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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

November 17, 2020

Susan J. Bellion  
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Eversource Energy  
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1346** - The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the replacement and relocation of an existing telecommunications facility and an existing relay and control enclosure located at Manchester Substation, 250 Olcott Street, Manchester, Connecticut, and related substation improvements.

Dear Ms. Bellion:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your email correspondence of November 17, 2020 regarding temporary changes to work hours for the above-referenced declaratory ruling issued by the Council on July 20, 2018.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's Decision of July 20, 2018, your request to perform work from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 22, 2020 is hereby approved.

The extended work hours are necessary to continue the cut over process from the existing control enclosure to the new control enclosure which requires de-energization of the transformers during a CONVEX-approved outage which is restricted to weekends only.

The work will primarily take place inside the control enclosures. The only noise will be from vehicles driven by workers entering and exiting the substation.

This approval applies only to the request for extended work hours in your email of November 17, 2020. Any significant changes to the project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

*s/Melanie A. Bachman*

Melanie A. Bachman  
Executive Director

MB/MP

- c: Kathleen M. Shanley, Manager – Transmission Siting, Eversource Energy  
The Honorable Jay Moran, Mayor, Town of Manchester ([jmoran@manchesterct.gov](mailto:jmoran@manchesterct.gov))  
Scott A. Shanley, General Manager, Town of Manchester ([sshanley@manchesterct.gov](mailto:sshanley@manchesterct.gov))  
James Davis, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Manchester ([jdavis@manchesterct.gov](mailto:jdavis@manchesterct.gov))

**Petition 1346: Manchester Substation: Extended Work Hours, Sunday, November 22, 2020**

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Dear Ms. Bachman:

We are requesting staff review and approval for extended work hours for the above referenced project on Sunday, 11/22 from 7AM-10PM. Eversource is requesting these additional work hours in order to continue the cut over process from the existing control enclosure to the new control enclosure in order to stay on track with the project schedule. This work can only be accomplished with the transformers de-energized and CONVEX has restricted the transformer outages to weekends only.

The work during the extended hours will be primarily inside the control enclosures. The only noise generated will be by the vehicles driven by the workers to arrive and leave the substation.

We have notified the Town of Manchester of our intention to submit this request to the Council and they do not object to these extended work hours.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions regarding this request. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

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