash flow statement, the applicant may provide a copy of its two most recent years of tax returns with social

security numbers and bank account numbers redacted.

If the applicant is unable to meet the requirement for two years of financial statements, the Staff reviewer may request additional financial information.

#### C-3. Forecasted financial statements.

Provide two years of forecasted income statements based solely on the applicant's anticipated business activities in the state of Ohio.

Include the following information with the forecast: a list of assumptions used to generate the forecast; a statement indicating that the forecast is based solely on Ohio business activities only; and the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the preparer of the forecast.

The forecast may be in one of two acceptable formats: 1) an annual format that includes the current year and the two years succeeding the current year; or 2) a monthly format showing 24 consecutive months following the month of filing this application broken down into two 12-month periods with totals for revenues, expenses, and projected net incomes for both periods. Please show revenues, expenses, and net income (revenues minus total expenses) that is expected to be earned and incurred in business activities only in the state of Ohio for those periods.

If the applicant is filing for both an electric certificate and a natural gas certificate, please provide a separate and distinct forecast for revenues and expenses representing Ohio electric business activities in the application for the electric certificate and another forecast representing Ohio natural gas business activities in the application for the natural gas certificate.

#### √ C-4. Credit rating.

Provide a credit opinion disclosing the applicant's credit rating as reported by at least one of the following ratings agencies: Moody's Investors Service, Standard & Poor's Financial Services, Fitch Ratings or the National Association of Insurance Commissioners. If the applicant does not have its own credit ratings, substitute the credit ratings of a parent or an affiliate organization and submit a statement signed by a principal officer of the applicant's parent or affiliate organization that guarantees the obligations of the applicant. If an applicant or its parent does not have such a credit rating, enter "Not Rated".

#### C-5. Credit report.

Provide a copy of the applicant's credit report from Experian, Equifax, TransUnion, Dun and Bradstreet or a similar credit reporting organization. If the applicant is a newly formed entity with no credit report, then provide a personal credit report for the principal owner of the entity seeking certification. At a minimum, the credit report must show summary information and an overall credit score. Bank/credit account numbers and highly sensitive identification information must be redacted. If the applicant provides an acceptable credit rating(s) in response to C-4, then the applicant may select "This does not apply" and provide a response in the box below stating that a credit rating(s) was provided in response to C-4.

#### C-6. Bankruptcy information.

Within the previous 24 months, have any of the foreditors or any other form of bankruptcy? If yes Applicant	following filed for reorganization, protection from s, attach a document detailing the information.
Parent company of the applicant	
Affiliate company that guarantees the financial o	bligations of the applicant
Any owner or officer of the applicant	
Yes	No _
C-7. Merger information.	
Is the applicant currently involved in any dissolut participated in such activities within the previous information.	tion, merger or acquisition activity, or otherwise 24 months? If yes, attach a document detailing the
Yes	No
	<b>□</b>

#### C-8. Corporate structure.

Provide a graphical depiction of the applicant's corporate structure. Do not provide an internal organizational chart. The graphical depiction should include all parent holding companies, subsidiaries and affiliates as well as a list of all affiliate and subsidiary companies that supply retail or wholesale electricity or natural gas to customers in North America. If the applicant is a stand-alone entity, then no graphical depiction is required, and the applicant may respond by stating that it is a stand-alone entity with no affiliate or subsidiary companies.

#### C-9. Financial arrangements.

This section is only applicable if power marketer or retail electric generation provider has been selected in A-1.

Provide copies of the applicant's financial arrangements to satisfy collateral requirements to conduct retail electric/natural gas business activities (e.g., parental guarantees, letters of credit, contractual arrangements, etc., as described below).

Renewal applicants may provide a current statement from an Ohio local distribution utility (LDU) that shows that the applicant meets the LDU's collateral requirements. The statement or letter must be on the utility's letterhead and dated within a 30-day period of the date the applicant files its renewal application.

First-time applicants or applicants whose certificate has expired must meet the requirements of C-9 in one of the following ways:

 The applicant itself states that it is investment grade rated by Moody's Investors Service, Standard & Poor's Financial Services, or Fitch Ratings and provides evidence of rating from the rating agencies. If you provided a credit rating in C-4, reference the credit rating in the statement.

