

March 5, 2018

Mr. Robert Stein, Chairman
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

RE: Petition No. 1337
Stepstone to Green Hill Upgrade Project
Amendment to Petition

Dear Chairman Stein:

On February 1, 2018, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) issued a favorable ruling with regard to Petition No. 1337 and the subject Project located in the towns of Guilford and Madison.

In its decision letter, the Council directed Eversource to, "consider the feasibility of shifting structure 5924 to the Southwest to the extent practicable, to avoid wetland disturbance". Subsequent to the Council's ruling, Eversource has re-evaluated the structure location and is proposing to relocate structure 5924 approximately 13 feet to the northwest from the originally proposed location to farther away from the wetland.

In addition, Eversource is requesting staff approval for the following minor modifications following further evaluation of proposed structure locations:

1. Change the existing construction work area at Structure 5915 from gravel area (20 feet x 70 feet) to a construction pad (60 feet x 70 feet) reduces the risk of impact to the wetland. The construction mat will not affect the wetland.
2. Relocate structure 5941 approximately 12 feet northwest from the previously proposed location on the same property in order to better accommodate the alignment of the conductor.
3. Relocate structure 5956 approximately 25 feet west from the previously proposed location in order to remain on the same property as the existing structure. The new location will locate the structure further away from the wetland.

4. Relocate structure 5957 approximately 22 feet east from the previously proposed location onto the Connecticut Department of Transportation ("CDOT") road ROW. The existing structure location is located within CDOT ROW.

See the revised Attachment A: Map Sheets 2, 4, 6, 8 and 9 for the proposed modifications.

Prior to submitting this Amendment, Eversource representatives briefed The Town of Madison officials concerning the Project modifications.

Attached please find this original and 15 copies of the above-referenced Amendment to Petition No. 1337 for modifications to the Project.

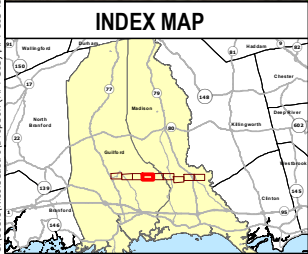
Sincerely,



Kathleen M. Shanley
Manager – Transmission Siting

Enclosure

ATTACHMENT A



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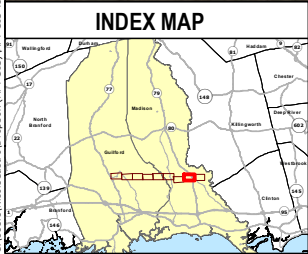
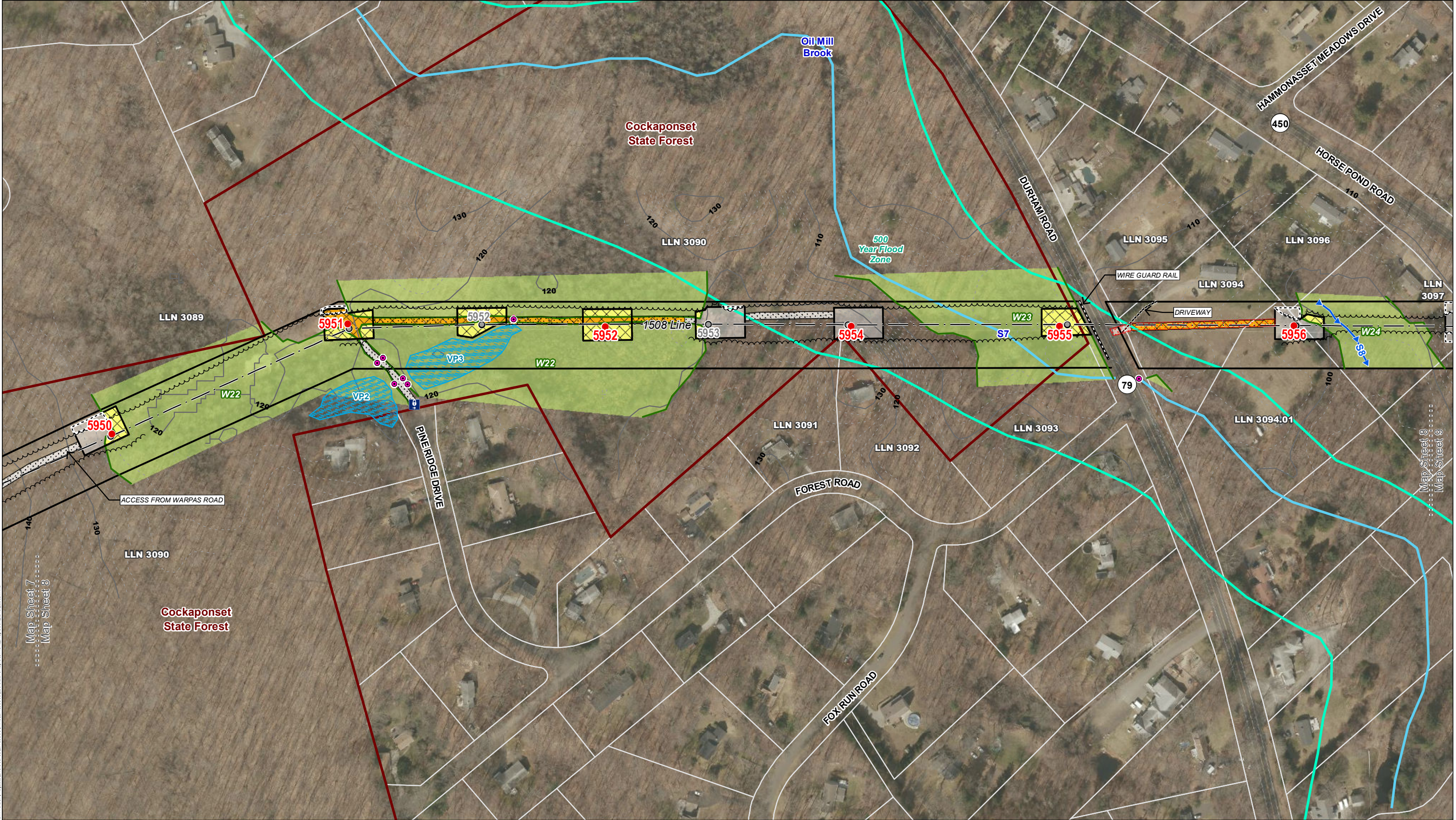
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Map Notes:
Not for Construction; Parcel and ROW boundaries are approximate. Repairs to existing access roads within wetlands with permanent fills are exempt discharges under 323.4(a)(2) provided that the limit of fill does not exceed the footprint of the existing fill through wetlands areas. Maintenance repairs do not include modifications that change the character, scope, and size of the original fill design. Temporary impacts associated with construction mats in previously disturbed wetland and upland areas either within vernal pool (VP) depressions or management area (100' of VP's edge) are eligible under the Army Corps of Engineers CT General Permit as a Self-Verification eligible activity. Base Map Source: CTECO 2016 Aerial Imagery

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