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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

May 21, 2020

TO: Parties and Intervenors

FROM: Melanie A. Bachman, Executive Director *MAB*

RE: **PETITION NO. 1347A** - GRE GACRUX LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 16.78-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 117 Oil Mill Road and associated electrical interconnection to Eversource Energy's existing substation at 325 Waterford Parkway North in Waterford, Connecticut. Reopening of this petition based on changed conditions pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-181a(b).

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The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) will hold a pre-remote hearing teleconference on procedural matters on Thursday, May 28, 2020, beginning at 11:00 a.m. **All parties and intervenors are requested to participate.** The purpose of this pre-remote hearing teleconference is to expedite the remote hearing procedure without sacrificing an informative record necessary for the Council to render a decision.

Please use the call-in information below:

**Call number: 866-917-7557**

**Passcode: 9148525**

During the teleconference, parties and intervenors will be encouraged to discuss requirements for pre-filed testimony, exhibit lists, administrative notice lists, expected witness lists, and the filing of pre-remote hearing interrogatories. To save the time and expense of the public, **the Council does not allow direct testimony** at the remote public hearing.

Each party and intervenor is requested to provide all other parties and intervenors a list of witnesses and the subjects their pre-filed testimony will address, a list of documents to be administratively noticed, and copies of any available exhibits to be offered at the remote public hearing.

For parties and intervenors who are not represented by counsel, please indicate in writing who shall be the **designated representative for the remote public hearing in the witness list.**

For the petitioner, please indicate in writing who shall be the **designated presenter during the 6:30 p.m. remote public comment session in the witness list and what site plan will be used for the presentation.**

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### Connecticut Siting Council

Pre-remote Hearing Conference: Procedure for Remote Hearing of June 25, 2020

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### Pre-hearing Procedure

1. On or before June 4, 2020, all parties and intervenors are requested to electronically exchange pre-remote hearing interrogatories with all other parties and intervenors.
2. On or before June 18, 2020, all parties and intervenors are requested to file responses to pre-remote hearing interrogatories and exchange pre-filed testimony, exhibits, witness lists, and items to be noticed administratively with the Council and all other parties and intervenors. To save the time and expense of parties, intervenors, and the public, all parties and intervenors are encouraged to resolve discrepancies of these items before the remote hearing.
3. Any person seeking to be admitted as a party or intervenor to the proceeding is requested to electronically file a written petition with the Council on or before June 18, 2020.
4. Pursuant to Section 16-50j-21 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, at least ten business days prior to the public hearing, the petitioner shall erect and maintain, in a legible condition, a sign not less than six feet by four feet at the entrance to the property from a public road where the proposed facility is to be located. The sign shall set forth the name of the petitioner, the type of facility, the remote public hearing date, and contact information for the Council (Web site and phone number). **The sign shall not be removed from the site until after the commencement of the evening public comment session.**
5. Attached is a list of the Council's administrative notice items. Objections to any item on the list should be sent to the Council before the remote hearing.

### Hearing Procedure

6. The 2:00 p.m., June 25, 2020, remote evidentiary hearing session will provide the petitioner, parties, and intervenors an opportunity to introduce exhibits and witnesses, and cross-examine positions. The petitioner will be allowed to present its exhibits and witness panel, and then be subject to cross-examination by the Council and all parties and intervenors. All parties and intervenors will then be allowed to introduce their exhibits and witness panels, and be subject to cross-examination by the Council, the petitioner and all other parties and intervenors.

7. The order of appearances and cross-examination will be governed by a Hearing Program developed by the Council for the proceeding. The Council will issue the Hearing Program prior to the remote hearing.
8. All microphones will be muted upon entry into the meeting and will be turned on in the order of party appearances and cross examination governed by the Hearing Program.
9. If any party or intervenor designated representative or witness is using the Zoom dial-in option from a telephone, the phone number and name of the person must be provided in writing to the Council in advance so the phone number can be matched with the appropriate designated representative or witness. **If the phone number and name of the person is not provided in writing to the Council in advance, they will not be admitted into the meeting.**
10. The 6:30 p.m. remote public comment session on June 25, 2020, will be reserved for the public to make brief statements into the record. **Public statements will be limited to 3 minutes.** The Council requests that the petitioner conduct a brief presentation prior to remote public comment, describing proposed facility features from a site plan already submitted into the record. **This site plan will be projected on the Zoom meeting screen during the public comment session.**
11. The Council may, at its discretion, group parties and intervenors with the same interests.
12. Individuals will be encouraged to participate through their elected officials and other party or intervenor groupings.
13. Pursuant to Section 16-50j-15b of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, any party or intervenor, including those that are members of non-profit corporations or citizens groups, that have attained party or intervenor status in the proceeding are deemed to be represented in the proceeding and may not submit oral or written statements into the record.
14. All participants will be encouraged to be brief, concise, non-repetitious, and courteous of all other participants.
15. Any person may be removed from the Zoom remote evidentiary session or public comment session at the discretion of the Council.

#### **Post-hearing procedure**

16. A verbatim transcript of the remote hearing session will be posted on the Council's project webpage and deposited with the Waterford Town Clerk's Office, Waterford, Connecticut for the convenience of the public.
17. Parties and intervenors will be allowed to submit briefs and proposed findings of fact within 30 days after the close of the remote hearing.
18. Members of the public will be allowed to submit written statements into the record within 30 days after the close of the remote hearing.
19. Deadlines for briefs, proposed findings of fact, and written statements will be final and no extensions will be granted.



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### Administrative Notice List

Petition No. 1347A

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**Department of Energy and Environmental Protection**

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