



# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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September 16, 2016

Kathleen M. Shanley  
Manager-Transmission Siting-CT  
Eversource Energy  
56 Prospect Street  
Hartford, CT 06103

RE: **DOCKET NO. 466** - The Connecticut Light & Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Frost Bridge to Campville 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line project that traverses the municipalities of Watertown, Thomaston, Litchfield, and Harwinton, which consists of (a) construction, maintenance and operation of a new 115-kV overhead electric transmission line entirely within existing Eversource right-of-way and associated facilities extending approximately 10.4 miles between Eversource's existing Frost Bridge Substation in the Town of Watertown and existing Campville Substation in the Town of Harwinton; (b) related modifications to Frost Bridge Substation and Campville Substation; and (c) reconfiguration of a 0.4 mile segment of two existing 115-kV electric transmission lines across the Naugatuck River in the Towns of Litchfield and Harwinton within the same existing right-of-way as the new 115-kV electric transmission line.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

At a public meeting of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on September 15, 2016, the Council approved the Development and Management Plan (D&M Plan) for the above-referenced project. Pursuant to R.C.S.A. §16-50j-62 (b), Council staff hereby approves the use of a proposed material laydown and staging area for this project submitted to the Council on September 15, 2016. The material laydown and staging area will be located on a previously disturbed area that was used to support a former airfield at 529 Burlington Road in Harwinton. Appropriate erosion and sedimentation controls will be installed and maintained at the material laydown and staging area, in accordance with the Best Management Practices provided in the approved Development and Management Plan.

This approval applies only to the proposed material laydown and staging area provided in a request received on September 15, 2016. 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 September 15, 2016. 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 the approved D&M Plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman  
Acting Executive Director

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c: Parties and Intervenors  
Council Members

The Honorable Michael R. Criss, First Selectman, Town of Harwinton  
The Honorable Theodore Shafer, First Selectman, Town of Burlington



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