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April 5, 2023

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RE: **PETITION NO. 1527** – 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 Stevenson to Pootatuck Rebuild Project consisting of the replacement and reconductoring of electric transmission line structures along approximately 8 miles of its existing Nos. 1560, 1808 and 1580 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission lines within existing Eversource electric transmission line right-of-way between Eversource's Stevenson Substation, 1 Roosevelt Drive in Monroe and The United Illuminating Company's Pootatuck Substation, 14 Old Stratford Road in Shelton, Connecticut, and related electric transmission line and substation improvements.

Dear Deborah Denfeld:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated April 4, 2023 regarding project changes to the above-referenced Declaratory Ruling issued by the Council on December 9, 2022. The proposed project changes include shifting the location of Structure Nos. 19202 and 19603 approximately 50 feet to the north within the footprint of the approved work pad to avoid earthwork that could destabilize existing Structure No. 256.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's December 9, 2022 Declaratory Ruling, the requested project changes are hereby approved. This approval applies only to the project changes described in the April 4, 2023 correspondence.

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 Mark A. Laretti, Mayor, City of Shelton (shelton01@cityofshelton.org)
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April 4, 2023

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RE: Petition No.1527 – Stevenson to Pootatuck Rebuild Project
Two Structure Shifts in Shelton

Dear Melanie Bachman:

On December 8, 2022, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) approved Petition No. 1527 regarding the Stevenson to Pootatuck Rebuild Project (Project) in the City of Shelton and Town of Monroe. The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (Eversource) submits to Council staff a request for review and approval of two structure location shifts on existing work pads within Eversource's right-of-way in Shelton.

Since the time of the Council's ruling, Eversource has determined that civil construction of the work pad for Structures 19202 and 19603 requires a significant cut to the existing slope creating a concern for the integrity of the existing Structure 256 during construction activities. To alleviate this concern, Eversource is proposing to shift the location of both structures approximately 50 feet north of its originally proposed location and remaining on the existing work pad. (See revised Attachment A - Map Sheet 14). In addition, the proposed modifications to structure shifts will not result in any additional environmental effects as presented in the Petition.

Eversource representatives briefed officials in the City of Shelton concerning the proposed project modifications prior to submitting this proposed modification.

Eversource requests approval for the requested modifications. Enclosed please find an original and three copies of this submission.

Please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail at deborah.denfeld@eversource.com or telephone at (860) 728-4654 if there are any questions regarding this request.