- 2. The applicant's parent company is investment grade rated (by Moody's, Standard & Poor's, or Fitch) and guarantees the financial obligations of the applicant to the LDU(s). Provide a copy of the most recent credit opinion from Moody's, Standard & Poor's or Fitch.
- 3. The applicant's parent company is not investment grade rated by Moody's, Standard & Poor's or Fitch but has substantial financial wherewithal in the opinion of the Staff reviewer to guarantee the financial obligations of the applicant to the LDU(s). The parent company's financials and a copy of the parental guarantee must be included in the application if the applicant is relying on this option.
- 4. The applicant can provide evidence of posting a letter of credit with the LDU(s) listed as the beneficiary, in an amount sufficient to satisfy the collateral requirements of the LDU(s).

#### D. Technical Capability

Provide an attachment for each of the sections below.

#### D-1. Operations.

Power brokers/aggregators: Include details of the applicant's business operations and plans for arranging and/or aggregating for the supply of electricity to retail customers.

Power Marketers/Generators: Describe the operational nature of the applicant's business, specifying whether operations will include the generation of power for retail sales, the scheduling of retail power for transmission and delivery, the provision of retail ancillary services, as well as other services used to arrange for the purchase and delivery of electricity to retail customers.

#### D-2. Operations expertise and key technical personnel.

Provide evidence of the applicant's experience and technical expertise in performing the operations described in this application. Include the names, titles, e-mail addresses, telephone numbers and background of key personnel involved in the operational aspects of the applicant's business.

#### D-3. FERC power marketer authorization.

This section is only applicable if power marketer or retail electric generation provider has been selected in A-1.

Provide the FERC docket granting the applicant power marketer authority.

As authorized representative for the above company/organization, I certify that all the information contained in this application is true, accurate and complete. I also understand that failure to report completely and accurately may result in penalties or other legal actions.

Signature Date

#### Exhibit A-12 "Principal Officers, Directors & Partners"

John Andrew Troublefield, President 405 Eventide Way, Colleyville, TX 76034 (214) 287-8026

James Edward Troublefield III, Vice President 3111 Wyndham Ln, Richardson, TX 75082 (972) 740-8243

Peggy Denise Troublefield, Vice President 405 Eventide Way, Colleyville, TX 76034 (214) 287-8023

#### **Exhibit A-13 "Company History"**

In April 2012, Destination Energy, LLC was created to serve customers in Texas. Destination Energy in response to customer demand has since expanded services in to Ohio, Illinois, Maryland, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania. Destination Energy provides customers with a procurement process that shops approved Suppliers for the best services, term and price.

#### Exhibit A-14 "Secretary of State"

Attached

#### **Exhibit B-1 "Jurisdictions of Operation"**

Applicant is currently licensed in Illinois, Maryland (Electric), New Jersey, and Pennsylvania (Electric).

#### Exhibit B-2 "Experience & Plans"

Background of each owner/officer is below:

**John Troublefield** began working with commercial and industrial energy endusers in 1990. He began as a sales representative for AmGas, Inc., one of the first natural gas marketing companies to provide third-party supply in Illinois. In 1992, John became a regional manager and was instrumental in expanding the company into Ohio. By 1995, John was responsible for 23 sales reps providing natural gas to customers on 10 local distribution companies in 3 states.

As additional states began to deregulate, it became clear that businesses with a national presence would need assistance in navigating the different rules and regulations in various states and market areas. John left AmGas in 1996 and started Energy Related Services Corporation "ERS", providing consulting, procurement, and data management services to national corporations. Today, ERS services a wide variety of companies, including Trump Entertainment Resorts, Golden Nugget Casinos, Geo Group, and Landry's, Inc.

In 2011, John recognized a need to start an energy brokering company in order to service businesses with a smaller footprint. In April 2012, Destination Energy, LLC was created. Destination Energy currently services several customers in Texas. Customer demand has DE now looking to expand its services to additional markets.

James Troublefield joined AmGas, Inc. in September 1987. AmGas, a privately held company, was engaged in the marketing and management of natural gas requirements of commercial and Industrial class customers in Illinois. Responsibilities included in-depth tariff analysis, creation of detailed costs analysis of delivery options, customer acquisition, designing marketing materials, contract negotiation, problem resolution and the monitoring of daily consumption and deliveries.

In January 1991 Jim became a Regional Director at AmGas, Inc. New duties included the hiring, training and management of a six person in-house sales team. The in-house sales team achieved record sales for AmGas while maintaining the lowest overhead of all AmGas sales teams.

