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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

December 17, 2020

TO: Service List, dated December 15, 2020

FROM: Melanie Bachman, Executive Director *MAB*

RE: **PETITION NO. 1425** – Gaylord Mountain Solar Project 2019, 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 1.9-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 360 Gaylord Mountain Road in Hamden, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

During a public hearing of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on December 15, 2020, the Council ruled on the following motion:

1. Shawn O’Sullivan Request for Intervenor Status, dated December 4, 2020

The request was granted.

Continuation of Evidentiary Hearing

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) shall continue the remote evidentiary hearing session for the above-referenced proceeding on **Thursday, January 7, 2021** via Zoom conferencing, beginning at **2:00 p.m.** A copy of the Instructions for Access to the Continued Evidentiary Hearing is attached.

The hearing shall commence with the appearance of Intervenor Shawn O’Sullivan for cross examination by the Council, Petitioner and Regional Water Authority (RWA) and conclude with further cross examination of the Petitioner on the below-referenced Late-Filed Exhibits by the Council, RWA and Shawn O’Sullivan.

Petitioner’s Late-Filed Exhibits

During the December 15, 2020 evidentiary hearing session, the Council requested that the Petitioner submit the following information as late-filed exhibits:

- a) Provide information regarding the typical depths of private drinking water wells located on properties adjacent to the site.
- b) Revise the December 8, 2020 Late File Site Plan - Sheet EXH –1A to include the following:
 - the same slope information as provided on Late File Site Plan - Sheet CP-2; and
 - areas of site grading.

The Council requests these late-filed exhibits be submitted to the Council before the close of business on December 30, 2020. Any request for an extension of time to submit the above-referenced late-filed

exhibits shall be submitted to the Council in writing pursuant to §16-50j-22a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

If you have any questions about Council procedures, please do not hesitate to contact me at the Council office at 860-827-2935.

Thank you.

Enclosure: Instructions for Access to Continued Evidentiary Hearing

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Instructions for Public Access to Petition No. 1425 Remote Continued Evidentiary Public Hearing Session – January 7, 2021 – 2 PM

PLEASE NOTE:

- Interested persons may join the continued evidentiary session to listen, but **no public comments will be received** during the continued evidentiary session. Public comments may be submitted to the Council by email at siting.council@ct.gov or by regular mail.
- Any person may be removed from the remote continued evidentiary session at the discretion of the Council.
- All participants are requested to mute sound notifications on their computer, smartphone or tablet. Telephones are often equipped with a “do not disturb” feature for the dial-in option.

Access to Continued Evidentiary Session

1. Attendees can join by clicking (or entering) the following link:
<https://zoom.us/j/94923878580?pwd=MINHaThwWjhoNzNWY2szQ0ZXbmVMZz09>
from a computer, smartphone, or tablet. No prior software download is required. Meeting ID: 949 2387 8580 and Passcode: F1kF6z
2. For audio-only participation, attendees can join by dialing in at **1 (929) 205 6099 (not toll free)** and then enter the Meeting ID: 949 2387 8580 and Passcode: 418110 from a telephone.
3. All microphones will be muted upon entry into the meeting and will be turned on in the order of party appearances and cross examination governed by the Hearing Program.
4. **No public comments will be received during the continued evidentiary session.**