

BEFORE THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Nestlewood Solar I LLC for a)	Case No. 18-1546-EL-BGN
Certificate of Environmental)	
Compatibility and Public Need)	

JOINT MOTION TO REOPEN THE HEARING RECORD

Pursuant to Rule 4906-2-07, Nestlewood Solar I LLC (“Nestlewood”), the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation (“OFBF”), and the Staff of the Ohio Power Siting Board (“Staff”) (collectively with Nestlewood and the OFBF, the “Parties”), submit this Joint Motion to Reopen the Hearing Record to allow additional testimony regarding the Notice of Footprint Modification submitted on May 24, 2019 and presented in testimony at the June 3, 2019 evidentiary hearing. The Parties are in agreement and, accordingly, file this Motion Jointly. A memorandum in support is attached. Moreover, the Parties request an expedited ruling on this motion pursuant to Rule 4906-2-27(C) so that the hearing can recommence as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

This motion seeks to reopen the record in this proceeding to allow for additional information to be presented to the Board on the modification related to an underground collection line for the Nestlewood Solar Project. The modification was submitted to the Board, first, on May 24, 2019, when Nestlewood filed its Notice Regarding Modification of Project Footprint (“Modification”). The Modification was included as part of the record at the evidentiary hearing, and Ms. Gresock, a witness for Nestlewood, testified on the Modification at the June 3, 2019 hearing.¹

At this time, Nestlewood has collected additional information regarding the Modification that all parties would like to include in the record for the Board’s consideration. Doing so will further develop the record on the Modification and the parties anticipate that a Staff witness will testify to present that information to the Board. Accordingly, for good cause shown, the Parties respectfully request that the Administrative Law Judge reopen the hearing record to allow for additional testimony from Staff regarding the Modification. The parties request an expedited ruling on this motion pursuant to Rule 4906-2-27(C).

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¹ Ms. Gresock’s testimony regarding the Modification can be found at her Direct Testimony, filed June 3, 2019 at pages 8 and 9.

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