

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE**

Docket No. 2015-04

**Re: Application of Public Service Company of New Hampshire
d/b/a Eversource Energy for Certificate of Site and Facility**

September 13, 2018

NOTICE OF PUBLIC STATEMENT HEARING

I. Background

On April 12, 2016, the Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy filed an Application for a Certificate of Site and Facility (Application) with the Site Evaluation Committee (Committee). The Application seeks the issuance of a Certificate of Site and Facility approving the siting, construction, and operation of a new 115kV electric transmission line between existing substations in Madbury and Portsmouth. The proposed transmission line will be approximately 12.9 miles in length. The Project is comprised of a combination of above ground, underground and underwater segments. The Project will be located in the Towns of Madbury and Durham in Strafford County, and the Town of Newington and the City of Portsmouth in Rockingham County.

Public information sessions and public hearings in this docket were held on July 14 and September 1, 2016, in Durham and on July 21 and August 31, 2016, in Newington.

II. Public Statement Hearing

N.H. CODE OF ADMIN. RULES Site 202.25 provides that members of the public who do not have intervenor status in the proceeding but have an interest in the subject matter will be afforded an opportunity at a hearing to state their positions. On October 11, 2018, from 4:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m., the Subcommittee will hold a public statement hearing at the Department of

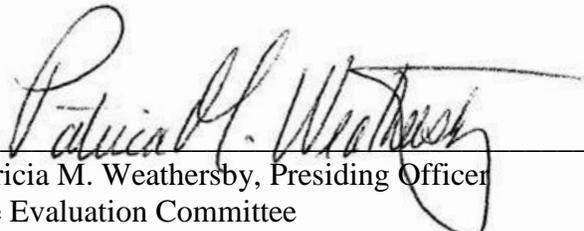
Environmental Services, Pease Field Office, Pease Tradeport, 222 International Drive, Portsmouth, NH. The Subcommittee will take written or oral statements from members of the public on the proposed project.

To ensure the efficient conduct of the proceedings, if you would like to present an oral statement, please send an email no later than September 28, to Pamela Monroe, Administrator, at pamela.monroe@sec.nh.gov. Please include the following information in your e-mail:

- Your name, email address, and the city or town where you live;
- Your position on the proposed project (support, oppose, no position);
- Whether you require any special accommodations or if you have a particular request or limitation regarding the schedule.

The Administrator will post a final roster and schedule of speakers with the amount of time allotted on the Site Evaluation Committee website at <https://www.nhsec.nh.gov/projects/2015-04/2015-04.htm> in advance of the hearing date. To the extent that there is time remaining, members of the public that have not signed up in advance will be provided time to speak after those that have pre-registered.

SO ORDERED this thirteenth day of September, 2018.



Patricia M. Weathersby, Presiding Officer
Site Evaluation Committee