In 1994 AmGas was purchased by a large Midwestern Utility Company. Jim's duties included the integration of two sales teams with different cultures, while increasing market share, setting growth goals, tracking progress and migrating into new markets. Jim was also a member of the Executive Board at AmGas overseeing the overall growth and direction of the company. Jim oversaw the coordination of activities of forty-five sales people and two managers, meeting company objectives for growth and profitability.

In 1996, Jim, along with 2 co-workers started Energy Related Services Corporation, providing energy consulting, procurement, and data management services to national corporations. Today, ERS services a wide variety of commercial and industrial accounts throughout the United States.

In April 2012, Destination Energy, LLC was created. Destination Energy currently services customers in Texas. Customer demand has DE is now looking to expand its services to additional markets.

**Peggy Troublefield** was first introduced to the deregulated utility industry when she joined the Operations Department of AmGas, Inc. in 1988. Peggy's primary responsibilities included the daily gas nominations and balancing for the portfolio of Illinois clients. In 1991, she took that knowledge and moved into the sales department.

Peggy's experience in the operations side paid off as she was able to quickly learn new tariffs and obtain clients in Illinois, Iowa and Ohio.

In 1996, she left AmGas to pursue a new venture. New gas market opportunities were opening up nation-wide and Peggy, along two of her co-workers, saw a need in the marketplace and Energy Related Services Corporation (ERS) was born. Specializing in the deregulated industry, ERS got busy learning the tariffs for a variety of utilities from California to New York. They quickly earned the business of commercial accounts with multi-state locations.

Today, ERS maintains its reputation as a leader in the deregulated gas and electric markets. A sister company, Destination Energy, is now offering similar services to smaller commercial accounts who want to achieve budget and cost control. Peggy is looking forward to expanding Destination Energy into new markets and growing the client base.

#### Exhibit B-3 "Disclosure of liabilities and investigations"

None

Exhibit B-4 "Disclosure of consumer protection violations"

None

Exhibit B-5 "Disclosure of certification denial, curtailment, suspension, or revocation"

None

#### Exhibit C-1 "Financial Report/SEC Filings"

N/A (applicant is a privately-held limited liability company)

#### **Exhibit C-2 "Financial Statements"**

Financial Statements are labeled and attached.

#### **Exhibit C-3 "Forecasted Financial Statements"**

Forecasted Financial Statements are labeled and attached.

#### Exhibit C-4 "Credit Rating"

Credit Rating is labeled and attached.

#### Exhibit C-5 "Credit Report"

Credit Report is labeled and attached.

#### Exhibit C-6 "Bankruptcy Information"

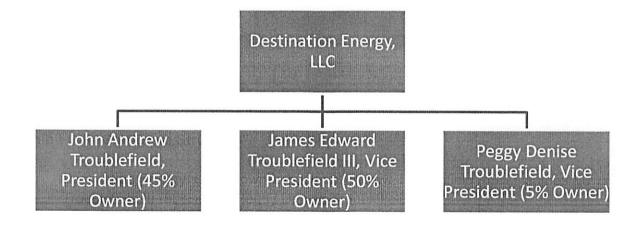
None

#### Exhibit C-7 "Merger Information"

None

#### Exhibit C-8 "Corporate Structure"

Destination Energy, LLC is owned by John Andrew Troublefield (45%), James Edward Troublefield III (50%), and Peggy Denise Troublefield (5%).



#### **Exhibit D-1 "Operations"**

Destination Energy, LLC performs an ongoing review of the Suppliers and Deregulated Energy programs available to current customer facilities nationally. Vetting Suppliers, contracts and proposals for supply to maximize the benefits of deregulation and minimize the risk. If there are issues with the Supplier or Utility, Destination Energy will step in and help to resolve. Destination Energy's focus is to care for our current customer facilities, not growing a sales team for Ohio at this time.

#### Exhibit D-2 "Operations expertise and key technical personnel"

Please accept responses in Exhibit B-2 "Experience & Plans"

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF OHIO OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Frank LaRose, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show DESTINATION ENERGY, LLC, a Texas For Profit Limited Liability Company, Registration Number 2310061, filed on July 10, 2014, is currently in FULL FORCE AND EFFECT upon the records of this office.



Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 3rd day of March, A.D. 2021.

