

Memo of Findings and Determination

To: Connecticut Council on Environmental Quality, Environmental Monitor
From: Nelson Tereso, Department of Economic and Community Development
Date: 9/28/2012
Re: Suffield Utility Extension, Suffield, CT

Attached please find the Environmental Assessment Checklist for the above referenced project. Scoping for the project began on August 21, 2012 and ended on September 21, 2012. Comments received during the scoping process have been incorporated into the Environmental Assessment Checklist.

Scoping comments were received from the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Department of Public Health, Connecticut State Historic Preservation Office and Department of Agriculture. The issues/concerns raised by State agencies are explained in the attached Environmental Assessment Checklist. The Department of Economic and Community Development does not recommend preparation of an Environmental Impact Evaluation to determine the extent of cumulative impacts associated with the proposed project. The Town of Suffield shall be required to comply with the conditions described in the Environmental Assessment Checklist as a requirement for utilization of state funding for the proposed project.