

### STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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#### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

March 21, 2024

TO: Service List, dated February 7, 2024

FROM: Melanie Bachman, Executive Director

RE: **PETITION NO. 1598** – Windsor Solar One, LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to

Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 3.0-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located at 445

River Street, Windsor, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

#### **Continuation of Evidentiary Hearing**

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) shall continue the evidentiary hearing for the above-referenced proceeding on **Tuesday**, **April 2**, **2024**, via Zoom remote conferencing, beginning at **2:00 p.m.** A copy of the Instructions for Public Access to the Continued Evidentiary Hearing is attached.

The hearing shall commence with the continued appearance of the parties and intervenors in the order by which the requests were granted by the Council, beginning with the Town of Windsor and continuing with Keith and Lisa Bress, and Grouped Resident Intervenors, followed by cross examination of the Petitioner on the **new exhibits** by the parties and intervenors and the Council.

#### **Petitioner Late-Filed Exhibits**

During the March 19, 2024 evidentiary hearing session, the Council requested Windsor Solar One, LLC submit the following information as late-filed exhibits:

- 1. Revised Spill Prevention and Materials Storage Plan,
- 2. Revised Site Plan L-6.1 -Planting Plan; and
- 3. Erik Bednarek Resume

The Council requests these late-filed exhibits be submitted to the Council and the service list before the close of business on **March 28**, **2024**. This includes the 15 hard copies.

Please be advised that the close of business at the Council office is 4:30 PM Monday through Friday.

**Direct testimony at the hearings is not permitted.** This applies to all parties and intervenors.

If you have any questions about Council procedures, please do not hesitate to contact me at the Council office at 860-827-2935.

Thank you.

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Enclosures:

Schedule, dated March 20, 2024 Instructions for Public Access to Petition 1598 Remote Continued Evidentiary Hearing

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#### REVISED SCHEDULE

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Petition received	11/13/2023
Council 60-day Action – Hold Public Hearing	12/21/2023
Council Interrogatories	
Set One Issued	01/09/2024
Set One Responses due	01/23/2024
Pre-hearing conference via Zoom remote conferencing (11:00 a.m.)	01/17/2024
Deadline for Exchange of Interrogatories between Parties and Intervenors	01/25/2024
Deadline for Pre-filed testimony and responses to interrogatories	02/01/2024
Deadline to request Party/Intervenor status	02/01/2024
Public Hearing 2:00 p.m. evidentiary session and 6:30 p.m. public comment	02/08/2024
session via Zoom remote conferencing	
Deadline for submission of late filed exhibits	03/07/2024
Continued Evidentiary Session 2:00 p.m. via Zoom remote conferencing	03/19/2024
Final Deadline for submission of late filed exhibits	03/28/2024
Continued Evidentiary Session 2:00 p.m. via Zoom remote conferencing	04/02/2024
(refer to Hearing Information section on the Petition 1598 project webpage for	
Zoom remote conferencing log in/call in)	
Close of Evidentiary Record	04/02/2024
Close of Public Comment Period	05/02/2024
Draft Findings of Fact	04/25/2024
Draft Findings of Fact, Opinion & Decision & Order	05/09/2024
Deadline for Decision	05/11/2024

Siting Analyst: Robert Mercier



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# **Instructions for Public Access to Petition No. 1598 Remote Continued Evidentiary Hearing Session – April 2, 2024 – 2 PM**

#### PLEASE NOTE:

- Interested persons may join the continued evidentiary session to listen, but **no public comments** will be received during the continued evidentiary session. Public comments may be submitted to the Council by email at <a href="mailto:siting.council@ct.gov">siting.council@ct.gov</a> or by regular mail.
- Any person may be removed from the remote continued evidentiary session at the discretion of the Council.
- All participants are requested to mute sound notifications on their computer, smartphone or tablet. Telephones are often equipped with a "do not disturb" feature for the dial-in option.

#### **Access to Continued Evidentiary Hearing Session**

- Attendees can join by clicking (or entering) the following link: <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83111642326?pwd=wLnaifS05DCxsyW8tLHNjhs7GdnrAj.1">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83111642326?pwd=wLnaifS05DCxsyW8tLHNjhs7GdnrAj.1</a> from a computer, smartphone, or tablet. Meeting ID: 831 1164 2326 and Passcode: 41RJgH No prior software download is required.
- 2. For audio-only participation, attendees can join by dialing in at 1 (929) 205 6099 (not toll free) and then enter the Meeting ID: 831 1164 2326 and Passcode: 800317 from a telephone.
- 3. All microphones will be muted upon entry into the meeting and will be turned on in the order of party appearances and cross examination governed by the Hearing Program.
- 4. No public comments will be received during the continued evidentiary hearing session.