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Ms. Melanie Bachman, Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council Ten Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

## Re: Docket No. 461A: Greenwich Substation and Line Project Development and Management Plan 115-kV Double Circuit Underground Transmission Lines Request for Additional Staging/Laydown Area: Bruce Museum Parking Lot

Dear Ms. Bachman:

In accordance with the above-referenced Development and Management (D&M) Plan, the Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (Eversource) is in the process of constructing the doublecircuit underground transmission lines for the Greenwich Substation and Line Project (GSLP, Project). To facilitate the construction process, Eversource proposes to use an additional temporary staging / laydown area, to be located on an approximately 3,500-square-foot portion (eight parking spaces) of the Bruce Museum's paved parking lot (1 Museum Drive; refer to D&M Plan Mapsheet #12, Line List # 289). The attached map and photographs illustrate the location of the proposed laydown area.

Eversource's transmission line contractor has an agreement in place with Bruce Museum (Town of Greenwich) for the use of this additional laydown area. Per this agreement, the 3,500-square foot area would be available to the contractor from June 15, 2019 through December 30, 2019. The area would be used to store Project construction materials and support equipment, and may be accessed 24 hours a day, depending on the Project's day-or night-time construction activities, which are being performed pursuant to the work hours approved in the Traffic Management Plan (Appendix C to the D&M Plan). Per the agreement with Bruce Museum, the laydown area would be fenced off from other areas of the Museum parking lot; the temporary fence would be chain link with a privacy screen and locking gate. Use of the yard for GSLP activities would not interfere with pedestrian or vehicular access to the Museum.

The property abutters and the Town of Greenwich have been notified of this request.

Pursuant to Sections C.2.1 and F.2 of the D&M Plan, Eversource seeks Connecticut Siting Council's (Council's) staff approval for the use of the staging/laydown area in the Bruce Museum parking lot.

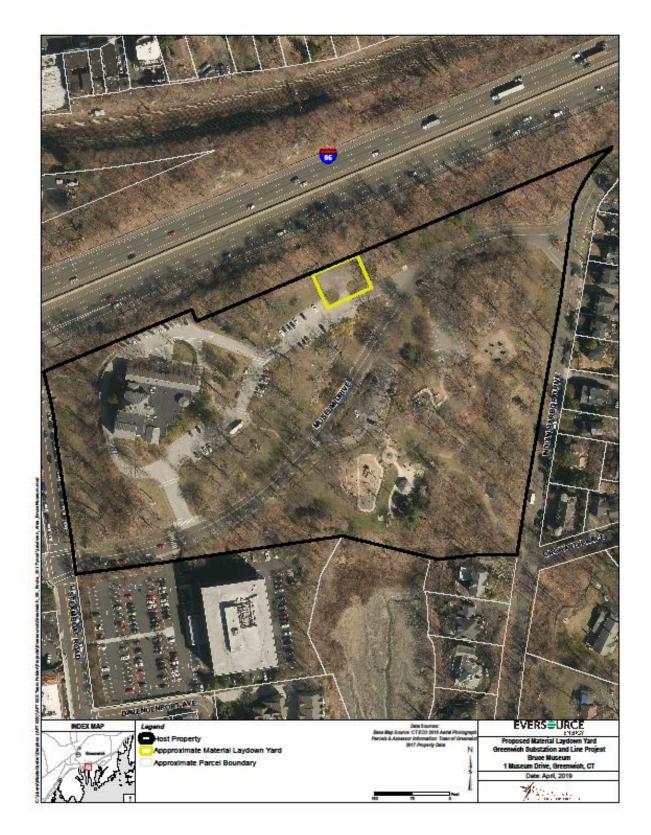
Should you have any questions regarding this D&M Plan change request, please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail at <u>kathleen.shanley@eversource.com</u> or telephone at (860) 728-4527.

Sincerely,

Kathleen M. Shanley

Attachments

Cc: Mr. James Michel, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, Town of Greenwich



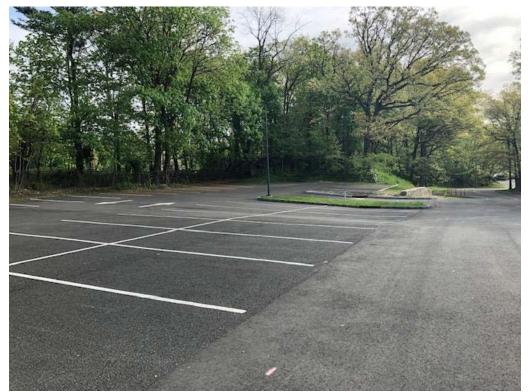
Note: The above aerial image pre-dates the expansion of the paved portion of the Museum parking lot, where the proposed staging/laydown yard will be located. Refer to the attached representative photographs for street-level views of the proposed yard area within the parking lot.

## REPRESENTATIVE PHOTOGRAPHS, MAY 7, 2019 PROPOSED STAGING/LAYDOWN YARD BRUCE MUSEUM PARKING LOT

(Note: Because the parking area proposed for the staging/laydown yard was only recently paved, neither D&M Mapsheet 12 nor the aerial photograph-based map dated April 2019 accurately illustrate the extent of paving.)



Photograph 1: Paved area proposed for temporary staging/laydown yard; view to west, toward Bruce Museum.



Photograph 2: Paved area proposed for temporary staging/laydown yard; view to east, toward Museum Drive.