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RE: **PETITION NO. 1291** - Eversource Energy declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the Towantic Line Upgrades Project that includes rebuilding and reconductoring approximately 4.4 miles of its existing 115-kilovolt electric transmission lines within existing Eversource right of way between Devon 7R Substation and East Devon Junction both located in the City of Milford, Connecticut; between the West Devon Junction located in the Town of Stratford, Connecticut and Trumbull Junction located in the Town of Trumbull, Connecticut; and between Devon 7R Substation located in the City of Milford, Connecticut and West Devon Junction located in the Town of Stratford, Connecticut and related transmission line structure improvements.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the email correspondence dated March 21, 2018, regarding temporary changes to work hours for the above-referenced project that was approved by the Council on April 27, 2017.

Pursuant to Condition No. 4 of the Council's Decision on April 27, 2017 and page 4 of the Council's staff report, your request to perform extended work hours for Sunday, March 25, 2018 from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. is hereby approved. Work will be performed in the vicinity of Structure Nos. 723 to 802 in Milford for wire pulling and in the vicinity of Structure Nos. 816 to 820 in Stratford for the installation of such structures. The extended work hours are necessary to complete work during the current outage and make up for lost time as crews were assigned to storm restoration efforts in the past few weeks.

This approval applies only to the request for changes to work hours in the email correspondence of March 21, 2018. 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

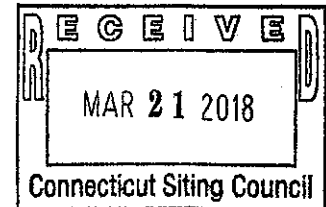
Sue Bellion, Project Siting Specialist, Eversource Energy
The Honorable Benjamin G. Blake, Mayor, City of Milford
David Sulkis, City Planner, City of Milford
The Honorable Laura R. Hoydick, Mayor, Town of Stratford
John Rusatsky, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Stratford
Jay Habansky, Planning & Zoning Administrator, Town of Stratford



Mathews, Lisa A

From: Bachman, Melanie
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To: Perrone, Michael; Mathews, Lisa A; Fontaine, Lisa
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Hi Melanie:

Eversource is requesting approval of Sunday work hours (7AM. to 7PM.) on March 25 from Council staff in order to prepare for the upcoming wire pull from Structures 723 to 802 in Milford and to install Structures 816-820 in Stratford. The reason for the request is to complete work that was planned under the current outage and to make up for the time lost due to the crews being reassigned to storm restoration efforts the past few weeks.

Municipal officials have already been contacted about this work and due to today's storm, the abutters will be contacted tomorrow.

Please review and let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

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