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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

May 25, 2022

Ellen Zoppo-Sassu
Town Manager
Town of Enfield
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Enfield, CT 06082
ezoppo@enfield.org

RE: **PETITION NO. 1508** – Enfield Solar One, LLC and VCP, LLC d/b/a Verogy petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 4.0-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 110 North Street, Enfield, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

Dear Ms. Zoppo-Sassu:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the Town of Enfield's correspondence dated May 24, 2022 concerning the above-referenced petition. Thank you for taking the time to provide the Council with your comments.

This petition will be placed on a future Council meeting agenda for discussion and decision. Please note that you can view all of the documents related to this petition on our website at portal.ct.gov/csc under the "Pending Matters" link. You may also keep apprised of Council events on the website calendar and agenda.

Before reaching a final decision on any petition, the Council carefully considers all of the facts contained in the record that is developed by the Council, the petitioner, parties and intervenors to the petition, and all of the concerns received from members of the public who submit written statements to the Council.

Your comments shall become part of the official record in this matter in the form of a limited appearance defined under subsection (f) of Connecticut General Statutes §16-50n. Copies of your correspondence will be distributed to the petitioner and parties and intervenors to the petition.

Thank you for your interest and concern in these very important matter.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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c: Service List, dated April 26, 2022
Council Members



TOWN OF ENFIELD

May 24, 2022

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

Re: *Petition No. 1508 Enfield Solar One, LLC and VCP, LLC d/b/a Verogy petition for a declaratory ruling pursuant to CGS s4-176 and s16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 4.0 megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 110 North Street, Enfield, CT and associated electrical interconnection.*

Dear Attorney Bachman:

At the May 16th Town Council meeting, the Town Council voted to send a letter to the Siting Council stating their opposition to the proposed solar field.

The North Street Golf Range has been a recreational fixture in Enfield for over 30 years, serving thousands of people from the Greater Enfield area, as the petitions that were submitted indicate. This was never more evident than in the last 2 years during the pandemic, when people sought ways to be active outdoors.

The Town Council believes that it is in the best interest of the Town to work with Verogy to identify another site that would be appropriate, and allow the golf range to continue its lease in its current location.

Sincerely,

Ellen Zoppo-Sassu
Town Manager