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Kathleen Shanley
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1226** – Eversource Energy declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of the new 115-kV Towantic Switching Station to be located adjacent to the Towantic Generating Station on Woodruff Hill Road, Oxford, Connecticut and the proposed modifications within existing right-of-way to its existing 1575 and 1585 115-kV electric transmission line extending 6.1 miles from Bunker Hill Substation, located at Clough Road, Waterbury, south through Middlebury to the proposed Towantic Switching station and reconductoring of its existing 1575 115-kV electric transmission line extending one mile from the proposed new switching station south to Structure 1446 (Oxford Tap) located near the Oxford Substation, Commerce Drive, Oxford.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the email correspondence of August 31, 2017, regarding temporary changes to work hours for the above-referenced project that was approved by the Council on May 26, 2016.

Pursuant to Condition No. 8 of the Council's Decision on May 26, 2016 and page 7 of the Council staff report, your request to perform work from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 10, 2017 and Sunday, September 17, 2017 in the vicinity of the control house at Towantic Switching Station, Oxford is hereby approved. The Sunday work hours are necessary in order to perform testing and commissioning during a scheduled outage.

This approval applies only to the request for changes to work hours in the email correspondence of August 31, 2017. Any significant changes to the project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

MB/MP

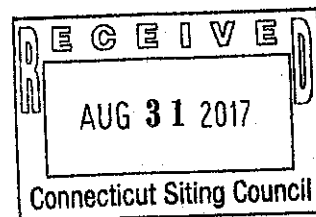
c: Council Members
Sue Bellion, Project Siting Specialist, Eversource Energy
The Honorable George R. Temple, First Selectman, Town of Oxford
Steven S. Macary, Zoning Enforcement Official, Town of Oxford



Perrone, Michael

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Subject: RE: Petition 1226: Request for Sunday, 9/10/17 and Sunday, 9/17/17 Work Hours

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Subject: Petition 1226: Request for Sunday, 9/10/17 and Sunday, 9/17/17 Work Hours



Hi Melanie:

Eversource is requesting Sunday work hours for the project approved under the subject petition for Sunday, September 10, 2017 and Sunday, September 17, 2017. The request is being made due to the need to do testing and commissioning during the available outage. The activity on both Sunday's will primarily be in the control house in the Towantic Switching Station in Oxford and will occur from 7AM to 7PM.

Thank you for consideration of this request.

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