



March 10, 2022

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
10 Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

cc: Bradley J. Parsons, PE, PMP
Director of Design and Permitting
Verogy | 150 Trumbull Street, 4th Floor
Hartford, CT 06103

RE: VCP EPC, LLC Rooftop Solar Project
Proposed 2.99MW (AC) Solar Array
99 International Drive, Windsor, Connecticut 06095

Dear Ms. Bachman,

Bradley J. Parsons, Director of Design and Permitting, for Verogy (“Petitioner”) has contacted the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (“DEEP”) Bureau of Natural Resources and informed us of the intention to file a petition for a declaratory ruling with the Connecticut Siting Council. Petitioner proposes to construct a rooftop solar photovoltaic facility with a capacity of two or more megawatts, to be located at 99 International Drive, Windsor, Connecticut 06095 (“Site”).

Pursuant to Sec. 16-50k of the Connecticut General Statutes the DEEP Bureau of Natural Resources staff have reviewed documents submitted by the Petitioner concerning this proposed project, which includes a site map dated June 30, 2021 attached to an email dated March 2022 prepared by Verogy.

In conducting such review of the proposed project, DEEP Bureau of Natural Resources has determined that such proposed project, as represented in the above-mentioned documents **will not** materially affect the status of such Site as core forest.

Nothing in this letter relieves the Petitioner of other obligations under applicable federal, state, and local law that may be necessary as part of the proposed project design and implementation.

If you have any questions, you may contact me at 860-424-3060, or by mail at 79 Elm Street, Sixth Floor, Hartford, CT 06106-5127.

Connecticut is one of the most heavily forested states in America. Our forests clean our air and water, shelter our wildlife, sequester carbon, contribute tens of millions of dollars to our economy, and add immeasurably to the quality of our lives. Yet every day, our forests are under threat. Invasive insects and diseases and our dense and growing human population continue to stress our forests in unprecedented ways. Thank you for helping us to conserve a healthy core forest for future generations, providing public transparency and working to make thoughtful development choices.

March 9, 2022

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Commissioner Katie S. Dykes
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
79 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106

RE: 2.99 MW Roof-Mounted Solar Photovoltaic Generating Facility, Windsor, CT

Dear Commissioner Dykes:

VCP EPC, LLC (d/b/a Verogy) (“Verogy”) is writing to notify the department of a planned solar photovoltaic electric generating facility of 2.99 megawatts (“MW”) (the “Project”). The Project will be located on the roof of the existing building located at 99 International Drive in Windsor, Connecticut.

The Project was selected and awarded a fifteen year contract for 1.0MW to participate in the Connecticut Zero Emissions Renewable Energy Credit (“ZREC”) program and a fifteen year contract for 2.0MW to participate in the Connecticut Low Emissions Renewable Energy Credit (“LREC”) program. Verogy intends to file a petition for declaratory ruling with the Connecticut Siting Council, Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §§ 4-176 and 16-50k(a) and Regs. Conn. State Agencies §§ 16-50j-38 et seq. for the proposed construction, operation, and maintenance of the Project.

Pursuant to Sec. 16-50k of the Connecticut General Statutes, Verogy respectfully requests that the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection review the proposed project and offer their determination as it relates to any potential impacts to Core Forest.

Attached for your review is the Forestland Habitat Impact Map for the Project with the proposed project limits depicted. There is no Forestland Habitat located on the project site. The closest Forestland is located over 2,000 feet to the southeast of the Project.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration, should you have any questions or comments please feel free to contact me at bparsons@verogy.com or (203) 814-6866.

Sincerely,



Bradley J. Parsons
Director of Design and Permitting

Cc: Bryan Fitzgerald (bfitzgerald@verogy.com)
William Herchel (wherchel@verogy.com)

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Christopher R. Martin".

Christopher Martin, State Forester
Bureau of Natural Resources
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection

CC: Bryan P. Hurlburt, Connecticut Department of Agriculture

Holly Lalime, Connecticut Department of Agriculture





Jenny Dickson, Director of Wildlife, Bureau of Natural Resources, DEEP

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Legend

-  Site
-  Project Area
-  Approximate Parcel Boundary
-  Forestland Habitat Impact (CTDEEP)*

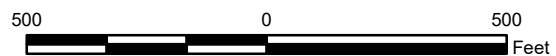
Forested Habitat Impacts

March 2022

2.99MW Roof-Mounted Solar

99 International Drive, Windsor, Connecticut


Data Sources:
 *Data layer not located within mapped extent
 Aerial Base Map: State of Connecticut 2019 aerial imagery CTECO

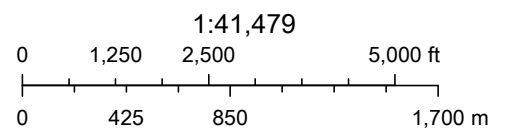


Forestland Habitat Impact Map



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 Forestland Habitat Impact



MDC, MassGIS, UConn/CTDEEP, Esri Canada, Esri, HERE, Garmin, GeoTechnologies, Inc., USGS, METI/NASA, EPA, USDA

Web AppBuilder for ArcGIS
DEEP Wildlife Division