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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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RE: **PETITION NO. 1312** – Candlewood Solar LLC petition for a declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 20 megawatt AC (26.5 megawatt DC) solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located on a 163 acre parcel at 197 Candlewood Mountain Road and associated electrical interconnection to Eversource Energy's Rocky River Substation on Kent Road in New Milford, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Ainsworth:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) requests your responses to the enclosed questions no later than October 24, 2017. To help expedite the Council's review, please file individual responses as soon as they are available.

Please forward an original and 15 copies to this office, as well as a copy via electronic mail. In accordance with the State Solid Waste Management Plan, the Council is requesting that all filings be submitted on recyclable paper, primarily regular weight white office paper. Please avoid using heavy stock paper, colored paper, and metal or plastic binders and separators. Fewer copies of bulk material may be provided as appropriate.

Copies of your responses shall be provided to all parties and intervenors listed on the service list, which can be found on the Council's pending matters website.

Any request for an extension of time to submit responses to interrogatories shall be submitted to the Council in writing pursuant to §16-50j-22a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

Yours very truly,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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c: Council Members
Parties and Intervenors



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Petition No. 1312
Interrogatories to RCM
Set One
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RCM Membership

1. Provide a list of all of the names of the members of Rescue Candlewood Mountain for the record.

Pre-filed Testimony of Carl M. Dunham, Jr.

2. On page 1 of the pre-filed testimony of Carl Dunham, Jr., it notes that, in 2004, a developer tried to place an active adult community on his property. The project was denied approval by the New Milford Zoning Commission and the Inland Wetland Commission on several accounts including stormwater issues and access road grading issues. Specifically, which issues relating to a “poor stormwater management plan” were of concern to the Town of New Milford and resulted in the denial? What was the access road grade for that project? What other “considerable adverse environmental impacts” were noted in the Zoning Commission decision? Was the stormwater management plan proposed at that time similar to the plan for this petition?