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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

DATE: May 24, 2023

TO: Service List, dated April 12, 2023

FROM: Melanie A. Bachman, Executive Director *MAB*

RE: **PETITION NO. 1566** - The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed Card Substation to Wawecus Junction Upgrade Project consisting of the replacement of electric transmission line structures along its existing 12.5-mile electric transmission right-of-way shared by its existing 115-kilovolt (kV) Nos. 1080/1490 and 1080/1070 Lines between Card Substation in Lebanon, Stockhouse Road Substation in Bozrah and Wawecus Junction in Norwich, Connecticut traversing the municipalities of Lebanon, Franklin, Bozrah and Norwich, and related electric transmission line and substation improvements.

On May 22, 2023, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§4-176, 4-177a, 16-50i, 16-50k, 16-50n and 22a-19, and Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §§16-50j-22a and 16-50j-59, Cory Spaulding and Leslie Yeisley filed the following requests related to the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling that was submitted to the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) on April 12, 2023:

1. Request for Party and Connecticut Environmental Protection Act (CEPA) Intervenor Status;
2. Request to Reject the Petition for Failure to Provide Best Management Practices;
3. Request to Reject the Petition for Failure to Comply with the National Electric Code (NEC) and/or National Electric Safety Code (NESC);
4. Request to Separate Optical Ground Wire Installation and Structure Replacement Work;
5. Request for Dismissal of the Petition for Incompleteness; and
6. Request for a Public Hearing.

The six requests will be placed on the agenda of the Council meeting scheduled for June 22, 2023 for Council consideration.

Parties and intervenors are requested to submit comments or statements of position in writing to the Council with respect to whether each of the requests should be granted or denied before the close of business on June 12, 2023.

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c: Council Members
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