March 7, 2022

Via Electronic Mail

Melanie A. Bachman, Esq. **Executive Director** Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051 Siting.Council@ct.gov

Re: PETITION NO. 1310A - Quinebaug Solar, LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 50 megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on approximately 561 acres comprised of 29 separate and abutting privately-owned parcels located generally north of Wauregan Road in Canterbury and south of Rukstela Road and Allen Hill Road in Brooklyn, Connecticut. Reopening of this petition based on changed conditions pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-181a(b).

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies section 16-50j-62(b)(3) and in accordance with Condition 5 of the Connecticut Siting Council's April 23, 2020 Decision and Order in the abovereferenced proceeding, Quinebaug Solar, LLC ("Quinebaug Solar") hereby provides the monthly progress reports (see Attachment A) and notice that construction is complete for the above captioned project. The following activities are ongoing at the site:

- o SWPCP inspections are ongoing per the SWPCP plan
- O Punch list items are ongoing and will continue as needed
 - o Minor site cleanup will continue as needed
 - o Site inspections will occur in the spring to monitor all plantings, including hydroseed.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned should you have any questions or require any additional information.

Thank you for your consideration,

Senior Project Manager- Engineering & Construction

Cc:

Jeffrey Schrimpf

Tracy Backer

Quinebaug Solar, LLC

Attachment A

Monthly Construction Progress Updates

May 2021

- · Management mobilized to site, established site facilities.
- · Civil, Structural, Electrical and Substation Contractors mobilized to site. Established laydown areas and site facilities. (Supreme Industries, TerraSmart, Mass Electric, and Ryan Company).
- · Quinebaug staff hosted onboarding meetings onsite with contractors to familiarize with site conditions, council requirements and environmental expectations.
- · Supreme Industries began site access road construction and both temporary and permanent SWPPP measures.
- · Supreme Industries began to spray hydroseeding for stabilization requirements.
- TerraSmart began ground screw installation.
- · Weekly site SWPPP monitoring.

June 2021

- · Supreme Industries continued with site access roads, completing initial road construction on 06/28/2021.
- · Supreme Industries continued with SWPPP measure installation and hydroseeding.
- · TerraSmart continued with ground screw installation.
- TerraSmart began racking system installation.
- · TerraSmart began module installation.
- · Mass Electric began PV string wire installation on 06/15/2021.
- · Ryan Company began to excavate and pour equipment foundations at substation.
- · Weekly site SWPPP monitoring.

July 2021

- · Mass Electric began underground AC and DC cable installation.
- · Supreme Industries continued with SWPPP measure installation and hydroseeding.
- · TerraSmart continued with ground screws, racking system, and module installation.
- · Mass Electric continued with PV string wire installation.
- Mass Electric began to plug installed modules.
- · Mass Electric began inverter skid installation.
- · Weekly site SWPPP monitoring.

August 2021

- · Supreme Industries completed SWPPP measure installation on 08/03/2021.
- · Supreme Industries continued with hydroseeding, completing on 08/30/2021.
- · Supreme Industries graded areas which were disturbed by construction.
- · Ryan Company began control cable installation in substation.
- · Ryan Company began to set substation equipment (switches, breakers, CTs, PTs etc.)
- · Ryan Company completed the equipment foundations and set the GSU on 08/09/2021.
- · TerraSmart continued with ground screws, racking system and module installation.
- · Mass Electric continued with AC/DC cable, PV string wire and module plugging.
- Mass Electric completed inverter skid installation on 08/05/2021.
- · Weekly site SWPPP monitoring.

September 2021

- · Supreme Industries graded areas which were disturbed by construction.
- · TerraSmart continued with ground screws, racking system and module installation.
- · Mass Electric continued with AC/DC cable, PV string wire and module plugging.
- · Mass Electric began combiner box installation and termination on 09/07/2021.
- · Ryan Company continued with substation equipment installation.
- · Weekly SWPPP monitoring.

October 2021

- · Supreme Industries graded areas which were disturbed by construction, completing on 10/25/2021.
- · Ryan Company set and installed substation control house.
- · Ryan Company completed installation of substation equipment and began NEER testing
- requirements.
- TerraSmart continued with ground screws, racking system and module installation.
- · Mass Electric continued with AC/DC cable, PV string wire, module plugging, and combiner box installation.
- · Weekly SWPPP monitoring.

November 2021

- · Ryan Company completed substantial construction and testing of the substation.
- · Ryan Company began QA/QC and establishing a punch list for Quinebaug's review.
- · Mass Electric completed combiner box installation on 11/23/2021.
- · TerraSmart continued with ground screws, racking system and module installation.
- · Mass Electric continued with AC/DC cable, PV string wire, module plugging, and combiner box installation.
- · Mass Electric completed AC/DC cable install on 11/19/2021.

December 2021

- · Ryan Company completed QA/QC and closed the punch list with NEER.
- · Ryan Company assisted Quinebaug's HV team with substation load banking.
- · Mass Electric completed PV string wire and module plugging on 12/17/2021.
- · Mass Electric supported TMIEC and Quinebaug's commissioning team with cold and hot commissioning.
- · Ryan Company demobilized their site facilities and equipment.
- · Quinebaug Solar went COD.

January 2022

- · Mass Electric began QA/QC and establishing a punch list for Quinebaug's review.
- · TerraSmart began QA/QC and establishing a punch list for Quinebaug's review.
- · Supreme Industries began winter seeding and stabilization.

February 2022

- · Mass Electric completed QA/QC and closed the punch list with Quinebaug.
- · Mass Electric demobilized their site facilities and equipment.
- TerraSmart continued QA/QC and punch list.
- · Supreme Industries resurfaced access roads and finished winter seeding/stabilization.

March 2022

TerraSmart continued QA/QC and punchlist.