**Ohio Secretary of State** 

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Validation Number: 202106204152

#### PROFIT AND LOSS

January - December 2020

	TOTAL
Income	
42400 Commission Income	584,172.26
Uncategorized Income	0.00
Total Income	\$584,172.26
GROSS PROFIT	\$584,172.26
Expenses	
60500 Commissions	254,738.20
60550 Contract Labor	30,000.00
62200 Contractor Commissions	72,108.04
62500 Dues and Subscriptions	3,409.85
63300 Health Insurance Expense	12,419.87
66700 Professional Fees	14,217.04
67100 Rent Expense	18,000.00
Total Expenses	\$404,893.00
NET OPERATING INCOME	\$179,279.26
Other Expenses	
9050 Out Of State Taxes	547.35
Total Other Expenses	\$547.35
NET OTHER INCOME	\$ -547.35
NET INCOME	\$178,731.91

#### **BALANCE SHEET**

As of December 31, 2020

	TOTAL
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Bank Accounts	
10100 Capital One Checking 0376	1,038.34
Total Bank Accounts	\$1,038.34
Total Current Assets	\$1,038.34
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,038.34
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Other Current Liabilities	
21000 Org Costs Payable - John	0.00
2110 Direct Deposit Liabilities	0.00
22000 N/P Energy Related Services	2,726.45
23000 N/P ERS Holding Company	2,107.70
Total Other Current Liabilities	\$4,834.15
Total Current Liabilities	\$4,834.15
Total Liabilities	\$4,834.15
Equity	
30000 John Troublefield - Capital - 45%	-2,795.41
30020 John Troublefield - Contributions	0.00
30025 John Troublefield - Draws	-75,550.09
Total 30000 John Troublefield - Capital - 45%	-78,345.50
30100 Jim Troublefield - Capital - 50%	6,225.20
30125 Jim Troublefield Draws	-95,190.00
Total 30100 Jim Troublefield - Capital - 50%	-88,964.80
30200 Peggy Troublefield - Capital - 5%	-8,156.51
30220 Peggy Troublefield - Contributions	0.00
30225 Peggy Troublefield - Draws	-7,060.91
Total 30200 Peggy Troublefield - Capital - 5%	-15,217.42
32000 Retained Earnings	0.00
Net Income	178,731.91
Total Equity	\$ -3,795.81
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$1,038.34

#### PROFIT AND LOSS

January - December 2019

	TOTAL
Income	
42400 Commission Income	575,671.91
Total Income	\$575,671.91
GROSS PROFIT	\$575,671.91
Expenses	
60500 Commissions	229,236.13
60550 Contract Labor	0.00
62200 Contractor Commissions	101,025.47
62500 Dues and Subscriptions	1,839.20
63300 Health Insurance Expense	9,920.41
64900 Office Supplies	500.00
66500 Postage and Delivery	54.55
66700 Professional Fees	12,797.26
67100 Rent Expense	18,000.00
do not useHealthcare Insurance	0.00
Total Expenses	\$373,373.02
NET OPERATING INCOME	\$202,298.89
Other Expenses	
80000 Guaranteed Payments	
80100 John Troublefield	40,000.00
80200 Jim Troublefield	40,000.00
Total 80000 Guaranteed Payments	80,000.00
9050 Out Of State Taxes	6,110.55
Total Other Expenses	\$86,110.55
NET OTHER INCOME	\$ -86,110.55
NET INCOME	\$116,188.34

#### BALANCE SHEET

As of December 31, 2019

	TOTAL
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Bank Accounts	
10100 Capital One Checking 0376	107.43
Total Bank Accounts	\$107.43
Total Current Assets	\$107.43
TOTAL ASSETS	\$107.43
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Other Current Liabilities	
21000 Org Costs Payable - John	0.00
2110 Direct Deposit Liabilities	0.00
22000 N/P Energy Related Services	2,726.45
23000 N/P ERS Holding Company	2,107.70
Total Other Current Liabilities	\$4,834.15
Total Current Liabilities	\$4,834.15
Total Liabilities	\$4,834.15
Equity	
30000 John Troublefield - Capital - 45%	-7,315.38
30020 John Troublefield - Contributions	0.00
30025 John Troublefield - Draws	-52,229.03
Total 30000 John Troublefield - Capital - 45%	-59,544.41
30100 Jim Troublefield - Capital - 50%	11,056.15
30125 Jim Troublefield Draws	-67,885.29
Total 30100 Jim Troublefield - Capital - 50%	-56,829.14
30200 Peggy Troublefield - Capital - 5%	312.65
30220 Peggy Troublefield - Contributions	0.00
30225 Peggy Troublefield - Draws	-4,854.16
Total 30200 Peggy Troublefield - Capital - 5%	-4,541.51
32000 Retained Earnings	0.00
Net Income	116,188.34
Total Equity	\$ -4,726.72
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$107.43

