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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

March 27, 2020

The Honorable Christopher Lippke First Selectman Town of Canterbury 1 Municipal Drive Canterbury, CT 06331-0027

RE:

PETITION NO. 1397 - Constitution Solar, 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 20-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on approximately 149 acres comprised of four separate parcels located off of Cornell Road in Plainfield, Connecticut and associated electrical interconnection.

Dear First Selectman Lippke:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes§4-176 and §16-50k, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of a petition for a declaratory ruling to construct, maintain and operate a 20-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility in the Town of Plainfield. The Town of Canterbury is within 2,500 feet of the proposed site.

In accordance with Section 16-50j-40 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, on or about March 27, 2020, written notice of the intent to file the petition for a declaratory ruling was provided to the Council, the property owner of record, abutting property owners and the chief elected official of the municipality in which the solar facility is proposed to be located and the chief elected official of any municipalities within 2,500 feet of the proposed site.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling, please feel free to call me at 860-827-2951 or submit written comments to the Council by April 26, 2020.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director/Staff Attorney

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c: Melissa Gil, Zoning/Wetland Enforcement Officer, Town of Canterbury