

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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## VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

August 14, 2020

Carrie Larson Ortolano, Esq. Lodestar Energy, LLC 40 Tower Lane, Suite 201 Avon, CT 06001 cortolano@lodestarenergy.com

RE: **PETITION NO. 1398 -** LSE Pictor, 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 1.99-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on an approximately 104 acre parcel located off of Platt Hill Road, Winchester, Connecticut and associated electrical interconnection.

Dear Attorney Ortolano:

At a public meeting held on August 13, 2020, the Connecticut Siting Council voted to set the date by which to render a decision on the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling as no later than December 22, 2020 in accordance with Section 4-176(e) of the Connecticut General Statutes, Section 16-50j-40(c) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies and Governor Lamont's Executive Order No. 7M issued on March 25, 2020.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

MAB/RDM/emr

c: Jeffrey Macel, Principal, Lodestar Energy, LLC The Honorable Althea Candy Perez, Mayor, Town of Winchester Robert Geiger, Town Manager, Town of Winchester Pamela Colombie, Land Use Assistant, Town of Winchester