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# Destination Energy, LLC 2021 - 2022 Projections

2021 - Projected Incor	me	2022 - Projected Income		
Commission Income Consulting Income	\$68,787 \$0_	Commission Income Consulting Income	\$68,787 <u>\$0</u>	
Gross Profit	\$68,787	Gross Profit	\$68,787	
Contractor Commissions	\$48,151	Contractor Commissions	\$48,151	
Dues and Expenses	\$148	Dues and Expenses	\$148	
Misc Expense	\$1,095	Misc Expense	\$1,095	
Professional Expenses	<u>\$1,656</u>	Professional Expenses	\$1,656	
Total Expenses	\$51,051	Total Expenses	\$51,051	
Net Ordinary Income	\$17,736	Net Ordinary Income	\$17,736	
Other - Guaranteed Payments	\$0	Other - Guaranteed Payments	\$0	
Net Income	\$17,736	Net Income	\$17,736	



#### **Destination Energy, LIc** DUNS: 11-030-8379

#### Quick View Report

#### Company Information

309 N Oak St

Roanoke, TX 76262

**Financial Statement** 

This is a single location location.

**Net Worth** 

NA

NA

UNKNOWN

History:

Sales

NA

Stock Symbol:

NA

Financial Condition: NA

Year Started

Telephone

2019

Financing:

NA

**Employees** 

UNDETERMINED

SIC:

9999

Line of Business:

Undetermined

#### Corporate Family:

This business is a single location of the corporate family.

#### Scores

#### PAYDEX ®

#### Score Not Available

You must have three reported payment experiences, from at least two different vendors, to establish a PAYDEX® score. To ensure all of your payments are reflected in your credit file, add trade references to your report. Visit the Action Center to learn more.

#### Credit Limit Recommendation

We are unable to display a Credit Limit Recommendation for this company. This may be due to incomplete or unverified data in your report. Please call 800-333-0505 for more information.

#### D&B Rating ®

Rating

The credit rating was assigned based on D&B's assessment of the company's financial ratios and its cash flow. For more information, see the D&B Rating Key.

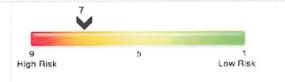
The Summary Analysis section reflects information in D&B's file as of February 8, 2021

Compared to ALL US Businesses within the D&B Database:

- · Level of Risk: Low Risk
- Businesses ranked 5 have a probability of becoming no longer viable: 7%
- Percentage of businesses ranked 5: 14%
- Across all US businesses, the average probability of becoming no longer viable: 14%

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Portfolio Comparison



Low Bisk

Compared to ALL US Businesses within the D&B Database:

- · Model Segment: Established Trade Payments
- · Level of Risk: High to Moderate Risk
- Businesses ranked 7 within this model segment have a probability of becoming no longer viable: 7%
- Percentage of businesses ranked7 within this model segment: 14%
- Within this model segment, the average probability of becoming no longer viable: 5%

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Data Depth Indicator



#### **Data Depth Indicator:**

Rich Firmographics Extensive Commercial Trading Activity No Financial Attributes



Company Profile

Financial	Trade	Company	Years in
Data	Payments	Size	Business
Not Available	Available (3+Trade)	Small	

Compared to ALL US Businesses within the D&B Database:

- · Financial Data: Not Available
- Trade Payments: Available: 3+Trade
- Company Size: Small: Employees: <10 and Sales: <\$10K or Missing</li>
- Years in Business: Young: <5

#### History & Operations

#### History

The following information was reported: 01/16/2021

Business started 2019.

#### Operations

01/16/2021

Description:

Duns Support Record.

Employees: UNDETERMINED.

Facilities: Occupies premises in building.

#### SIC & NAICS

#### SIC:

Based on information in our file, D&B has assigned this company an extended 8-digit SIC. D&B's use of 8-digit SICs enables us to be more specific to a company's operations that if we use the standard 4-digit code. The 4-digit SIC numbers link to the description on the Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) Web site. Links open in a new browser window.

9999 2222 Duns Support Record, nonclassifiable establishment

#### NAICS:

999990 Unclassified Establishments

#### **Payments**

#### PAYDEX®®

#### Score Not Available

You must have three reported payment experiences, from at least two different vendors, to establish a PAYDEX® score. To ensure all of your payments are reflected in your credit file, add trade references to your report. Visit the Action Center to learn more.

