



January 23, 2026

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

RE: Docket No. 3B – Derby Junction to Ansonia 115-kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project,
Quarterly Construction Status Report – Q4 2025

Dear Ms. Bachman,

Pursuant to the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies section 16-50j-62(b)(3) and as described in the Derby Junction to Ansonia 115-kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project Decision & Order dated October 27, 2022, The United Illuminating Company hereby provides to the Connecticut Siting Council (“Council”) this Construction Progress Report for the fourth quarter of 2025.

Should you or the Council members have any questions regarding this submission, please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail at c.auer@uinet.com or telephone at (860) 202-8762.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Correne Auer'.

Correne Auer

Manager of Environmental & Permitting

Enclosure

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PROJECT SUMMARY

Pre-Construction Activities

Pre-construction activities have been completed.

Construction Activities

Construction activities were mainly limited between Structures 9 to 14, and included the installation/maintenance of erosion and sediment controls, drilling and concrete pour for one pole foundation, one pole installation, removal of former lattice structures and associated foundations, overhead line work, and temporary restoration of limited areas.

Construction of the project is complete; however, environmental inspections and restoration activities will continue through the 2026 growing season in compliance with the Project D&M Plan and Connecticut Department of Energy & Environmental Protection (CTDEEP) Stormwater Pollution Control Plan (SWPCP). The United Illuminating Company will provide a completion letter to the Connecticut Siting Council (CSC) following the submission of the CTDEEP Stormwater Construction General Permit Notice of Termination.

Post-Construction Activities

Restoration/final stabilization activities continued for Structures 360, 1-9 and 15-21. Inspections are being conducted as specified in the CTDEEP General Permit for the Discharge of Stormwater and Dewatering Wastewaters from Construction Activities and the Stormwater Pollution Control Plan.

Notifications

No notifications were submitted for the fourth quarter of 2025.

D & M Deviation

Significant D & M Deviations approved in the fourth quarter of 2025 included the following:

- **Temporary Extended Work Hours for Sunday:** In order to maintain project schedule and complete the removal of the lattice structures between Structures 10 to 13 prior to end of a current outage, work had to be conducted on Sunday, 11/23/2025. **Approved:** November 21, 2025.

Minor D & M Deviations in the fourth quarter of 2025 included the following:

- Fourteen danger trees were removed along the corridor through Osbornedale State Park, with the coordination and approval from CT DEEP, as directed in the “*Docket 3B Modified*”

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Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need - Findings of Fact, Section 122".

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Project Photos:



Photo 1: STR 350

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Photo 2: STR 356

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Photo 3: STR 359

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Photo 4: STR 360

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Photo 5: STRs 3A & 3B

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Photo 6: STR 7

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Photo 7: STR 10

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Photo 8: STR 11

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Photo 9: STR 13

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Photo 10: STR 14

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Photo 11: STR 15

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Photo 12: STRs 19A & 19B