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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

March 15, 2024

The Honorable Daniel Cunningham
First Selectperson
Town of East Lyme
Town Hall
108 Pennsylvania Avenue
Niantic, CT 06357
dcunningham@eltownhall.com

RE: **PETITION NO. 1620** - VFS, 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 920-kilowatt customer-side fuel cell facility and associated equipment to be located at the York Correctional Institution, 199 West Main Street, East Lyme (Niantic), Connecticut.

Dear First Selectperson Cunningham:

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 920-kilowatt fuel cell facility in the Town of East Lyme.

In accordance with Section 16-50j-40 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, on or about March 14, 2024, 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.

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 13, 2024.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Melanie A. Bachman".

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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