

CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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August 23, 2010

TO:

Council Members

FROM:

Melanie Bachman, Acting Executive Director

RE:

Docket 187A- PDC - El Paso Milford LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Milford Power Project located off of

Oronoque Road in Milford, Connecticut.

Enclosed please find a copy of the Council's notice of public hearing.

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Enclosure (1)

c: Secretary of the State (via e-mail service)
Parties and Intervenors
Application Service Recipients
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HEARING NOTICE

Pursuant to provisions of General Statutes § 16-50m and Section 16-50j-21 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, notice is hereby given that the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, September 30, 2010, beginning at 1:00 p.m., in Hearing Room One, Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut, to reopen **Docket No. 187A-** PDC - El Paso Milford LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Milford Power Project located off of Oronoque Road in Milford, Connecticut. Milford Power Company is requesting to alter the Decision and Order to suspend its backup fuel system, eliminating the ability to operate on fuel oil.

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 4-181a(b) the hearing would be limited to the suspension of the backup fuel system at Milford Power and Council consideration of changed conditions and the attachment of conditions to the certificate consistent with the findings and recommendations contained in the Kleen Energy Plant Investigation Review Panel and the Thomas Commission. The 1:00 p.m. hearing session will provide the applicant, parties, and intervenors an opportunity to cross-examine positions. The public will be allowed to make brief oral statements into the record. The applicant will be allowed a final rebuttal. Arguments will be entertained in writing after the close of the last hearing session.

Applicable law for this proceeding includes the Public Utility Environmental Standards Act, General Statutes § 16-50g, et seq., and Sections 16-50j-1 through 16-50v-la of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

The Council directs that all testimony and exhibits be pre-filed with the Council and all parties and intervenors by September 23, 2010.

Individuals are encouraged to participate through their elected officials, and other party/intervenor groupings.

Any person seeking to be named or admitted as a party or intervenor to the proceeding may file a written request to be so designated at the office of the Connecticut Siting Council, 10 Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut 06051, on or before September 23, 2010.

Parties and intervenors will be allowed to submit briefs and proposed findings of fact within 30 days after the close of the hearing.

Any person who is not a party or intervenor to this proceeding may file a written statement with the Council at the hearing or any time up to 30 days thereafter. Such statements will become part of the record. No written statement or example other material, evidence, or other information will

be accepted from any person not a party or intervenor to the proceeding after 30 days following the close of the hearing, except as otherwise prescribed by law or the Council.

A verbatim transcript of the hearing session(s) will be made and deposited with the City Clerk's Office of the Milford City Hall for the convenience of the public.

Requests for information in alternative formats or for sign-language interpreter services must be submitted in writing by September 23, 2010.

The applicant of this facility is represented by the following:

Applicant

Its Representative

PDC - El Paso Milford, LLC

Franca L. DeRosa, Esq.
Philip M. Small, Esq.
Brown Rudnick Berlack Israels LLP
CityPlace I, 185 Asylum Street
Hartford, CT 06103

A copy of the request to modify the Decision and Order which initiated the reopening is available for review at the Council's office during office hours at 10 Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut, (860) 827-2935. The Council has assigned this application docket no. 187A.

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Connecticut Siting Council

Date: August 12, 2010

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LIST OF PARTIES AND INTERVENORS SERVICE LIST

Status Holder Representative		
Status Granted	(name, address & phone number)	(name, address & phone number)
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Applicant	PDC - El Paso Milford, LLC	Michael Cartney Vice President and Plant Manager Milford Power Company, LLC 55 Shelland Street Milford, CT 06460 mcartney@cpv.com
		Tom Favinger CPV Milford, LLC c/o Competitive Power Ventures, Inc. 8403 Colesville Road, Suite 915 Silver Spring, MD 20910
		Timothy P. Kober Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP 1540 Broadway New York, NY 10036
		James A. Hanley, CCTS Assistant Vice President Wilmington Trust Company Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street Wilmington, DE 19890-1605
		Franca L. DeRosa, Esq. Philip M. Small, Esq. Brown Rudnick Berlack Israels LLP CityPlace I, 185 Asylum Street Hartford, CT 06103 (860) 509-6500 (860) 509-6501 fax fderosa@brownrudnick.com psmall@brownrudnick.com
Intervenor	Connecticut Light and Power Company	Senior Counsel Northeast Utilities Service Company P.O. Box 270 Hartford, CT 06141-0270 (860) 665-3395

