

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

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF CRAB RUN)	
SOLAR, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)	CASE NO.
CONSTRUCTION FOR AN UP TO 45)	2025-00276
MEGAWATT ELECTRIC SOLAR GENERATING)	
FACILITY IN MARION COUNTY, KENTUCKY)	

ORDER

On January 30, 2026, Crab Run Solar, LCC (Crab Run Solar) filed a motion requesting leave to reissue notice pursuant to KRS 278.706(2). Crab Run Solar requested approval to re-issue letters sent to adjacent landowners of the proposed site and re-publish the proposed general public notice for publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

LEGAL STANDARD

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110 Section 9(3)(a), 3(b) and 3(c). An applicant giving public notice pursuant to KRS 278.706(2) shall include in the notice a statement that:

- (a) A person who wishes to become a party to a proceeding before the board may, by written motion filed no later than thirty (30) days after the application has been submitted, request leave to intervene;
- (b) A party may, upon written motion filed no later than thirty (30) days after an application has been filed, request the board to schedule an evidentiary hearing at the offices of the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky;
- (c) A request for a local public hearing or local public information meeting shall be made by at least three (3) interested persons who reside in the county or municipal corporation in which the pipeline, plant, or transmission line is

proposed to be located. The request shall be made in writing and shall be filed within thirty (30) days following the filing of a completed application.

DISCUSSION AND FINDINGS

On December 1, 2025, Crab Run Solar sent letters notifying landowners whose property borders the proposed site of the forthcoming application, providing the case number to the online docket.¹ On December 10, 2025, public notice of the forthcoming application was published in *The Lebanon Enquirer*, a newspaper of general circulation in Marion County, Kentucky.²

Crab Run Solar's application was filed on December 19, 2025, and a letter indicating the application met the minimum filing requirements was filed on December 23, 2025.³ Crab Run Solar stated that counsel recently discovered that the letter and notice did not contain language required by 807 KAR 5:110, Section 9(3).⁴

Having reviewed the record, the Siting Board finds that Crab Run Solar's motion to re-issue notice pursuant to KRS 278.706(2) should be granted. The Siting Board finds that residents should be permitted to request a local public meeting within 30 days of the publication date of the reissued newspaper notice. Additionally, the Siting Board finds that adjacent landowners should have 30 days from the mailing date of the re-issued notice to request intervention or a local public hearing. Crab Run Solar should file proof of both publication and re-issued notice mailed to the landowners.

¹ Crab Run Solar's Motion for Leave (filed Jan. 30, 2026) at 1.

² Crab Run Solar's Motion for Leave (filed Jan. 30, 2026) at 1–2.

³ Crab Run Solar's Motion for Leave (filed Jan. 30, 2026) at 2.

⁴ Crab Run Solar's Motion for Leave (filed Jan. 30, 2026) at 2.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Crab Run Solar motion for leave to re-issue notice is granted.
2. Crab Run Solar shall reissue public notice that contains the language required by 807 KAR 5:110, Section 9(3).
3. Crab Run Solar shall provide the Siting Board with proof that the re-issued notice was published in the newspaper of general circulation.
4. Crab Run Solar shall provide the Siting Board with proof that re-issued notice letters were sent to landowners adjacent to the proposed project site.
5. Residents shall be permitted to request intervention or request a local public meeting within 30 days of the reissued notice publication date in the newspaper of general circulation in the county or, for adjacent landowners, the date of mailing. This language should be included in the reissued notice published in the newspaper and the letters to the adjacent landowners. Should a request to intervene be granted, the procedural schedule shall be amended to ensure the party at least one round of discovery.

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