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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

August 29, 2024

Steve Broyer  
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1395A** – Windham Solar LLC Declaratory Ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the construction, maintenance and operation of one 1.0-megawatt (MW) and one 0.99 MW solar photovoltaic electric generating facilities located at 31 Benz Street, Ansonia, Connecticut. **Partial Development and Management Plan II Interrogatories.**

Dear Steve Broyer:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) requests your responses to the enclosed questions no later than September 12, 2024.

Please submit an original and 15 copies to the Council's office and an electronic copy to [siting.council@ct.gov](mailto:siting.council@ct.gov). In accordance with the State Solid Waste Management Plan and in accordance with Section 16-50j-12 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, the Council requests all filings be submitted on recyclable paper, primarily regular weight white office paper. Please avoid using heavy stock paper, colored paper, and metal or plastic binders and separators. Fewer copies of bulk material may be provided as appropriate.

**Please be advised that the original and 15 copies are required to be submitted to the Council's office on or before the September 12, 2024 deadline.**

Copies of your responses are required to be provided to all parties and intervenors listed in the service list, which can be found on the Council's website under the "Pending Matters" link.

Any request for an extension of time to submit responses to interrogatories shall be submitted to the Council in writing pursuant to §16-50j-22a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman  
Executive Director

c: Service List, dated April 23, 2021

Enclosure: Revised Schedule, dated August 29, 2024

**Petition No. 1395A  
Windham Solar LLC  
31 Benz Street, Ansonia**

**Partial Development & Management (D&M) Plan II  
Interrogatories**

1. Referencing Condition 1(e) of the Council's June 21, 2021 Declaratory Ruling, what is the status of the sheep grazing plan?
2. Referencing Condition 1(i) of the Council's June 21, 2021 Declaratory Ruling, what is the status of the consultation with the DEEP Dam Safety Division regarding permitting requirements for the proposed stormwater basins?
3. Referencing Condition 1(j) of the Council's June 21, 2021 Declaratory Ruling and Partial D&M Plan II Exhibit C, submit documentation that the selected solar panels will not contain PFAS and will not be characterized as hazardous waste through TCLP testing.
4. Referencing Partial D&M Plan II Overall Site Electrical Plan PV-3, a "Hill Street System" is shown northwest of the solar facility site approved by the Council in the June 21, 2021 Declaratory Ruling. Clarify.
5. Referencing Partial D&M Plan II narrative p. 3, it states the completed electrical design of the facility was revised to include 1,976 modules (685 Watts) instead of the 4,860 modules (475 Watts) specified in Partial D&M Plan I. Given that there is a reduction in the number of modules by 2,884, is there corresponding reduction in the footprint of the solar facility site approved by the Council in the June 21, 2021 Declaratory Ruling? Explain.



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### REVISED DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLAN SCHEDULE

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Motion to Vacate or Reconsider the March 12, 2021 Council Decision	03/26/2021
Motion to Reconsider granted by the Council	04/22/2021
Council Interrogatories	
• Set-One Filed	05/03/2021
• Set-One responses due	05/27/2021
Deadline for Exchange of Interrogatories between Participants	05/06/2021
Responses to Participant Interrogatories due	05/27/2021
Deadline for Decision after Reconsideration	07/21/2021
Final Decision	06/21/2021
Partial Development and Management (D&M) Plan I received	06/28/2021
Deadline for Decision for Partial D&M Plan I	08/27/2021
90-day extension for Deadline for Decision for Partial D&M Plan I per Emergency Orders, as extended	11/25/2021
Decision for Partial D&M Plan I	07/30/2021
<b>Partial D&amp;M Plan II received</b>	<b>08/15/2024</b>
<b>Council Interrogatories</b>	
• <b>Set-One Issued</b>	<b>08/29/2024</b>
• <b>Set-One responses due</b>	<b>09/12/2024</b>
<b>Deadline for Decision for Partial D&amp;M Plan II</b>	<b>10/14/2024</b>