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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

August 22, 2019

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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. Reopening of this docket based on changed conditions pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-181a(b). **Development and Management Plan Volume 1-Part 2B: Greenwich Substation Revised Landscape Plan.**

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated August 21, 2019 regarding a revision to the Development and Management (D&M) Plan for the above-referenced project. The revision includes a revised landscape plan for the Greenwich Substation that specifies the removal of a 60-foot long section of an existing row of arborvitae trees along the south property line that would be negatively impacted by shading and lack of space due to the location of an existing building at 255 Field Point Road and the proposed substation wall. To compensate for the removal of the existing row of trees, Eversource would install additional plantings primarily along the proposed east substation wall, adjacent to the parking lot of 280 Railroad Avenue.

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-62(b), your request for the approval of the revised Landscape Plan is hereby granted. This approval applies only to the revised Landscape Plan included with your August 21, 2019 submittal. Any significant changes to the D&M Plan require advance Council notification and approval.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-62.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman  
Executive Director

c: Council Members

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