Post-Scoping Notice for Regional Composting Facility and Recycling Infrastructure

Addresses of Possible Project Locations: 263 & 311 Olcott Street, Manchester, CT 06040

Municipality where proposed action might be located: Town of Manchester

Connecticut Environmental Policy Act (CEPA) Determination: On May 20, 2025, the State of Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) published a <u>Notice of Scoping</u> (https://portal.ct.gov/ceq/environmental-monitor/environmental-monitor-eurrent-issue#scoping) to solicit public comments for this proposed Regional Composting Facility and Recycling Infrastructure in the *Environmental Monitor*.

No comments were received during the public comment period.

The State of Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) has determined:

To proceed with the preparation of an Environmental Impact Evaluation (EIE) for the Town of Manchester's proposal to develop a regional composting facility and associated recycling infrastructure, under DEEP's Materials Management Infrastructure (MMI) Grant Program.

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Inquiries and requests to view and or copy documents, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, must be submitted to the sponsoring state Agency.

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What Happens Next:

The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) will proceed with the preparation of an EIE for the Town of Manchester's proposal to develop a regional composting facility and associated recycling infrastructure. When an EIE is completed, a notice of the availability of the EIE will be published in a future edition of the *Environmental Monitor*.