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Melanie Bachman, Executive Director  
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RE: Docket No. 474: Greater Hartford-Central Connecticut Reliability Project  
Development and Management Plan Change Notice Request:  
Proposed Staging Area/Laydown Yard, 86 Day Street, Town of Newington

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Pursuant to Condition 2.f of the Connecticut Siting Council's (Council's) Decision and Order in Docket No. 474, and Volume 2, Attachment A, Section A.2 of the Greater Hartford –Central Connecticut Reliability Project (Project) *Development and Management Plan for the New 115-kV Transmission Line – Underground Segment and D&M Plan for Modifications to the Newington and Southwest Hartford Substations and Newington Tap*, The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (Eversource) submits to Council staff the above-referenced proposed Project staging area/laydown yard site for review and approval.

To support the construction of the Project, Eversource proposes to use as a staging area/laydown yard an approximately 3-acres upland site in the Town of Newington. Attachment 1 provides an aerial-photograph-based map of the proposed site and surrounding land use.

The proposed site, which is zoned and historically used for industrial purposes including as a material staging/laydown area, is accessible via Day Street in Newington. Eversource would not need to do any site preparation. All Project activities at the site will be carried out in accordance with Eversource's Best Management Practices (BMPs) and the Project D&M Plans. Any potential impacts to the site from the staging/laydown use would be avoided or mitigated by implementing the protective measures set out in the BMPs and the D&M Plans.

Eversource proposes to use the staging area to support various Project construction and equipment/material storage-related activities. Accordingly, Eversource anticipates that the site would be used to:

- Provide a location for personnel show-up and equipment/materials staging and deployment for Project work;
- Store construction materials, equipment, tools, and supplies;
- Park construction vehicles, equipment, and construction personnel personal vehicles;

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- Perform minor maintenance of construction equipment;
- Storing materials temporarily, including transmission line components removed during the work prior to appropriate removal off-site for salvage and/or disposal materials.

In addition, temporary sanitary facilities also would be placed on the site.

Should you have any questions regarding this submission, please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail at [kathleen.shanley@eversource.com](mailto:kathleen.shanley@eversource.com) or telephone at (860) 728-4527.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kathleen M. Shanley". The signature is stylized and cursive.

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Encl.

cc: Service List

**Attachment 1**  
**Proposed Staging Area/Laydown Yard: 86 Day Street, West Hartford**

