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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

September 13, 2022

Kathleen Shanley
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1484** - 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 Gales Ferry Substation located at 301 Whalehead Road, Ledyard, Connecticut, and related electric transmission line structure improvements.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the email correspondence dated September 13, 2022, regarding temporary changes to work hours for the above-referenced declaratory ruling that was issued by the Council on May 13, 2022.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's Declaratory Ruling, your request to perform work from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday September 18, 2022 is hereby approved. The Sunday work hours are necessary to complete testing of the mobile transformer that will be in operation during a scheduled line outage related to project construction.

This approval applies only to the request for changes to work hours dated September 13, 2022.

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

c: The Honorable Fred Allyn III, Mayor, Town of Ledyard (mayor@ledyardct.org) Andrew Lord, Project Siting Specialist, Eversource Energy

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### Petition No. 1448 - Gales Ferry Substation - Request for Sunday Hours



To: CSC-DL Siting Council

Tue 9/13/2022 8:50 AM

Cc: Shanley, Kathleen M <kathleen.shanley@eversource.com>

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Dear Ms. Bachman:

Eversource Energy is requesting Siting Council staff review and approval for extended work hours of 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 18, 2022, for the above-referenced project. The extended hours are needed to in order to complete testing and commissioning of the mobile transformer at the Gales Ferry Substation. The mobile transformer is needed to mitigate a single contingency line loss while the 1410 line is out of service for  $construction. \ \ The mobile transformer must be tested while the 1410 line is in service and the current outage ends on September 17, 2022, on which is a service and the current outage ends on September 17, 2022, on which is a service and the current outage ends on September 17, 2022, on which is a service and the current outage ends on September 17, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends on September 17, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends on September 17, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends on September 18, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends on September 19, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends on September 19, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends on September 19, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends on September 19, 2022, on which is a service end of the current outage ends outage ends of the current outage ends o$ date the mobile transformer will be prepared for the testing. The testing must be completed before the reliable performance of the mobile transformer is confirmed on September 19, 2022. This work must be completed according to this schedule to avoid conflicts with the scheduled outages for other components of the Eastern Connecticut Reliability project. There will be no noise associated with the testing activities that are proposed for September 18, 2022. The work hours requested are 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. We have notified the Town of Ledyard of our intention to submit this request to the Council. 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.

Best regards. Andrew

Andrew Lord Project Siting Specialist 56 Prospect Street Hartford, CT 06103 860 728-4651



#### Bachman, Melanie



Tue 9/13/2022 9:42 AM

To: Lord, Andrew <andrew.lord@eversource.com>; CSC-DL Siting Council Cc: Shanley, Kathleen M <kathleen.shanley@eversource.com>

Good morning, Andrew.

I hope all is well.

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Thanks.

From: Lord, Andrew <andrew.lord@eversource.com>

Sent: Tuesday, September 13, 2022 9:53 AM

To: Bachman, Melanie <Melanie.Bachman@ct.gov>

Subject: RE: Petition No. 1448 - Gales Ferry Substation - Request for Sunday Hours

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Good morning, Melanie. I am well; I hope the same is true for you. Please excuse my mistake, you are correct. Thank you.

Andrew