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Timothy Reilly Town of Glen Planning Board 7 Erie Street Fultonville, NY 12072

RE: LEAD AGENCY COORDINATION RESPONSE 411 Reynolds Road Wind Energy Project

Borrego Solar 411 Reynolds Rd, Fultonville Town of Glen, Montgomery County

Dear Mr. Reilly:

This letter responds to your correspondence of October 28, 2021, regarding lead agency coordination for the project referenced herein, under Article 8 (State Environmental Quality Review – SEQR) of the Environmental Conservation Law and 6 NYCRR Part 617. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation ("DEC" or "Department") has the following interest in this project:

Name of Action:	411 Reynolds Road Wind Energy Project			
DEC Contact Person:	Delaney Martin, Environmental Analyst I			
SEQR Classification:		☐ Unlisted	☐ Type II	
<u>DEC Position:</u> Based on the information provided:				
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Possible DEC Permits:

 Article 11 Incidental Take Permit – If the proposed action will result in a "take" of a threatened or endangered species, an Incidental Take Permit will be required. A "take" is defined within ECL §11-0535 regulations as an activity interfering with an essential behavior on habitat occupied by threatened or endangered species.



- Article 15 Protection of Waters Permit The 876-185 stream, a Class C navigable waterbody is located within the project area. If this project results in excavation or fill below the mean high-water level, an Article 15 Protection of Waters Permit for Excavation and Fill will be required.
- <u>Section 401 Water Quality Certification</u> If this project will impact federally-regulated wetlands or waterbodies, which require a Section 404 Permit (Individual or Nationwide Permit) from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, a Section 401 Water Quality Certification may be required from the Department.
- <u>SPDES General Permit for Stormwater Discharges from Construction Activity</u> If this project will disturb more than one acre of land, the applicant must comply with the State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) Phase II regulations for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activities.

Additional Comments:

Enclosed is a copy of the Department's jurisdictional map for your reference. Please note that the map is intended to provide an idea as to the approximate size and location of resources; actual field conditions may vary from those depicted on the map. Also note that the proposed project falls within an Environmental Justice area.

Please feel free to contact me by telephone at (518) 402-8388 or by e-mail at delaney.martin@dec.ny.gov if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Delaney Martin

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Enclosure: Jurisdictional Map



