

CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on March 25, 2020, provided notice of its Petition For A Declaratory Ruling That A Certificate of Environmental Compatibility And Public Need Is Not Required for the installation of an alternating current and a ground mounted solar photovoltaic electric generating facility proposed to be situated on in Winchester (Winsted), Connecticut, to the following (a copy of the sample letter is attached hereto):

Town of Winchester Officials:

Town of Winchester
The Honorable Althea Candy Perez, Mayor
338 Main Street
Winsted, CT 06098

Town of Winchester
Mr. Robert Geiger, Town Manager
338 Main Street
Winsted, CT 06098

Town of Winchester
Ms. Sheila S. Sedlack, Town Clerk
338 Main Street
Winsted, CT 06098

Town of Winchester
Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Agency
c/o Ric Nalette, Jr., Chair
338 Main Street
Winsted, CT 06098

Town of Winchester
Planning and Zoning Commission
c/o Craig Sanden, Chair
338 Main Street
Winsted, CT 06098

State and Regional Officials:

State of Connecticut
Office of the Attorney General
c/o The Honorable William Tong
55 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106

State of Connecticut
Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection
c/o James C. Rovella, Commissioner
1111 Country Club Road
Middletown, CT 06457

State of Connecticut
Department of Public Health
c/o Renee Coleman-Mitchell, Commissioner-
410 Capitol Avenue
Hartford, CT 06106

State of Connecticut
Council on Environmental Quality
c/o Susan D. Merrow, Chair
79 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106

State of Connecticut
Department of Energy & Environmental Protection
c/o Katie Dykes, Commissioner
79 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106

State of Connecticut
Public Utility Regulatory Authority
c/o Marissa Gillett, Chair
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

State of Connecticut
Office of Policy and Management
c/o Melissa McCaw, Secretary
450 Capitol Avenue
Hartford, CT 06106

State of Connecticut
Department of Economic and Community Development
c/o David Lehman, DECD Commissioner
450 Columbus Boulevard
Hartford, CT 06103

State of Connecticut
Department of Agriculture
c/o Bryan P. Hurlburt, Commissioner
450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 701
Hartford, CT 06103

State of Connecticut
Department of Transportation
c/o Joseph Giulietti, Commissioner
2800 Berlin Turnpike
Newington, CT 06131

State of Connecticut
Department of Consumer Protection
c/o Michelle Seagull, Commissioner
450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 901
Hartford, CT 06103

State of Connecticut
Department of Administrative Services
c/o Josh Geballe, Commissioner
450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 901
Hartford, CT 06103

State of Connecticut
Department of Labor
c/o Kurt Westby, Commissioner
200 Folly Brook Boulevard
Wethersfield, CT 06109

Northwest Hills Council of Governments
Suite A-1
59 Torrington Road
Goshen, CT 06756

State Historic Preservation Office
c/o Mary B. Dunne, State Historic Preservation Officer
450 Columbus Boulevard, Suite 5
Hartford, CT 06103

State Representative Jay M. Case
Legislative Office Building, Room 4200
300 Capitol Avenue
Hartford, CT 06106

State Senator Craig Miner
Legislative Office Building, Room 3204
300 Capitol Avenue
Hartford, CT 06106

Federal Officials

U.S. Department of Transportation
Federal Aviation Administration
c/o Dan Elwell, Acting Administrator
800 Independence Avenue, S W
Washington, DC 20591

Federal Communications Commission
c/o Ajit Pai, Chairman
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

U.S. Senator Christopher Murphy
Colt Gateway, Suite 401
120 Huyshope Avenue
Hartford, CT 06106

U.S. Senator Richard Blumenthal
90 State House Square, 10th Floor
Hartford, CT 06103

U.S. Representative John B. Larson
Connecticut 1st District
221 Main Street, 2nd Floor
Hartford, CT 06106

Petitioner
LSE PICTOR LLC

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SAMPLE LETER



March 25, 2020

Via USPS PRIORITY MAIL

Re: LSE Pictor LLC (“Lodestar Energy”) – Petition for Declaratory Ruling for Solar Energy Project on Platt Hill Road, Winchester (Winsted), CT

To Whom It May Concern:

LSE Pictor LLC (“Lodestar Energy”) intends to file a Petition for Declaratory Ruling (“Petition”) with the Connecticut Siting Council (“Council”) in March, 2020. The Petition will seek approval of the location, construction, operation and maintenance of an approximately 1.99 megawatt solar photovoltaic (“PV”) project, including all associated equipment and related site improvements (the “Project”), to be located at Platt Hill Road in Winchester (Winsted), Connecticut. The site is generally bounded by Platt Hill Road to the west, Forest Avenue to the north.

The proposed Project will consist of ground-mounted solar PV panels, centralized inverters and transformers, electrical lines, a step-up transformer and fence, a station controller, a perimeter fence and an access road and substation.

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50g *et seq.*, the location and/or certain features of the Project may change through the Council’s regulatory approval process. Electricity generated by the Project will be supplied to the electric grid and will supply 100% renewable energy in furtherance of Connecticut’s renewable energy goals.

This notice is being sent to you because you are listed as an owner of land that abuts the Property, you are a state agency or municipality to whom notice is required, or in the alternative, as a courtesy. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jeff Macel using the contact information below. You may also contact the Council directly at (860) 827-2935.

Sincerely,



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