

High Bridge Wind Project

Chenango County, New York

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO COMMENCE STIPULATIONS NEGOTIATIONS

Dear Stakeholder,

High Bridge Wind, LLC (“High Bridge Wind”) filed a Preliminary Scoping Statement (“PSS”) for the proposed High Bridge Wind Project (“Facility”) on January 24, 2019. The public comment period on the PSS ended on February 14, 2019. However, based on local feedback, High Bridge Wind requested an extension of the comment period until February 25, 2019 to allow for meaningful stakeholder feedback on the PSS. On March 20, 2019, a pre-application conference was held, at which time High Bridge Wind expressed a desire to pursue stipulations in this proceeding, and on March 21, 2019 High Bridge Wind filed responses to comments received on the PSS.

Please allow this letter to serve as notice that High Bridge Wind now intends to commence the pre-application scoping and stipulation process as outlined below. High Bridge Wind hereby requests that any party seeking to negotiate pre-Application Stipulations notify the undersigned by April 4, 2019 by emailing Laura Bomyea at lbomyea@youngsommer.com and indicating their intent to participate. The following parties have already indicated their interest in participating, and do not need to do anything further at this time:

- Town of Guilford
- NYS Department of Public Service
- NYS Department of Environmental Conservation
- NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets
- NYS Department of Health

Stipulations are intended to reflect agreements between High Bridge Wind and any of the Parties to the Article 10 certification process regarding any aspect of the PSS and the methodology or scope of any study or program of studies made or to be made in support of and included with the Article 10 Application. Stipulations aid the Article 10 process by ensuring that the Application submitted is complete and narrows the potential issues to be heard during the hearing phase of the Article 10 process. The Stipulations process is governed by the Department of Public Service’s regulations on settlement, and participating parties will be bound by the rules set forth in Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations, Section 3.9.

In order to facilitate the stipulations process, High Bridge Wind will circulate a revised, redlined version of the Scoping Statement and proposed Stipulations document by email to parties who intend to participate in the stipulations process. The draft stipulations and Revised Scoping Statement (“RSS”) will be based, in part, on the comments already received from the parties and the public on the PSS.

Following receipt of party feedback on the proposed RSS and stipulations, High Bridge Wind anticipates making any additional revisions needed, and/or arranging to discuss remaining issues with any of the participating parties in order to reach agreement on the stipulations. The Final Scoping Statement (“FSS”) and final proposed Stipulations would be filed for public comment, after which time they can be executed by the Parties in agreement thereon.

We look forward to working with the Parties to reach agreements on the scope and methodology of studies, and required information for the High Bridge Wind Article 10 Application.

Contact Information

To obtain information regarding the Project, please visit the Project website (<http://www.calpine.com/highbridgewind>) or contact:

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Requests for Notices

Any interested member of the public may file a request with the DPS Secretary to receive copies of all notices concerning the Project. Written requests should be sent to the DPS Secretary at secretary@dps.ny.gov or sent by mail to the following address:

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NYS Public Service Commission
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