



Washington Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council
Joanne Snarski, Energy Facility Site Specialist
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August 15, 2023

Subject: Carriger Solar Application Process Request


Dear Ms. Snarski,

Cypress Creek Renewables, LLC recently received a letter from Sonia Bumpus, EFSEC Director dated August 11, 2023 concerning potential impacts under SEPA on the Carriger Solar, LLC project.

The Carriger Solar Application for Site Certification (ASC) was filed with EFSEC on February 10, 2023. Included in the submission was a request that EFSEC conduct its review using the Expedited Process (Chapter 463-43 in the Washington Administrative Code). In the Expedited Process, EFSEC Council is required to determine eligibility within four months (120 days) of application submittal, which would be June 10, 2023. That date was then extended to August 17, 2023 in response to a previous extension request.

Cypress Creek is working diligently on a substantive response to the aforementioned letter from Ms. Bumpus, as well as on a request for a further extension. We will communicate with EFSEC staff on the submittal timing of both, and request that the Council not take action on the Expedited Process request at this time.

Sincerely,

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