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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

August 26, 2020

The Honorable James M. Hayden
First Selectman
East Granby Town Hall
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1429** - The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed 1768 Line Lattice Tower Replacement Project consisting of the reconductoring and replacement of electric transmission line structures along approximately 7 miles of its existing No. 1768 115-kilovolt (kV) double-circuit electric transmission line within existing Eversource electric transmission line right-of-way between East Granby Junction in East Granby and the Suffield, Connecticut/Agawam, Massachusetts border, and related electric transmission line structure improvements.

Dear First Selectman Hayden:

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 make modifications to an existing electric transmission line in the Towns of East Granby and Suffield.

In accordance with Section 16-50j-40 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, on or about August 26, 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 municipalities in which the existing electric transmission line is located.

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 September 25, 2020.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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c: Gary Haynes, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of East Granby (garyh@egtownhall.com)