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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

October 8, 2019

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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 dated October 8, 2019, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Greenwich Substation Development and Management (D&M) Plan for extended work hours from 7 AM to 7 PM Monday through Friday and from 8 AM to 6 PM on Saturday starting Thursday, October 10, 2019 through Saturday, November 9, 2019 instead of the previously approved work hours of 7 AM to 6 PM, Monday through Friday and 9 AM to 5 PM on Saturday.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of October 8, 2019. 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 on March 29, 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.

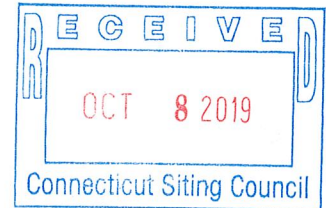
Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

c: Kathleen Shanley, Eversource





From: Bellion, Susan J <susan.bellion@eversource.com>

Sent: Tuesday, October 8, 2019 10:29 AM

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Subject: Docket 461A: Greenwich Substation and Line Project: D&M Plan Greenwich SS: Request for Extended Hours: 10/10/19 through 11/9/19

Dear Ms. Bachman:

For the construction of the Greenwich Substation, Eversource requests approval of extended work hours from 7AM to 7 PM Monday through Friday and from 8 AM to 6 PM on Saturday starting Thursday 10/10/19 through Saturday 11/9/19. Normal work hours at the substation work site are 7 AM to 6 PM, Monday through Friday and 9 AM to 5 PM on Saturday. Thus, the extended work hours involve one extra hour on weekdays and two extra hours on Saturdays.

The extended work hours would expedite the completion of the construction activities required to support the excavation of 40+ drilled shaft foundations on the substation site and therefore minimize the time that the large drill rig much remain on-site. The drilled shaft foundations are required for the substation perimeter wall (35+ foundations), as well as certain structures and foundations within the substation footprint (i.e., lightning mast). Drilling activities, which commenced at the substation on September 23, are taking longer than originally anticipated due to the presence of subsurface rock encountered at the locations of the drilled shaft foundations. Further, being able to complete the drilling activities as expeditiously as possible will free up space on the already constrained work site for large equipment deliveries such as the transformers and control house.

Eversource has consulted with representatives of the Town of Greenwich regarding this extended work hour request.

If you should have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you.

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