



56 Prospect Street
P.O. Box 270
Hartford, CT 06141-0270

Kathleen M. Shanley
Manager – Transmission Siting
Tel: 860-728-4527

January 9, 2020

Ms. Melanie Bachman
Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

Re: *Petition No. 1382: 1355 Line Rebuild Project, Town of Wallingford
Request for Modification to Access Road: Vicinity of Colony Substation*

Dear Ms. Bachman:

In accordance with Condition 1 of the Connecticut Siting Council's ("Council") October 25, 2019 Declaratory Ruling for the above-referenced 1355 Line Rebuild Project (Project), The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy Services Company ("Eversource") submits this request seeking Council staff approval for the use of an approximately 75-foot-long, temporary off-right-of-way (ROW) access road to reach a portion of the Project near the Town of Wallingford Electric Division's ("Wallingford Electric") Colony Substation.

The temporary access road, which is depicted on the attached Mapsheet 6 (revised November 4, 2019), is located entirely on upland property owned by Wallingford Electric. The proposed access road area is partially graveled and overgrown with herbaceous vegetation. The access road will be used during Project construction to facilitate the removal of existing Structure 3646A and to access Eversource's Structure 3646, from which new conductor will be pulled to Schwab Junction.

The use of the temporary access road will avoid the need for extensive grading within the ROW to build an access road between Structures 3646A and 3646. Eversource has coordinated with Wallingford Electric regarding the development and use of the temporary access road. After the completion of Project construction, Eversource will remove gravel added for access road construction and will restore the area to pre-construction conditions.

Should you have any questions regarding this submission, please do not hesitate to contact me at via e-mail at kathleen.shanley@eversource.com or telephone at (860) 728-4527.

Sincerely,

Kathleen M. Shanley

Attachment: Mapsheet 6 (revised)

cc: The Honorable William W. Dickinson, Jr., Mayor, Town of Wallingford
Tony Buccheri, General Manager, Wallingford Electric Division

