

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL FORECAST 2021 2021 REVIEW OF THE TEN-YEAR FORECAST OF CONNECTICUT ELECTRIC LOADS AND RESOURCES VIA ZOOM Public Comment Session held on Wednesday, November 17, 2021, beginning at 6:30 p.m. via remote access. Held Before: MELANIE BACHMAN, ESQ., Executive Director and Staff Attorney MICHAEL PERRONE, Siting Analyst Also present: Joel Stocker (Member of the public) Reporter: Lisa Warner, CSR #061

MS. BACHMAN: Ladies and gentlemen, this remote public comment session is called to order this Wednesday, November 17, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. My name is Melanie Bachman, executive director and staff attorney of the Connecticut Siting Council. Also with us this evening is our stellar siting analyst, Michael Perrone.

Please note there is currently a statewide effort to prevent the spread of Coronavirus. This is why the Council is holding this remote public hearing, and we ask for your patience. If you haven't done so already, I ask everyone to please mute their computer audio and/or telephone now.

The Council is holding this public comment session on the 2021 Ten-Year Forecast of Connecticut Electric Loads and Resources pursuant to General Statutes, Section 16-50r to assess the overall status of loads and resources in the state over a ten-year forecast period. The scope of the review covers the 2021 utility forecast of loads and resource reports that are available for public inspection on the Council's website and at the Council's office.

This remote public comment session is

reserved for the public to make brief statements into the record. Although the deadline for the public to sign up to speak during the remote public comment session was Wednesday, November 10th, and no member of the public signed up to speak, I note that we do have a member of the public, Mr. Stocker, and I would offer, if he has any comments, he certainly could make them now. 

Mr. Stocker?

(No response.)

MS. BACHMAN: Well, unfortunately I think we're having some audio issues, and he also just left the meeting. So please be advised written comments may be submitted to the Council by any person by December 17, 2021.

Copies of the transcript of this remote public comment session will be posted on the Council's Forecast 2021 webpage under "Pending Matters" and filed at the Council's office at 10 Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut.

I declare this remote public comment session adjourned. Thank you, and please conserve energy.

(Whereupon, the above proceedings concluded at 6:32 p.m.)

## CERTIFICATE FOR REMOTE HEARING

I hereby certify that the foregoing 3 pages are a complete and accurate computer-aided transcription of my original stenotype notes taken of the Public Comment Session held by Remote Access in Re: 2021 REVIEW OF THE TEN-YEAR FORECAST OF CONNECTICUT ELECTRIC LOADS AND RESOURCES, which was held remotely before MELANIE BACHMAN, ESQ., EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND STAFF

ATTORNEY, on November 17, 2021.

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