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Via Email & U.S. Mail
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Ms. Melanie Bachman
Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
10 Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Petition 1637 – KCE CT II, LLC Request for Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Bachman:

This office represents the Town of Granby in connection with the above-referenced Petition No. 1637 filed by KCE CT II, LLC for a declaratory ruling for the construction, operation and maintenance of a 4.99 Megawatt AC Batter Facility. The Town of Granby objects to the current September 1, 2024 deadline for public comment.

The Petition was filed August 1, 2024. The Town Board of Selectmen held a public information session on August 5, 2024. The Town filed its Petition for Party Status and request for public hearing on August 12, 2024. Currently, the Petition for Party Status and Request for Public Hearing is ready for Council action at the August 29, 2024 meeting. The September 1, 2024 deadline for public comment falls far short of the time frame that will allow the Town and its residents to provide meaningful comments on this large scale proposed utility installation.

The Town and its resident have been investigating a preliminary list of issues, including:

- Site Related Issues
- Environmental Issues
- Public Safety Concerns
- Timing Concerns

The Town has not had enough time to examine these issues in a depth necessary to protect the public health and safety of the resident of Granby.

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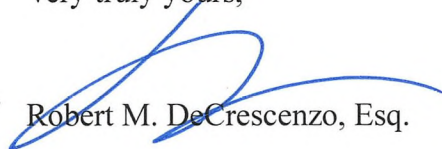
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The Town of Granby requests that (1) the Petition for Party Status be granted as soon as possible; (2) a local public hearing be scheduled; and (3) the deadline for public comment be extended by two months to November 1, 2024.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



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