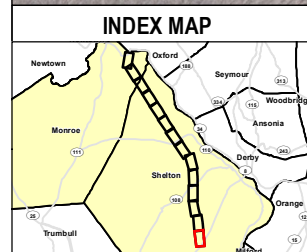
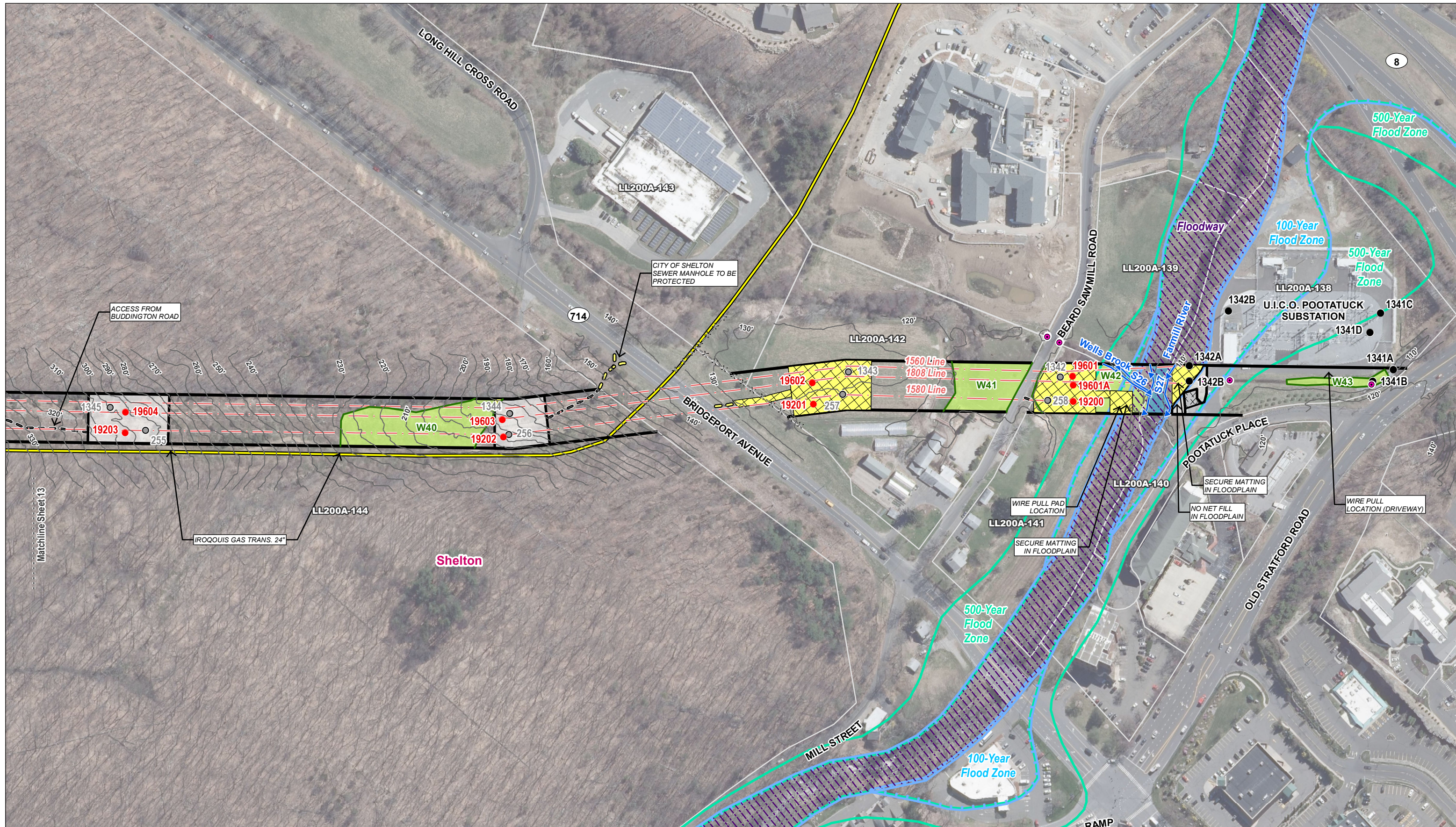
Sincerely,

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Deborah Denfeld

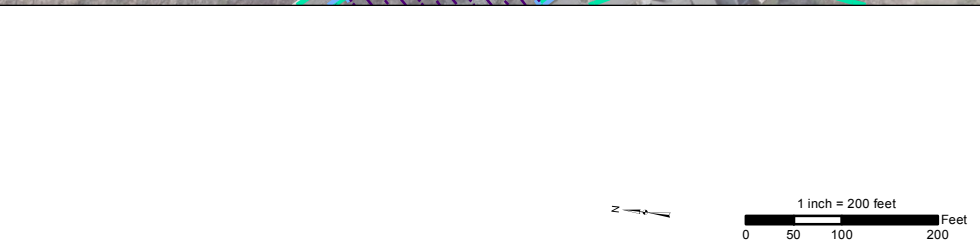
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Enclosure: Revised Attachment A - Map Sheet 14



Legend

● Proposed Structure	— Proposed Access	■ FEMA 100-Year Flood Zone*
○ Existing Structure to be Removed	— Delineated Perennial Watercourse	■ FEMA 500-Year Flood Zone*
● Existing Structure	— Open Water	□ Parcel Boundary
● Culvert	— Field Delineated Wetland Boundary Outline	
××× Fence	— Field Delineated Wetland	
— Overhead Eversource Line	— Existing Gravel	
— Existing Right-of-Way (ROW)	— Proposed Stone Work Pad	
— Approximate Gas Line	— Temporary Construction Matting	
— Existing Access	— FEMA Floodway*	



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Stevenson to Pootatuck Rebuild Project					
Shelton, CT			Map Sheet 14 of 14		
Date: April 04, 2023					
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