



STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

February 29, 2024

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RE: **PETITION NO. 1573** - 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 Brookfield Junction to Bates Rock Substation Upgrade Project consisting of the replacement and reconductoring of electric transmission line structures along approximately 6.7 miles of its existing electric transmission line right-of-way shared by its existing 115-kilovolt (kV) Nos. 1887, 1268, and 1485 Lines between Brookfield Junction in Brookfield and Shepaug Substation in Newtown, and along approximately 0.5 mile of its existing electric transmission line right-of-way shared by its existing 115-kV Nos. 1622 and 1485 Lines between Shepaug Substation and Bates Rock Substation in Southbury, Connecticut traversing the municipalities of Brookfield, Newtown and Southbury, and related electric transmission line and substation improvements. **Compliance with Condition No. 2.**

Dear Deborah Denfeld:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of correspondence dated February 28, 2024 identifying two additional Project construction staging areas at 51 Purchase Brook Road, Southbury, and provisions for erosion and sedimentation controls in compliance with Condition No. 2 of the Council's Declaratory Ruling of August 4, 2023 for the above-referenced project.

The Council acknowledges that Condition No. 2 has been satisfied. This acknowledgment applies only to the condition satisfied by the February 28, 2024 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: Kathleen Shanley, Eversource Energy ([Kathleen.shanley@eversource.com](mailto:Kathleen.shanley@eversource.com))

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February 28, 2024

Melanie Bachman, Executive Director  
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Re: **PETITION NO. 1573** – 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 Brookfield Junction to Bates Rock Substation Upgrade Project  
Notice Pursuant to Condition No. 2: Identification of Staging Areas

Dear Attorney Bachman:

In accordance with Condition No. 2 of the Connecticut Siting Council's ruling, dated August 4, 2023, regarding the above referenced petition, Eversource hereby provides written notification identifying an additional staging area for this Project.

The additional staging area is located at 51 Purchase Brook Road in Southbury. An aerial view of the location depicting the staging area is provided as Attachment A.

Eversource representatives have briefed officials in the Town of Southbury regarding this staging area and the Town does not have any objection.

Enclosed please find the original and two copies of this notification letter which will be delivered to your office today. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via email at [deborah.denfeld@eversource.com](mailto:deborah.denfeld@eversource.com).

Sincerely,

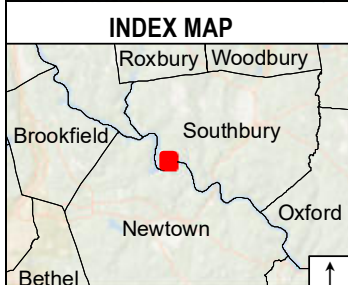
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Deborah Denfeld  
Team Lead – Transmission siting

Enclosure: Attachment A

Cc: Jeff Manville, First Selectman, Town of Southbury

## **ATTACHMENT A**



**Legend**

- Existing Access Road
- Staging Area/Material Laydown Yard
- Parcel Boundary
- Natural Diversity Database (December 2023)
- FEMA 100-Year Flood Zone
- Gate

**EVERSOURCE**  
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Proposed Staging Area/Material Laydown Yard  
Brookfield Junction to Bates Rock Substation  
Upgrade Project  
51 Purchase Brook Road, Southbury, CT

Date: February 22, 2024

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