

STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

July 17, 2023

Patricia Limauro 419 Bethmour Road Bethany, CT 06524 patricia.limauro@sbcglobal.net

RE: **PETITION NO. 1583** – TRITEC Americas, LLC notice of election to waive exclusion from Connecticut Siting Council jurisdiction, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §16-50k(e), and petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 0.999-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at Parcel Nos. 113-1 and 113-1-A, 428 Bethmour Road, Bethany, Connecticut, and associated

Dear Patricia Limauro:

electrical interconnection.

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your Request for a Public Hearing, dated July 17, 2023, for the above-referenced petition.

The Request for a Public Hearing will be placed on the next Council meeting agenda, a copy of which will be sent to you. You will be notified of the Council's determination immediately thereafter.

Please contact our office at 860-827-2935 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman **Executive Director**

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c: Service List dated July 11, 2023

Council Members

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From: Patricia Limauro <patricia.limauro@sbcglobal.net>

Sent: Monday, July 17, 2023 6:53 AM

To: Bachman, Melanie < <u>Melanie.Bachman@ct.gov</u>>

Subject: Petition # 1583

Melanie Bachman, Executive Director, CT Siting Council

Email: melanie.bachman@ct.gov

Subject: PETITION No. 1583

Dear Ms. Bachman-

I OPPOSE this project. I am REQUESTING A HEARING on PETITION NO. 1583 for a 0.999-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility at <u>428 Bethmour Road, Bethany, CT</u> for the following reasons:

- This is a residentially zoned area and the proposal is for a commercial facility.
- All residents of Bethany have well water. We must protect the water supply and aquifers.
- I have invested a great deal of money into my home and property and do not want the value to decline.
- The noise emanating from this facility will adversely affect our well-being and our property values.
- The electromagnetic radiation poses serious health risks to those living in close proximity within this heavily populated neighborhood.
- My neighbors and I have collected more than 800 signatures in an online petition from community members who also oppose this project.
- There are other locations in Bethany better suited for the project.
- Property abutters were NOT notified that the petition was to be submitted on July 11, 2023 within the required timeframe.

Sincerely,

Patricia Limauro 419 Bethmour Road Bethany, CT 06524