#### **Payments Summary**

Total (Last 24 Months): 3

		Total Dollar	Largest High Credit	Within			Slow	
	Received	Amount	Payment summary	Terms	31	30-80	81-90	90
Other Categories								
Cash experiences	3	\$150	\$100					
Jnknown	0	\$0	\$0					
Unfavorable comments	0	\$0	\$0					
Placed for collections with D&B:	0	\$0	\$0					
Other	0	N/A	\$0			-	-	
Total in D&B's file	3	\$150	\$100					

The highest Now Owes on file is \$0

The highest Past Due on file is \$0

There are 3 payment experience(s) in D&Bs file for the most recent 24 months, with 0 experience(s) reported during the last three month period.

#### Payments Details

#### Total (Last 24 Months): 3

Date	Paying Record	High Credit	Now Owes	Past Due	Selling Terms	Last sale w/f (Mo. )
09/2020	(001)	-			Cash account	1 mo
07/2020	(002)	\$50			Cash account	4-5 mos
12/2019	(003)	\$100			Cash account	4-5 mos

Exhibit C-4: Credit Rating

Payments Detail Key: 30 or more days beyond terms

Accounts are sometimes placed for collection even though the existence or amount of the debt is disputed.

Payment experiences reflect how bills are met in relation to the terms granted. In some instances payment beyond terms can be the result of disputes over merchandise, skipped invoices etc.

Each experience shown is from a separate supplier. Updated trade experiences replace those previously reported.

#### Banking and Finance

#### Statement Update

Key Business Ratios from D&B

We currently do not have enough information to generate the graphs for the selected Key Business Ratio.

This Company

Key Financial Comparisons

	(\$)	(\$)	(\$) Exhibit C-4: (
his Company's Operating Results Year Over Year			
et Sales	NA	NA	NA
iross Profit	NA	NA	NA
let Profit	NA	NA	NA
ividends / Withdrawals	NA	NA	NA
orking Capital	NA	NA	NA
his Company's Assets Year Over Year			
rash	NA	NA	NA
ccounts Receivable	NA	NA	NA
lotes Receivable	NA	NA	NA
nventories	NA	NA	NA
Other Current	NA	NA	NA
otal Current	NA	NA	NA
ixed Assets	NA	NA	NA
Other Non Current	NA	NA	NA
otal Assets	NA	NA	NA
his Company's Liabilities Year Over Year			
Accounts Payable	NA	NA	NA
Bank Loan	NA	NA	NA
lotes Payable	NA	NA	NA
Other Current Liabilities	NA	NA	NA
otal Current Liabilities	NA	NA	NA
Other Long Term and Short Term Liabilities	NA	NA	NA
pefferred Credit	NA	NA	NA
let Worth	NA	NA	NA
Total Liabilities and Net Worth	NA	NA	NA

We currently do not have any recent financial statements on file for your business. Submitting financial statements can help improve your D&B scores. To submit a financial statement, please call customer service at 800-333-0505.

Key Business Ratios

	This Company	Industry Median	Industry Quartile	Exhibit C-4: Credit Ratin
Solvency				
Quick Ratio	NA	NA	NA	
Current Ratio	NA	NA	NA	
Current Liabilities to Net Worth	NA	NA	NA	
Current Liabilities to Inventory	NA	NA	NA	
Total Current	NA	NA	NA	
Fixed Assets to Net Worth	NA	NA	NA	
Efficiency				
Collection Period	NA	NA	NA	
Inventory Turn Over	NA	NA	NA	
Sales to NWC	NA	NA	NA	
Acct Pay to Sales	NA	NA	NA	
Profitability				
Return on Sales	NA	NA	NA	
Return on Assets	NA	NA	NA	
Return on NetWorth	NA	NA	NA	

#### Public Filings

#### Summary

The following data includes both open and closed filings found in D&B's database on this company.

Record Type	# of Records	Most Recent Filing Date
Bankruptcy Proceedings	0	
Judgments	0	-
Liens	0	
Suits	0	-
UCCs	0	

The following Public Filing data is for information purposes only and is not the official record. Certified copies can only be obtained from the official source.

