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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

July 16, 2020

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RE: **DOCKET NO. 461A** - Eversource Energy Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a 115-kilovolt (kV) bulk substation located at 290 Railroad Avenue, Greenwich, Connecticut, and two 115-kV transmission circuits extending approximately 2.3 miles between the proposed substation and the existing Cos Cob Substation, Greenwich, Connecticut, and related substation improvements.

Dear Ms. Bellion:

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-62 (b) and in response to your email of July 16, 2020, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Development and Management (D&M) Plan for extended work hours on July 17 and 18, 2020 from 9 PM to 5AM to complete trenching/duct bank installation along Arch Street between the I-95 northbound Exit 3 on-ramp and Railroad Avenue. Previously scheduled work at this location has been delayed by a water line break which flooded the trench/duct bank work area.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of July 16, 2020. Any additional changes to the D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the D&M Plan (Vol. 2, Part 1) on January 17, 2019. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-62.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

*s/Melanie Bachman*

Melanie Bachman  
Executive Director

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**From:** Bellion, Susan J <susan.bellion@eversource.com>  
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**Subject:** Docket 461A: GSLP, 115-kV Underground Transmission Line D&M Plan (Volume II-Part 1) Request for Extended Hours Friday, July 17 and Saturday, July 18

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Eversource Energy seeks the approval of Connecticut Siting Council staff for extended work hours on Friday and Saturday, July 17 and 18, 2020 from 9PM to 5AM (Please refer to the D&M Plan, Appendix F, mapsheets 14 and 15) to complete the trenching/duct bank installation along Arch Street between the I-95 northbound Exit 3 on-ramp and Railroad Avenue.

During the overnight hours of July 14-15, 2020, a nearby Aquarion water line ruptured, flooding the GSLP work zone. Aquarion crews required more than 36 hours to complete the repairs to the water line. During this time GSLP, trenching / duct bank installation work on Arch Street was not able to proceed during the scheduled night hours on both Tuesday, July 14 and Wednesday, July 15. Currently, the approved work hours on Arch Street are from 9 PM to 5 AM, Sunday to Thursday. The proposed extended work shifts on Friday, July 17, and Saturday, July 18, will allow the construction crews to make up for the work time lost on Tuesday-Wednesday nights, and complete the last remaining section of duct bank installation along Arch Street.

The Town of Greenwich has been notified and they have no issues with the extended hours.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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