



STATE OF CONNECTICUT

CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051

Phone: (860) 827-2935 Fax: (860) 827-2950

E-Mail: siting.council@ct.gov

www.ct.gov/csc

January 30, 2017

Kathleen M. Shanley
Manager-Transmission Siting
Eversource Energy
P.O. Box 270
Hartford, CT 06141-0270

RE: DOCKET NO. 466 - The Connecticut Light & Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Frost Bridge to Campville 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line project that traverses the municipalities of Watertown, Thomaston, Litchfield, and Harwinton, which consists of (a) construction, maintenance and operation of a new 115-kV overhead electric transmission line entirely within existing Eversource right-of-way and associated facilities extending approximately 10.4 miles between Eversource's existing Frost Bridge Substation in the Town of Watertown and existing Campville Substation in the Town of Harwinton; (b) related modifications to Frost Bridge Substation and Campville Substation; and (c) reconfiguration of a 0.4 mile segment of two existing 115-kV electric transmission lines across the Naugatuck River in the Towns of Litchfield and Harwinton within the same existing right-of-way as the new 115-kV electric transmission line.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

Pursuant to a decision made in accordance with R.C.S.A. §16-50j-62 (b) at a public meeting of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on September 15, 2016, Council staff hereby approves the use of a contractor staging area for this project submitted to the Council on January 26, 2017. The staging area will be established in the upland portion of a vacant 3-acre industrial parcel located at 760 South Main Street in Torrington. Appropriate erosion and sedimentation controls will be installed and maintained at the staging area, in accordance with the Best Management Practices and the Spill Prevention and Countermeasures Plan provided in the approved Development and Management (D&M) Plan.

The Council also understands Eversource will utilize existing office space located at 30 Peck Road in Torrington for administrative use.

This approval applies only to the proposed location of the staging area and office space provided in your request dated January 26, 2017. 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 September 15, 2016. 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.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

MB/RDM

c: Parties and Intervenor
The Honorable Elinor Carbone, Mayor, City of Torrington
Martin Connor, City Planner, City of Torrington



CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

Affirmative Action / Equal Opportunity Employer