#### Judgments

We currently don't have enough data to display this section

#### Liens

We currently don't have enough data to display this section

#### Suits

We currently don't have enough data to display this section

# UCC Filings

#### Government Activity

We currently don't have enough data to display this section

#### Special Events

N/A

Corporate Linkage		
Parent		
Company Name	DUNS#	City, State
DESTINATION ENERGY, LLC	11-030-8379	ROANOKE, TEXAS

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#### Search inquiry: (My company)

# CreditScore<sup>SM</sup> Report

as of: 02/08/21 15:33 ET

#### **Destination Energy, LLC**

Address:

309 N Oak St

Roanoke, TX 76262-6614

**United States** 

Phone:

817-421-8890

Experian BIN:

959081954

Agent:

National Registered Agents

Inc

**Agent Address:** 

208 So Lasalle ST Suite 814

Chicago,

**Key Personnel:** 

Manager: John A Troublefield

Manager: Troublefield James

Manager: Troublefield Peggy **Business Type:** Corporation

Experian File

May 2012

**Established:** 

Experian Years on 9 Years

File:

Years in Business:

19 Years

**Total Employees:** 

Sales:

\$882,000

Filing Data

Texas

Provided by:

Date of

10/18/2013

Incorporation:

#### **Experian Business Credit Score**

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Business Credit Score



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The objective of the Experian Business Credit
Score is to predict payment behavior. High
Risk means that there is a significant
probability of delinquent payment. Low Risk
means that there is a good probability of ontime payment.

#### **Key Score Factors:**

- Risk associated with the company's industry.
- · Company's business type.

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· Number of employees.

Business Credit Scores range from a low of 1 to high of 100 with this company receiving a score of

**26.** Higher scores indicate lower risk. This score predicts the likelihood of serious credit delinquencies within the next 12 months. This score uses tradeline and collections information, public filings as well as other variables to predict future risk.

# Financial Stability Medium-High Risk

**Experian Financial Stability Risk Rating** 

A Financial Stability Risk Rating of 4 indicates a 10% potential risk of severe financial distress within the next 12 months.

#### **Key Rating Factors:**

Lack of active trades.

**Risk Rating** 

- · Risk associated with the business type.
- Employee size of business.
- Risk associated with the company's industry sector.

#### Financial Stability Risk Ratings range from a low of 1 to high of 5 with this company receiving a rating of

**4.** Lower ratings indicate lower risk. Experian categorizes all businesses to fit within one of the five risk segments. This rating predicts the likelihood of payment default and/or bankruptcy within the next 12 months. This rating uses tradeline and collections information, public filings as well as other variables to predict future risk.

Credit Summary			Back to top
This location does not yet have an estimated Days Beyond Terms ( <b>DBT</b> ), or a Payment Trend Indicator.	Payment <u>Tradelines</u> / Commercial accounts:	0	
This is often the result of too few Payment  Tradelines.	UCC Filings:	0	
Tradelines.	■ Businesses Scoring Worse:	25%	
Please refer to Experian's	√Bankruptcies:	0	
'www.BusinessCreditFacts.com' website for more	✓ Liens:	0	
information on establishing Payment Tradelines.	✓ Judgments Filed:	0	
	✓ Collections:	0	

Exhibit C-5: Credit Report

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#### John Troublefield

Vice President, Secretary, and COO of Energy Related Services Corp (2001 – Present)

Energy Related Services Corporation is an energy consulting firm specializing in electric and natural gas supply procurement and energy cost reduction for commercial and industrial clients with a national presence. John oversees the daily operations and is a senior corporate officer, 33.33% shareholder, and client adviser for key account within the continental U.S. and Canada

Member of ERS Holding Company LLC (2011 - Present)

ERS Holding Company LLC is a real estate holding company, located in Roanoke, TX, that manages real estate assets within the state of Texas. John manages the daily operations and is a 33.33 shareholder.

Destination Energy, LLC (2013 - Present)

Destination Energy, LLC is a channel partner with multiple U.S. based electric and natural gas suppliers, providing procurement services to commercial and industrial clients located in various deregulated states throughout the U.S. John was the founder of the company and manages the daily operations. He is also a Senior Consultant for commercial and industrial end-users. John is a 45% shareholder.

AmGas, Inc. (1990 -1996)

AmGas was a natural gas marketing firm, providing third-party supply to commercial and industrial endusers behind multiple LDCs within the state of Illinois. John's initial position was a marketing representative for commercial and industrial accounts. Later, he was promoted to a regional sales manager position.

Peggy Lawler - Troublefield

President and CEO of Energy Related Services Corp (2001 – Present)

Energy Related Services Corporation is an energy consulting firm specializing in electric and natural gas supply procurement and energy cost reduction for commercial and industrial clients with a national presence. Peggy is a senior corporate officer, 33.34% shareholder, and client adviser for key account within the continental U.S.

