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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

March 21, 2023

The Honorable Edward B. St. John
First Selectperson
Town of Middlebury
Town Hall
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Firstselectman@middlebury-ct.org

RE: **PETITION NO. 1561** - Bloom Energy Corporation petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a customer-side 350-kilowatt fuel cell facility and associated equipment to be located at Naugatuck Valley Community College, 750 Chase Parkway, Waterbury, Connecticut.

Dear First Selectperson St. John:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of a petition for a declaratory ruling to install a customer-side 350-kilowatt fuel cell facility in the City of Waterbury. The Town of Middlebury is within 2,500 feet of the proposed site.

In accordance with Section 16-50j-40 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, on or about March 17, 2023, written notice of the intent to file the petition for a declaratory ruling was provided to the Council, the property owner of record, abutting property owners and the chief elected official of the municipality in which the fuel cell facility is proposed to be located and the chief elected official of any municipalities within 2,500 feet of the proposed site.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling, please feel free to call me at 860-827-2951 or submit written comments to the Council by April 20, 2023.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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