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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

March 1, 2023

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RE: **PETITION NO. 1454** – 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 modifications to its existing Mansfield Substation located at 140 North Eagleville Road, Mansfield, Connecticut, and related electric transmission line structure improvements.

Dear Helen Taylor:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the email correspondence dated March 1, 2023, regarding temporary changes to work hours for the above-referenced Declaratory Ruling that was issued by the Council on July 30, 2021.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's Declaratory Ruling, your request to perform work from 7:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. on March 1 and March 2, 2023, and to perform work from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the following Sundays: March 12, 19, 26 and April 2, 2023, is hereby approved. The extended work hours are necessary to provide safe operation of equipment during the CONVEX outage recall.

This approval applies only to the request for temporary changes to work hours dated March 1, 2023.

Please be advised that deviations from the standards established by the Council in the Declaratory Ruling are enforceable under the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman  
Executive Director

MB/MP

- c: The Honorable Antonia Moran, Mayor, Town of Mansfield ([morant@mansfieldct.org](mailto:morant@mansfieldct.org))  
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**Subject:** PET 1454 Mansfield: Extended work hours (7 Pm - 10 PM) for March 1 and 2

Dear Melanie Bachman:

Eversource is requesting approval from Council staff for extended work hours (7 PM – 10 PM) on March 1 and March 2 in order to safely and effectively accommodate CONVEX required recall to the ongoing outages at Mansfield Substation. This recall is due to the anticipated weather conditions that put customers at high risk. Due to the nature of the ongoing substation work, these extended hours are required reinstate and rebuild certain equipment components and implement appropriate equipment protection to provide for safe operation of the equipment during the outage recall.

In addition, due to the rescheduled outages, Eversource is also requesting additional Sunday work hours (March 12, March 19, March 26, and April 2).

The work involved with this request will take place primarily in the new relay and control enclosure building and the control cabinets of the new yard equipment. This primarily includes equipment re-wiring and testing and commissioning activities.

Eversource will provide notice to the Town of Mansfield and abutters regarding these proposed work hours.

If you have any questions or concerns about this work, please contact me.

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