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Destination Energy, LLC (2013 - Present)

Destination Energy, LLC is a channel partner with multiple U.S. based electric and natural gas suppliers, providing procurement services to commercial and industrial clients located in various deregulated states throughout the U.S. Peggy is a 5% shareholder.

AmGas, Inc. (1988 -1996)

AmGas was a natural gas marketing firm, providing third-party supply to commercial and industrial endusers behind multiple LDCs within the state of Illinois. Her initial position with the company involved scheduling nominations and daily balancing. She later moved into a sales and marketing position. Jim Troublefield joined AmGas, Inc. in September 1987. AmGas, a privately held company, was engaged in the marketing and management of natural gas requirements of commercial and Industrial class customers in Illinois. Responsibilities included indepth tariff analysis, creation of detailed costs analysis of delivery options, customer acquisition, designing marketing materials, contract negotiation, problem resolution and the monitoring of daily consumption and deliveries.

In January 1991 Jim became a Regional Director at AmGas, Inc. New duties included the hiring, training and management of a six person in-house sales team. The in-house sales team achieved record sales for AmGas while maintaining the lowest overhead of all AmGas sales teams.

In 1994 AmGas was purchased by a large Midwestern Utility Company. Jim's duties included the integration of two sales teams with different cultures, while increasing market share, setting growth goals, tracking progress and migrating into new markets. Jim was also a member of the Executive Board at AmGas overseeing the overall growth and direction of the company. Jim oversaw the coordination of activities of forty-five sales people and two managers, meeting company objectives for growth and profitability.

In 1996, Jim, along with 2 co-workers started Energy Related Services Corporation, providing energy consulting, procurement, and data management services to national corporations. Today, ERS services a wide variety of commercial and industrial accounts throughout the United States.

In April 2012, Destination Energy, LLC was created. Destination Energy currently services customers in Texas. Customer demand has DE is now looking to expand its services to additional markets.

### Competitive Retail Electric Service Affidavit

County of	DENTON	:
State of	TEXAS :	

James Trouse Please Affiant, being duly sworn/affirmed, hereby states that:

- 1. The information provided within the certification or certification renewal application and supporting information is complete, true, and accurate to the best knowledge of affiant, and that it will amend its application while it is pending if any substantial changes occur regarding the information provided.
- 2. The applicant will timely file an annual report of its intrastate gross receipts, gross earnings, and sales of kilowatt-hours of electricity pursuant to Sections 4905.10(A), 4911.18(A), and 4928.06(F), Ohio Revised Code.
- 3. The applicant will timely pay any assessment made pursuant to Sections 4905.10, 4911.18, and 4928.06(F), Ohio Revised Code.
- 4. The applicant will comply with all applicable rules and orders adopted by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio pursuant to Title 49, Ohio Revised Code.
- 5. The applicant will cooperate fully with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, and its Staff on any utility matter including the investigation of any consumer complaint regarding any service offered or provided by the applicant.
- 6. The applicant will fully comply with Section 4928.09, Ohio Revised Code regarding consent to the jurisdiction of Ohio Courts and the service of process.
- 7. The applicant will comply with all state and/or federal rules and regulations concerning consumer protection, the environment, and advertising/promotions.
- 8. The applicant will use its best efforts to verify that any entity with whom it has a contractual relationship to purchase power is in compliance with all applicable licensing requirements of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.
- 9. The applicant will cooperate fully with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, the electric distribution companies, the regional transmission entities, and other electric suppliers in the event of an emergency condition that may jeopardize the safety and reliability of the electric service in accordance with the emergency plans and other procedures as may be determined appropriate by the Commission.
- 10. If applicable to the service(s) the applicant will provide, it will adhere to the reliability standards of (1) the North American Electric Reliability Council (NERC), (2) the appropriate regional reliability council(s), and (3) the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.
- 11. The Applicant will inform the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio of any material change to the information supplied in the application within 30 days of such material change, including any change in contact person for regulatory purposes or contact person for Staffuse in investigating consumer complaints.

- 12. The facts set forth above are true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge, information, and belief and that he/she expects said applicant to be able to prove the same at any hearing hereof.
- 13. Affiant further sayeth naught.

Signature of Affiant & Title	Special production of the special spec	AN PUBLISHED OF THE PROPERTY O	GARY M Notary Public, Si Comm. Expires Notary ID 12	tate of Texas 02-24-2023
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