

VIA: mail & email

November 30, 2020

Michelle Buck
Town Planner
Town of Leicester
3 Washburn Square
Leicester, MA 01524

RE: Site Plan Approval & Stormwater Permit OOC Extension #2
500 Boutillier Road
Leicester, Massachusetts

Dear Ms. Buck,

Please use this letter as formal written Request for Extension of Site Plan Approval & Stormwater Permit OOC for Boutillier Solar Farm #3 located at 500 Boutillier Road, Leicester, MA. ZPT Energy Solutions, LLC requests a one (1) year extension to start construction of the solar array due to extended National Grid timelines created by the studies described below.

National Grid's Western/Central Massachusetts ASO "Affected System Operator" studies have concluded. National Grid will commence their Group Study on December 15, 2020. The Group Study will focus on the 270 MW of capacity that was not included in the ASO studies. It will last approximately 160 business days and should conclude on August 6, 2021. The conclusion of this study will specifically identify the pending upgrades at the Leicester Substation, North Oxford Substation, and the newly proposed Stafford St Substation. Once identified, National Grid will formulate a construction schedule for the required upgrades. For the reasons and timelines mentioned above, ZPT asks for a one (1) year extension to start construction of the solar array.

If anything else is required, please let us know.

Thank you,

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