

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT

## CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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September 19, 2018

The Honorable Betsy Petrie
First Selectman
Town of Lebanon
Town Hall
579 Exeter Road
Lebanon, CT 06249

RE: **PETITION NO. 1137** – Windham Solar, LLC declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed construction and operation of five 1.0 MW and one 1.1 MW Solar Photovoltaic Renewable Energy Generating facilities located at 1 Williams Crossing Road, Lebanon, Connecticut. Request for Amendment.

Dear First Selectman Petrie:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of a request to amend the declaratory ruling for the above referenced project. This petition was approved by the Council on March 5, 2015. A request to amend the declaratory ruling to construct a 5.0 MW facility was approved by the Council on August 31, 2017.

Windham Solar, LLC's September 18, 2018 request to amend the approved facility requests a 1.0 MW expansion, as well as implementation of stormwater design requirements to comply with the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection criteria.

In accordance with Section 16-50j-40 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, on or about September 17, 2018, written notice of the intent to file the request to amend the declaratory ruling was provided to the Council and the chief elected official of the municipalities in which the solar facility is located.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above-referenced second amended petition, please feel free to call me at 860-827-2951 or submit written comments to the Council by October 1, 2018.

Thank you for your consideration.

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Sincerely.

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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c: Philip Chester, AICP, Town Planner, Town of Lebanon



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c: Ronald Chalecki, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Franklin

