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HEARINGS:

06/30/22 Formal Hearing
06/15/22 Public Meeting

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02/10/23 POST CASE: M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Notice of Filing Decommissioning Plan
08/23/22 Final Order Entered: 1. Russellville Solar's application for a Construction Certificate to construct an approximately 173 MW merchant solar electric generating facility in Logan County, Kentucky is conditionally granted subject to full compliance with the mitigation measures and conditions prescribed in Appendix A. 2. Russellville Solar shall fully comply with the mitigation measures and conditions prescribed in Appendix A. 3. In the event mitigation measures within the body of this Order conflict with those prescribed in Appendix A, the measures in Appendix A shall control.4. This case is closed and removed from the Siting Board's docket.
08/22/22 Response E-Mail to Mark and Connie Hall
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07/07/22 Kari Hall Public Comment
07/06/22 Response E-mail to Linda Campbell
07/05/22 M. Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Second Notice of Filing Public Notice of June 30, 2022, Public Hearing
07/01/22 SITING BOARD STAFF'S POST-HEARING REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO RUSSELLVILLE SOLAR LLC
07/01/22 Order Entered: 1. Post-hearing data requests, if any, shall be filed on or before July 5, 2022. 2. Responses to post-hearing data requests shall be filed on or before July 11, 2022. 3. This case shall stand submitted for a decision by the Siting Board effective 12:01 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time, July 12, 2022.
07/01/22 Bridget Coots Public Comment
07/01/22 Kevin and Minerva Westray Public Comment
06/30/22 Order Entered: 1. Russellville Solar's petition for confidential protection filed on March 2, 2022, is denied. 2. Russellville Solar's petition for confidential protection for material terms of leases, as defined above, filed on April 28, 2022, is granted. 3. Russellville Solar's petition for confidential protection filed on May 31, 2022, is granted. 4. The designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for an indefinite period or until further order of this Siting Board.
5. Use of the designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order in any Siting Board proceeding shall comply with 807 KAR 5:110, Section 5. 6. Russellville Solar shall inform the Siting Board if the designated material granted confidential treatment becomes publicly available or no longer qualifies for confidential treatment.
06/30/22 Response E-mail to Linda Campbell
06/29/22 Response E-Mails to Multiple Comments

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06/28/22	Mark and Connie Hall Public Comment
06/27/22	Order Entered: 1. Russellville Solar's motion to allow witnesses to participate virtually in the June 30, 2022 hearing is granted. 2. Siting Board Staff shall contact participants with instructions on participating remotely. 3. Before June 29, 2022, counsel for Russellville Solar shall arrange a technology test with Siting Board Staff to ensure that all required technology is working properly. 4. Stefan Eckmann is permitted to adopt the responses of Joseph Smith and Mr. Smith is excused from the June 30, 2022 hearing. 5. Richard Kirkland is not excused from the June 30, 2022 hearing, but may participate virtually.
06/27/22	M. Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar, LLC Notice of Filing Public Notice of June 30, 2022, Public Hearing
06/27/22	John Mason and Gwen Barnes Public Comment
06/24/22	Response E-Mails to Multiple Comments
06/24/22	Linda Campbell Public Comment
06/23/22	M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Witness List
06/23/22	Letter Filing Executive Order 2022-222 into the Record
06/23/22	Minerva A. Westray Public Comment
06/21/22	M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Motions Regarding Witness Hearing Participation
06/20/22	Letter Filing Minutes of Public Hearing and Sign in Sheet
06/17/22	M. Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Read1st Letter for Russellville Solar Response to Consultants Report
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06/13/22	Minerva A. Westray Response to Consultant SAR Review
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05/23/22	Mark and Connie Hall Public Comment
05/19/22	SITING BOARD STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO RUSSELLVILLE SOLAR LLC
05/18/22	Minerva A. Westray Response to Notice of Filing of a Draft Environmental Assessment
05/18/22	Phil Holiday Supplemental Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
05/16/22	Vernon Law Supplemental Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
05/13/22	Order Entered: 1. A local public hearing in this matter is scheduled for June 15, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. Central Daylight Time, at the Logan County Public Library, 225 Armory Drive Russellville, Kentucky 42276. 2. Russellville Solar shall give timely notice of this local public hearing in a newspaper of general circulation in Logan County as required by 807 KAR 5:110, Section 9(2). 3. Russellville Solar shall submit proof to the Siting Board of the notice to the public at least three days prior to the June 15, 2022, hearing.
05/12/22	M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Notice of Filing - Draft Environmental Assessment
05/11/22	Gwen and John Barnes Supplemental Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
05/04/22	Minerva A. Westray Supplemental Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
05/02/22	Kari and Janet Hall Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
04/28/22	M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Response to First Request for Information
04/13/22	Order Entered: 1. The requests to intervene are denied. 2. The requests to schedule a local public hearing are granted. 3. A local public hearing shall be scheduled by separate Order. 4. A copy of this Order shall be served upon each of the requestors by sending it to the email address they provided. If no email address was provided they will be served by mail at the address they provided.
04/13/22	Vernon Law First Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
04/11/22	SITING BOARD STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO RUSSELLVILLE SOLAR LLC
04/11/22	Linda Campbell First Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
04/11/22	Wesley Blick First Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
04/11/22	Kelsey Arnold First Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
04/06/22	Letter Filing Documents into the Record
03/30/22	Order Entered: 1. Russellville Solar's motion to expedite issuance of a final Order is denied. 2. Russellville Solar's petition for confidential treatment is granted. 3. The designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection until after December 31, 2023, or until further order of this Siting Board. 4. Use of

