



March 15, 2016

Matthew Cunningham, First Selectman  
Town of Chaplin  
495 Phoenixville Road  
Chaplin, CT 06235

Via Certified Mail/  
Return Receipt Requested

**Re: Windham Solar LLC  
Petition for Declaratory Ruling  
Fisk Road Solar Project**

Dear Mr. Cunningham:

Ecos Energy LLC is writing to you on behalf of Windham Solar LLC (“Windham Solar”) regarding a petition for declaratory ruling (“Petition”) to the Connecticut Siting Council (“Council”) for approval of the development, construction, operation and maintenance of three (3) 2.0 megawatt and four (4) 1.0 megawatt solar photovoltaic renewable energy generating facilities (“Facilities”) located near 390 Hartford Turnpike, Hampton, Connecticut (“Property”). The Petition to the Council is being made pursuant to Section 16-50k(a) and Section 4-176(a) of the Connecticut General Statutes (“CGS”) and Section 16-50j-38 *et seq.* of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

The Facilities will collectively will consist of approximately 35,000 photovoltaic modules, ground mounted on approximately 39.7 acres of a 99.3 acre commercially-zoned parcel of land. The Facilities are customer-side distributed resource facilities and will be interconnected to Eversource’s distribution system near the Property. Pursuant to the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50g *et seq.* the location and/or certain features of the Facilities may change as it proceeds through the Council’s regulatory approval process.

The Facilities will play an important role in the State’s renewable energy goals and will provide a significant source of clean, renewable energy produced locally. The Facilities will produce 100 percent clean, renewable electricity with zero emissions, ultimately providing significant environmental benefits to the State and local towns. Further, the Facilities will act as a peak reducer by producing energy during the electric distribution companies’ peak load hours. The Facilities will therefore help moderate peak load requirements and reduce demand on transmission lines.



The Petition is being submitted to the Council by mail on March 15, 2016. You may download a copy of the full Petition with exhibits by visiting <https://ecosenergy.box.com/FiskSolarPetition>. If you are unable to download a copy of the Petition at the above website, please contact me and I will arrange to mail you a hard copy or a file on a DVD. Copies of the Petition will also be available at the Connecticut Siting Council: Ten Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06501 or at the Town Hall of the Town of Hampton.

Should you have any further questions regarding this matter, please contact me at [steve.broyer@ecosrenewable.com](mailto:steve.broyer@ecosrenewable.com) or contact the Connecticut Siting Council.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Broyer".

Steve Broyer