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## VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

August 20, 2020

Helen M. Taylor, MBA Project Siting Specialist Eversource Energy 56 Prospect Street Hartford, CT 06103

RE: **DOCKET NO. 474** - The Connecticut Light & Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Greater Hartford-Central Connecticut Reliability Project that traverses the municipalities of Hartford, West Hartford, and Newington, which consists of (a) construction, maintenance and operation of a new 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line within existing Eversource, Amtrak and public road rights-of-way and associated facilities extending overhead approximately 2.4 miles and underground approximately 1.3 miles between Eversource's existing Newington Substation in the Town of Newington and existing Southwest Hartford Substation in the City of Hartford; (b) modifications to a .01 mile section within existing Eversource right-of-way of the existing overhead 115-kV electric transmission line connection to the Newington Substation (Newington Tap); and (c) related modifications to Newington Substation and Southwest Hartford Substation. **D&M Plan Work Hours Revision.** 

Dear Ms. Taylor:

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-62 (b) and in response to your email of August 19, 2020, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Overhead Development and Management (D&M) Plan to allow construction activities associated with the above project to be performed from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 23, 2020. Specifically, pulling activities will be performed for the new #1346 transmission line in West Hartford and Newington during a scheduled outage.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of August 19, 2020. Any additional changes to the Overhead D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the Overhead D&M Plan on April 26, 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 A. Bachman

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

MB/MP

c: Kathleen Shanley, Eversource Energy

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Sent: Wednesday, August 19, 2020 8:34 AM

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**Subject:** Docket 474 Sunday Work Hour Request 8/23

Docket No. 474: Greater Hartford – Central Connecticut Reliability Project Proposed Sunday Work Hours for August 23

## Dear Melanie Bachman:

Due to a schedule delay resulting from the focus on restoration following the recent storm event, Eversource is requesting approval from Council staff for Sunday work hours (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) on August 23. The associated work activities would be for pulling the new 1346 Line in West Hartford and Newington during the scheduled outage.

The municipal officials of West Hartford and Newington have been notified of the of work activities.

If you have any questions or concerns about this work, please contact me

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