Date: August 12, 2010

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Status Granted	Status Holder (name, address & phone number)	Representative (name, address & phone number)
Intervenor	Southern Connecticut Gas Company	Anne McCrory, Esq. Southern Connecticut Gas Company 855 Main Street Bridgeport, CT 06604 (203) 382-8301
Intervenor	Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P.	Paul W. Diehl Iroquois Gas Transmission System, L.P. One Corporate Drive Shelton, CT 06484 (203) 925-7200



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The Honorable James L. Richetelli, Jr. City of Milford Parsons Complex 70 West River Street Milford, CT 06460-3364

RE: Hearing Date - September 30, 2010 in connection with Docket 187A-PDC - El Paso

Milford LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Milford

Power Project located off of Oronoque Road in Milford, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Richetelli:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) has scheduled a hearing for the above referenced project in the City of Milford. I am writing to invite you to participate in this hearing.

The Council fully understands that municipal input and guidance is absolutely necessary to achieve a thoughtful and balanced decision in matters such as this. Accordingly, I am extending to you my personal invitation to participate in the hearing for this proceeding that is scheduled in the City of New Britain on Thursday, September 30, 2010.

Your participation at such hearing may take many forms; municipal officials may make opening statements to the Council, present written documents, or may seek Party or Intervenor Status and put on a case with witnesses.

Our staff is available to assist you in understanding our process and your options. In the event you have specific legal questions, please contact our Staff Attorney Melanie Bachman (860 827-2951). Otherwise, you may contact Executive Director Linda Roberts (860 827-2935).

The Council weighs many issues before rendering its decisions. It is important that we know the Town's views as part of that decision making process. We hope you will take part in our hearing process.

Causo sub

Chairman

DFC/MB/jbw



Daniel F. Caruso Chairman

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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TO:

Commissioner Amey Marrella

Department of Environmental Protection

Commissioner F. Philip Prelli Department of Agriculture

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Commissioner Kevin M. DelGobbo, Chairman Department of Public Utility Control

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Department of Transportation

Commissioner Peter J. Boynton

Department of Emergency Management and Homeland Security

FROM:

Melanie Bachman, Acting Executive Director

RE:

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Oronoque Road in Milford, Connecticut.

Pursuant to General Statutes § 16-50j(h), the Connecticut Siting Council hereby solicits your written comments and consultation. Your response by or before September 23, 2010 will be appreciated.

A copy of the extension request is enclosed.

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c: Parties & Intervenors Council Members

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Ruth Girolomo Post Reporting Service, Inc. 2015 Dixwell Avenue Hamden, CT 06514

RE: **Docket 187A-** PDC - El Paso Milford LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Milford Power Project located off of Oronoque Road in Milford, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Girolomo:

Your attendance will be required at a hearing of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) regarding the subject docket on:

BritoWeston

Thursday, September 30, 2010 1:00 p.m. Hearing Room One, Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051

The Council will require delivery of the complete transcript, an original and one copy, within one week of the hearing. I am enclosing a copy of the extension request filing and our hearing notice for your convenience. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please call me.

Very truly yours,

Jessica Brito-Weston

Secretary I

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TO:

Classified/Legal Supervisor

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Milford Orange Bulletin

40 Sargent Drive

New Haven, CT 06511

Classified/Legal Supervisor The New Haven Register

40 Sargent Drive

New Haven, CT 06511

FROM:

Jessica Brito-Weston, Secretary I

RE:

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Compatibility and Public Need for the Milford Power Project located off of

Oronoque Road in Milford, Connecticut.

Please publish the attached legal notice for one day on the first day possible from receipt of this notice, except on Saturday, Sunday, or holiday.

Pursuant to General Statutes § 16-50m(c), the general notice to be public shall be published in its entirety in not less than <u>TEN POINT BOLDFACE TYPE</u>. If you have any questions concerning the ten point type, please contact me. If your newspaper does not have ten point type, please so state and also state the size type actually used in the legal notice in your affidavit.

Please send affidavit of publication and invoice to:

Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

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