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October 4, 2023

Kathleen M. Shanley
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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. **Request for Temporary Extended Work Hours.**

Dear Kathleen Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the email correspondence dated October 4, 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 Nos. 1 and 3 of the Council's Declaratory Ruling, your request to perform work from 7:00 AM until 7:00 PM on Sunday, October 8, 2023 is hereby approved. The Sunday work hours are necessary to prepare for the delivery and installation of a new substation transformer during scheduled outages and maintain the Project schedule that has been delayed as a result of inclement weather during the week of September 24, 2023.

This approval applies only to the request for changes to work hours dated October 4, 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

MAB/MP

c: The Honorable Antonia Moran, Mayor, Town of Mansfield (morant@mansfieldct.org)
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Melanie Bachman, Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
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Re: Petition No. 1454 – Modifications to Mansfield Substation - Request for Sunday Work Hours

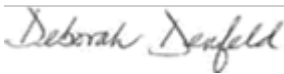
Dear Ms. Bachman:

Eversource Energy is requesting Siting Council staff review and approval of additional work hours on Sunday, October 8, 2023, from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. Eversource is requesting authorization to continue work that is necessary to prepare for the delivery and installation of the new 3X transformer in accordance with the construction and outage schedules and the planned in-service date. Due to rainfall events during the week of September 24, 2023, the contractors have been unable to work on multiple days, thus delaying progress and adherence to the routine schedules. On this Sunday, the use of large construction equipment use is not anticipated. However, the team may need to utilize a manlift or a front loader to access to the work locations. Noise will be limited to the extent that the work permits.

We have notified Town of Mansfield representatives of the proposed schedule change and will address any concerns that may be raised. We will continue to work with the Town and nearby residents to apprise them of the work and to resolve any potential conflicts or concerns.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this request.

Sincerely,



Deborah Denfeld
Team Lead – Transmission Siting