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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

October 17, 2022

Helen M. Taylor Senior Project Siting Specialist - Transmission Eversource Energy P.O. Box 270 Hartford, CT 06141 <u>helen.taylor@eversource.com</u>

RE: **EM-EVER-097-220613e** – The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy notice of intent to modify an existing energy facility located at Farmery Lane, Newtown, Connecticut.

Dear Helen Taylor:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) in in receipt of your correspondence of October 7, 2022 notifying the Council of additional temporary vegetation clearing adjacent to the substation fence to accommodate the installation of CONNEX boxes for construction materials storage.

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-57, the Council acknowledges notification of the additional temporary vegetation clearing and installation of CONNEX boxes adjacent to the substation fence. This acknowledgment applies only to the project changes in the correspondence dated October 7, 2022.

The vegetation clearing and CONNEX box installation is to be implemented as specified in your notice dated October 7, 2022.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

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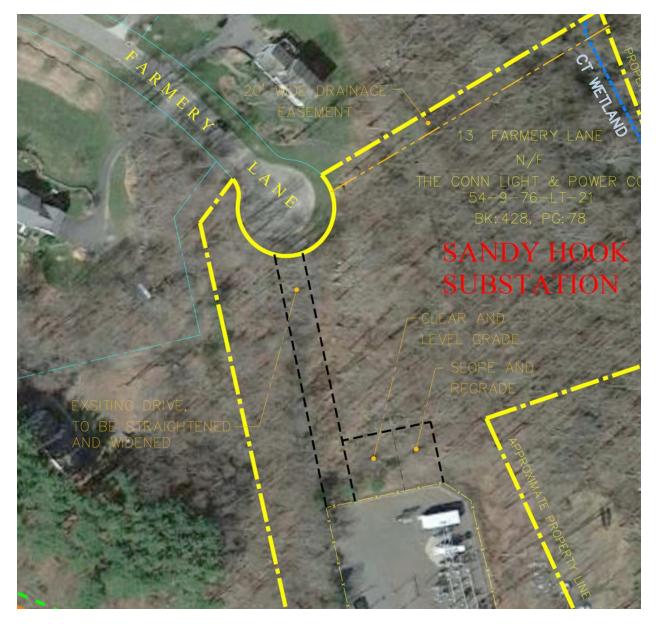
cc: Kathleen Shanley, Eversource Energy (Kathleen.shanley@eversource.com)

From: Taylor, Helen M <<u>helen.taylor@eversource.com</u>>
Sent: Friday, October 7, 2022 3:00 PM
To: CSC-DL Siting Council <<u>Siting.Council@ct.gov</u>>
Cc: Shanley, Kathleen M <<u>kathleen.shanley@eversource.com</u>>
Subject: CSC Notice - EM-EVER-097-220613e - Sandy Hook

Dear Ms. Bachman:

This notice is to inform the Connecticut Siting Council Staff that Eversource will need to clear additional vegetation that abuts the Sandy Hook Substation fence line on Eversource property (yellow line). The additional clearing is required for CONNEX boxes to store the construction materials for the work. The vegetation clearing would be approximately 3,400 square feet, 40 feet north by 65 feet east from Substation fence. The slope and regraded area would be 40 feet north by 20 feet east of north side of Substation fence. See Figure 1 below. The clearing would be temporary and not impact the visibility of the Substation to the abutting property owners. Eversource has provided notice to the municipality and abutters of this work.

Figure 1 Sandy Hook Substation



Please contact me with any questions or concerns.

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