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the designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order in any Siting Board proceeding shall comply with 807 KAR 5:110, Section 5.

5. Russellville Solar shall inform the Siting Board if the designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order becomes publicly available or no longer qualifies for confidential treatment.

03/30/22 Gwen and John Barnes First Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
 03/23/22 Minerva A. Westray Request for Information to Russellville Solar, LLC
 03/23/22 Bridget Coots Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/18/22 Marilyn Wilson Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/17/22 Order Entered: 1. The statutory deadline for the processing of this matter is 180 days from the application filing date. 2. A hearing in this matter shall be held June 30, 2022, at 1 p.m. Eastern Daylight Savings Time in the Richard Raff Hearing Room at the offices of the Public Service Commission at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky. 3. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed for this proceeding. 4. Russellville Solar shall give notice of any scheduled hearing in accordance with the provisions set forth in 807 KAR 5:110, Section 9. In addition, the notice of hearing shall include the following statement: "This hearing will be streamed live and may be viewed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov"; and "Public comments may be made at the beginning of the hearing. Those wishing to make oral public comments may do so by following the instructions listing on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov." 5. Russellville Solar shall file notice of the scheduled hearing with the Siting Board in accordance with the provisions set forth in 807 KAR 5:110, Section 9.
 6. At any public hearing in this matter, neither opening statements nor summarization of direct testimonies shall be permitted.
 7. Pursuant to KRS 278.360 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(9), a digital video recording shall be made of the hearing.

03/17/22 Adam Ferris Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/17/22 Jennifer Ferris Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/17/22 Greg Wilson Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/17/22 John Mason and Gwen Barnes Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/17/22 Phil Holliday Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/16/22 Minerva A. Westray Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/14/22 M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Motion for Expedited Issuance of Final Order
 03/14/22 Linda Campbell Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 03/11/22 Letter Filing Document into the Record
 03/03/22 No deficiency letter
 03/02/22 M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Notice of Clarification
 03/02/22 Acknowledgement Letter of Application Fees
 03/01/22 M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Application
 02/28/22 Linda Campbell Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 02/28/22 Adam Ferris Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 02/28/22 Lynn Dawson Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 02/28/22 Jennifer Ferris Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 02/24/22 Minerva A. Westray Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 02/24/22 Phil Holliday Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 02/24/22 Gwen Barnes Request for a Leave to Intervene and Public Meeting
 02/23/22 Minerva A. Westray Request for Public Meeting
 01/21/22 M Todd Osterloh Russellville Solar LLC Renewed and Restated NOI
 06/14/21 No deficiency letter - Notice of Intent
 06/11/21 James W. Gardner Russellville Solar LLC Notice of Intent
 06/10/21 Acknowledge Receipt of Filing
 06/10/21 Russellville Solar LLC Notice of Intent to File an Application for a Certificate of Construction for an Approximately 173 Megawatt Merchant Electric Solar Generating Facility in Logan County, Kentucky pursuant to KRS 278.700 and 807 KAR 5:110 Using Electronic Filing Procedures