THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ANGELINA SOLAR I, LLC, FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED.

CASE NO. 18-1579-EL-BGN

ENTRY ON REHEARING

Entered in the Journal on August 20, 2021

{¶ 1} Angelina Solar I, LLC (Angelina or Applicant) is a person as defined in R.C. 4906.01.

{¶ 2} R.C. 4906.04 provides that no person shall construct a major utility facility in the state without obtaining a certificate for the facility from the Ohio Power Siting Board (Board).

{¶ 3} R.C. 4903.10 provides that any party to a proceeding before the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (Commission) may apply for rehearing with respect to any matter determined in that proceeding within 30 days after the entry of the order upon the journal of the Commission.

{¶ 4} R.C. 4906.12 states, in part, that R.C. 4903.02 to 4906.13 apply to a proceeding or order of the Board in the same manner as if the Board were the Commission. Similarly, Ohio Adm.Code 4906-2-32 provides that any party may file an application for rehearing within 30 days after an order has been journalized by the Board in the manner, form, and circumstances set forth in R.C. 4903.10.

{¶ 5} On June 24, 2021, the Board issued an Opinion, Order, and Certificate (Order) that granted a certificate of environmental compatibility and public need to Applicant for the construction, operation, and maintenance of an up to 80 megawatt solar-powered electric generation facility, subject to the conditions set forth in an Amended Stipulation that was modified and adopted by the Board in the Order. Opinion, Order, and Certificate (June 24, 2021).

{¶ **6}** On July 23, 2021, the Concerned Citizens of Preble County, LLC; Robert Black; Marja Brandly; Campbell Brandly Farms, LLC; Michael Irwin; Kevin and Tina Jackson; Vonderhaar Family ARC, LLC; and Vonderhaar Farms, Inc. (collectively, CCPC) filed an application for rehearing from the Board's June 24, 2021 Order. And, on August 2, 2021, Angelina filed a memorandum contra to CCPC's application for rehearing.

{¶ 7} Pursuant to the authority set forth in Ohio Adm.Code 4906-2-32(E), the administrative law judge grants the application for rehearing for the purpose of affording the Board more time to consider the issues raised in the application for rehearing.

{¶ 8} It is, therefore,

{¶ 9} ORDERED, That CCPC's July 23, 2021 application for rehearing be granted for further consideration of the issues raised therein, as stated in Paragraph 7. It is, further,

{¶ 10} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties and interested persons of record.

THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

/s/Patricia A. Schabo

By: Patricia A. Schabo Administrative Law Judge

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Summary: Administrative Law Judge Entry ordering that CCPC's July 23, 2021 application for rehearing be granted for further consideration of the issues raised therein, as stated in Paragraph 7 electronically filed by Heather A. Chilcote on behalf of Patricia A. Schabo, Administrative Law Judge, Power Siting Board