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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

September 11, 2020

Helen M. Taylor, MBA
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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 September 10, 2020, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Substation/Tap and Underground Development and Management (D&M) Plan to allow work activities associated with the above project to be performed from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 13, 2020. Specifically, minor work will be performed within the control enclosures of the Newington and Southwest Hartford Substations, and testing of the communication and cable system will be performed to prepare for energization during the scheduled outage.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of September 10, 2020. Any additional changes to the Substation/Tap and Underground D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the Substation/Tap and Underground D&M Plan on August 31, 2018. 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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Subject: Docket No. 474: Sunday Work Hour request 9/13

Docket No. 474: Greater Hartford – Central Connecticut Reliability Project
Proposed Sunday Work Hours for September 13

Dear Melanie Bachman:

Eversource is requesting approval from Council staff for Sunday work hours (7 a.m. to 7 p.m.) on September 13. The associated work activities would include minor work within the control enclosure at the Newington and Southwest Hartford substations and testing of the communication and cable system to prepare for energization during the scheduled outage.

The municipal officials of 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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