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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

December 17, 2021

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RE: **PETITION NO. 1445** - The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed 1588 Line Rebuild Project, consisting of the replacement and reconductoring of electric transmission line structures along approximately 2.65 miles of its existing 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line within existing Eversource transmission line right-of-way (ROW) that extends from Wallingford Electric's Colony Substation, located at 15 Old Colony Road, Wallingford and Wallingford Electric's North Wallingford Substation, located at 130 Thorpe Avenue, Wallingford, Connecticut, and related electric transmission line structure improvements.

Dear Ms. Farrell:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated December 16, 2021 regarding the project changes to the above-referenced declaratory ruling that was issued by the Council on June 18, 2021.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's Decision on June 18, 2021, your request to utilize a modified work pad stabilized with riprap at Structure No. 3639 is hereby approved.

The modified, stabilized work pad is necessary for erosion and sediment control, and it will require re-routing of the Orchard Spruce Glen Trail. Eversource is working with the Wallingford Land Trust regarding the re-routing of the trail.

This approval applies only to the project changes dated December 16, 2021. Any significant changes to the project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director
MB/MP

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The Honorable William W. Dickinson, Jr., Mayor, Town of Wallingford
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