

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE KENTUCKY STATE BOARD ON ELECTRIC GENERATION
AND TRANSMISSION SITING

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF GLOVER)	
CREEK SOLAR, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)	
CONSTRUCTION FOR A NONREGULATED)	CASE NO.
ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION LINE IN METCALFE)	2022-00356
COUNTY, KENTUCKY PURSUANT TO KRS)	
278.714 AND 807 KAR 5:110)	

SITING BOARD STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO GLOVER CREEK SOLAR, LLC

Glover Creek Solar, LLC (Glover Creek), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due on January 27, 2023. The Siting Board directs Glover Creek Solar to the Kentucky Public Service Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the question to which the response is made and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Glover Creek shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Glover Creek obtains information that indicates the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which Glover Creek fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, Glover Creek shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied and scanned material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Glover Creek shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001E, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Provide a schedule for the project.
2. Refer to the Glover Creek Notice of Final Development Plan in Case No. 2020-00043.² Also refer to the Application, Exhibit B.

² Case No. 2020-00043, *Electronic Application of Glover Creek Solar, LLC for a Construction Certificate to Construct an Approximately 55 Megawatt Merchant Electric Solar Generating Facility in Metcalfe County, Kentucky Pursuant to KRS 278.700 and 807 KAR 5:110* (filed on June 6, 2022), Notice of Final Development Plan.

- a. Explain why the Final Development Plan shows a different location for the project substation.
 - b. Provide a map showing the correct location of the substation.
3. Refer to the Application, Exhibit B. Provide a detailed map showing the project substation, the YY-1 switching pole, the East Kentucky Power Cooperative (EKPC) switching station, the 200-foot transmission line, the 30-foot transmission line being constructed by EKPC, and the 100-foot right-of-way.
4. Refer to the Application, Exhibit A, September 23, 2022 Order, page 30. Also refer to the Application, Exhibit D. The September 23, 2022 Order stated the PJM Interconnect LLC (PJM) Facilities Study was to be completed in September 2020. The Application's Exhibit D does not include the Facilities Study. Provide the Facilities Study completed by PJM. If it still has not been completed, provide an estimated completion date.
5. Explain if any additional permits are required by Metcalfe County for the nonregulated transmission line. If required, provide details about the status of those permits.
6. Explain how Glover Creek will minimize adverse impacts of the transmission line on the scenic assets of Metcalfe County.
7. Explain any interstate benefits expected to be achieved by the proposed nonregulated transmission line.
8. State whether a power purchase agreement has been made. If so, provide a copy of the power purchase agreement.

9. Identify and describe the National Electric Safety Code (NESC) requirements for the nonregulated transmission line.



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