

**APPLICATION SUMMARY**  
**Expansion Power**

**Company:** Captive Plastics, LLC (dba Berry Plastics)

**Project Location:** Dunkirk

**County:** Chautauqua

**IOU:** National Grid

**Business Activity:** Bottle manufacturer of plastic PET bottles for food and beverage industry

**Project Description:** Looking to expand its existing facility by 20,000 square-feet to help facilitate a potential new, long-term customer for the production of food bottles.

**Existing Allocation(s):** 1,296 Recharge New York (Retention Allocation)

**Power Request:** 920 kW

**Power Recommended:** 500 kW

**Job Commitment:**

**Base Employment:** 71 jobs

**New:** 10 jobs

**New Jobs/Power Ratio:** 20/MW

**New Jobs - Avg. Wage and Benefits:** \$51,500

**Capital Investment:** \$17.8 million

**Capital Investment/MW:** \$35.6/MW

**Other ED Incentives:** Pursuing sales tax exemption through Chautauqua County IDA & \$979,003 in Excelsior Tax Credits from ESD.

**Summary:** Captive Plastics is in competition to secure a new, long-term agreement for production of food bottles and is looking to enlarge its existing facility and add equipment and machinery to increase production. With substantial electric costs for production at the facility, a low-cost hydropower allocation will help support this expansion and secure the company's future in New York State.