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Ms. Tanowa Troupe, Secretary Ohio Power Siting Board Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

## **Re:** Preapplication Notification Letter

Case No. 20-1362-EL-BGN

In the Matter of the Application of Clearview Solar I, LLC for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need to Construct a Solar-Powered Electric Generation Facility in Champaign County, Ohio.

## Dear Ms. Troupe:

Pursuant to Rule 4906-3-03(A) of the Ohio Administrative Code ("O.A.C."), Clearview Solar I, LLC ("Applicant") files this Preapplication Notification Letter with the Ohio Power Siting Board ("Board") regarding its proposed solar-powered electric generation facility.

The proposed facility, the Clearview Solar Project, is a solar-powered electric generation facility located in Champaign County, Ohio. The facility will be sited on approximately 1,060 acres and have a maximum total generating capacity of up to 144 megawatts. The purpose of the facility is to generate on-peak electricity to deliver to the Dayton Power & Light transmission system in Ohio. The Applicant anticipates filing its application with the Board within 90 days of the public information meeting. Construction is anticipated to begin as early as fourth quarter 2022, resulting in commercial operations in fourth quarter 2023.

On Tuesday, October 6, 2020, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Clearview Solar will host a public information meeting that will be virtual and will consist of a presentation about the proposed facility and approval process, as well as a live web/phone question and answer ("Q&A") session on the project. This live Q&A session is being held in accordance with O.A.C. Rule 4906-3-03, and the Board's entry issued on August 19, 2020. To access the live web/phone public information meeting and Q&A session on Tuesday, October 6, 2020, attendees must register in advance online at the following link: <a href="https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1572161299594049036">https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1572161299594049036</a>. Webinar ID number is 468-308-187. To access the webinar, participants must log in using their unique participant link and/or audio PIN that will be sent to them upon registration.

In addition to the public information meeting and Q&A session on October 6, 2020, Clearview Solar will be holding a telephone-only public information meeting and Q&A session on Thursday October 8, 2020, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., in order to provide the public another

opportunity to become informed about the Clearview Solar Project and ask questions. To participate in the October 8, 2020 telephone meeting, attendees will call toll free +1 (877) 309-2073 and use access code 553-054-397. No advance registration is necessary. If participants would like a printed handout of the presentation mailed to them to follow along with the audio-only presentation, hard copies can be requested by contacting Clearview Solar at (512) 524-1195 or at clearview@openroadrenewables.com at least one week in advance (by October 1).

At this time, the Applicant does not anticipate that it will be filing any requests for waiver from the Board's rules regarding the electric generation facility application to be filed with the Board.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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