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December 21, 2015

TO: Parties and Intervenors

FROM: Melanie Bachman, Acting Executive Director *MAB*

RE: **PETITION NO. 1200** - 2015 ESA Project Company, LLC petition for a declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the construction, operation and maintenance of an 800 Kilowatt Fuel Cell Facility to be located at Parkville Community Elementary School, 1755 Park Street, Hartford, Connecticut.

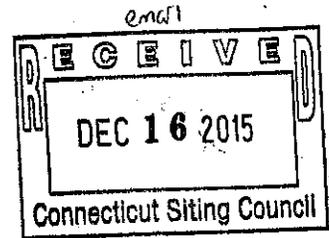
Comments have been received from The Department of Transportation, dated December 7, 2015. A copy of the comments is attached for your review.

MB/RDM/laf

c: Council Members

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Subject: Review Comments
Petition 1200
City of Hartford



memorandum

Date: December 7, 2015

to: Mr. Charles Drda-John DeCastro
Mr. Mark W. Alexander

from: Mr. Sohrab Afrazi Ext. 3262
Transportation Principal Engineer
Bureau of Engineering
and Construction

Attached is a copy of the description for the application of the installation of the proposed 800-kilowatt Bloom fuel cell and associated equipment at 1755 Park Street (the Parkville Community Elementary School) in Hartford (with plan) under the Connecticut Siting Council's (CSC) Petition number 1200.

Please have your respective unit provide their written review comments to my office by December 21, 2015. All the compiled review comments, on behalf of the Department, will be forwarded to CSC before their hearing date for this Petition.

Should you need additional information or have any further questions, please contact Ms. Latoya Smith at ext.2533. Thank you.

Latoya Smith/LS
cc: Andrzej Mysliwiec, Kurt W. Von Hone
Xinyun Cai-Latoya Smith
Utilities Section File

Connecticut Department of Transportation
Bureau of Policy and Planning
2800 Berlin Turnpike
Newington, CT 06131-7546

Date: December 9, 2015

To: Latoya Smith
Utilities
Bureau of Engineering and Highway Operations

From: Jeremy Willcox
Office of Environmental Planning
Bureau of Policy and Planning
Phone No. (860) 594 - 2934

Re: Petition No. # 1200
City of Hartford, CT

The Bureau of Policy & Planning has reviewed the materials provided and below is our comment(s).

The current plan, as submitted for this site, is expected not to be inimical to any programs.

Feel free to contact this office with any questions.

Bureau of Policy and Planning
CT Dept. of Transportation
Reviewing Bureau

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

subject: Petition 1200
Fuel Cell Facility
City of Hartford

Memorandum

date: December 9, 2015

to: Mr. Sohrab Afrazi
Transportation Principal Engineer
Bureau of Policy and Planning

from: John S. DeCastro
Trans. Maintenance Manager
Bureau of Highway Operations

ATT: Latoya Smith

Due to the fact that there will be no curb cuts or impact on any state owned and maintained highways for the proposed Fuel Cell Facility, this office has no objections to the proposal.

If there are any questions, please contact Christopher Brochu of Maintenance Administration at (860) 594-2610.

Attachment

cc: John S. DeCastro – Christopher S. Brochu

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Screening Checklist
Connecticut Department of Transportation
Potential Transportation Infrastructure Impacts
Connecticut Siting Council Petition # 1200

Location: Hartford

1. Is the proposed facility abutting the right-of-way of a State maintained highway?
 No
 Yes - Specify the location and show location on a detail site plan.
2. Is access for construction and maintenance of the proposed facility needed directly from a State maintained highway.
 No
 Yes - Identify specify needs and access location.
3. Is the proposed facility within or abutting a State owned Railroad Right-of Way?
 No
 Yes - Please provide an area and site plan.
4. Is the proposed facility within a two mile radius of any lands classified as preserved scenic land in accordance with CGS Section 13a-85a, "Acquisition of land adjacent to state highways for preservation and enhancement of scenic beauty and development of rest and recreation areas", or any designated scenic road in accordance with CGS Section 13b-31c, "Designation of scenic roads"?
 No
 Yes

