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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

August 2, 2019

Susan J. Bellion
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RE: **DOCKET NO. 461A** - Eversource Energy Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a 115-kilovolt (kV) bulk substation located at 290 Railroad Avenue, Greenwich, Connecticut, and two 115-kV transmission circuits extending approximately 2.3 miles between the proposed substation and the existing Cos Cob Substation, Greenwich, Connecticut, and related substation improvements.

Dear Ms. Bellion:

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-62 (b) and in response to your email of August 2, 2019, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Development and Management (D&M) Plan for additional construction hours necessary to complete work on Sound Shore Drive. The additional work hours include continuous work (24/7) between August 7, 2019, starting at 7 AM to August 28, 2019, ending at 5 AM, including work on three Sundays – August 10, 17 and 24, if necessary. The D&M Plan Traffic Management Plan for work segments 2 and 4 will be implemented for the additional hours, including Traffic Detour Plans 1 and 1A for duct bank installations that cross the road.

The proposed extended hours, which were discussed with and approved by Town of Greenwich representatives, will minimize the overall time required to install the duct bank beneath Sound Shore Drive at each location. It is expected that the installation of the 115-kV cable system for each Sound Shore Drive crossing will take approximately 1 week. If the Sound Shore Drive crossings are not completed before August 28 at 5 AM, any subsequent crossing work will conform to the daytime hours established in the Traffic Management Plan.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of August 2, 2019. Any additional changes to the D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the D&M Plan on January 17, 2019. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-62.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

c: Parties and Intervenors
Kathleen Shanley, Eversource



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