

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE KENTUCKY STATE BOARD ON ELECTRIC GENERATION  
AND TRANSMISSION SITING

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF MT OLIVE	)	
CREEK SOLAR, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF	)	
CONSTRUCTION FOR AN APPROXIMATELY 60	)	CASE NO.
MEGAWATT MERCHANT ELECTRIC SOLAR	)	2020-00226
GENERATING FACILITY IN RUSSELL COUNTY,	)	
KENTUCKY PURSUANT TO KRS 278.700 AND	)	
807 KAR 5:110	)	

ORDER

On November 3, 2021, Mt. Olive Creek Solar, LLC (Mt. Olive Creek) received a construction certificate to construct an approximately 60-megawatt (MW) merchant solar electric generation facility in Russell, Kentucky. On April 21, 2026, Mt. Olive Creek filed a motion for approval of the final site plan and final construction schedule.<sup>1</sup> Mt. Olive Creek explained that there has been no material changes to the plan that was submitted to the Siting Board during the pendency of the application.<sup>2</sup> Mt. Olive Creek stated the project maintained the same proposed boundaries and will maintain the minimum setbacks that were required in the final order that was issued on November 3, 2021.<sup>3</sup> Mt. Olive Creek stated that construction will span ten months and will be completed by

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<sup>1</sup> Motion for Approval of the Final Site Plan and Final Construction Schedule (filed April 21, 2026) at 1.

<sup>2</sup> Motion for Approval of the Final Site Plan and Final Construction Schedule (filed April 21, 2026) at 1.

<sup>3</sup> Motion for Approval of the Final Site Plan and Final Construction Schedule (filed April 21, 2026) at 1–2.

January 2027.<sup>4</sup> Additionally, Mt. Olive Creek stated there has been no material changes in the construction schedule, and the timeline is going to be two weeks shorter than expected.<sup>5</sup>

Based on the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Siting Board finds Mt. Olive Creek's final site plan and construction schedule should be approved. The changes between the preliminary site plan reviewed by the Siting Board during the original consideration of the case and the revised final site plan do not create a materially different pattern or magnitude of impacts.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Mt. Olive Creek's final site plan and construction schedule is approved.
2. Mr. Olive Creek shall provide a copy of this order, the final site plan, and the construction schedule to the Judge Executive and the Russell County Fiscal Court.

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<sup>4</sup> Motion for Approval of the Final Site Plan and Final Construction Schedule (filed April 21, 2026) at 2.

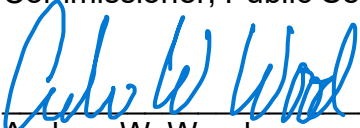
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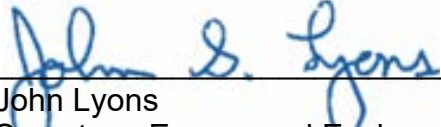
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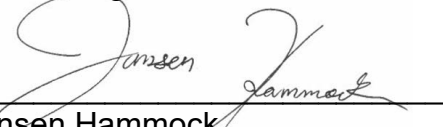
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ATTEST:

  
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