

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. SP-4061, SUB 0

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of
Application of Mill Pond Solar, LLC, for a)
Certificate of Public Convenience and) ORDER ISSUING CERTIFICATE
Necessity to Construct a 5-MW Solar Facility)
in Martin County, North Carolina)

BY THE COMMISSION: On August 4, 2014, Mill Pond Solar, LLC (Applicant), filed an application pursuant to Commission Rule R8-64(b) seeking a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to G.S. 62-110.1 for construction of a 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located in Martin County, North Carolina. The Applicant plans to sell the electricity generated by this facility to Dominion North Carolina Power (DNCP).

On August 13, 2014, the Applicant filed an amendment to the application correcting the description of the site location, the site owner's name, and the Applicant's interest in the site.

On August 14, 2014, the Commission issued an Order Requiring Publication of Notice.

On September 23, 2014, the State Clearinghouse filed comments. Because of the nature of the comments, the cover letter indicated that no further State Clearinghouse review action by the Commission was required for compliance with the North Carolina Environmental Policy Act.

On October 15, 2014, the Applicant also filed an affidavit of publication from the Martin County Enterprise and Weekly Herald (Williamston, NC) stating that the publication of notice was completed on October 3, 2014. No complaints have been received.

On October 20, 2014, the Applicant filed a certificate of service stating that a copy of the application and the related public notice were provided to DNCP on September 4, 2014.

The Public Staff presented this matter to the Commission at its Regular Staff Conference on November 10, 2014. The Public Staff stated that it had reviewed the application and determined it to be in compliance with the requirements of

G.S. 62-110.1(a) and Commission Rule R8-64. Therefore, the Public Staff recommended issuance of the requested certificate for the facility.

Based upon the foregoing, and the recommendation of the Public Staff, the Commission finds good cause to approve the application and issue the requested certificate.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

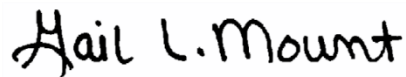
1. That the application filed by Mill Pond Solar, LLC, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity shall be, and is hereby, approved.

2. That Appendix A shall constitute the certificate of public convenience and necessity issued to Mill Pond Solar, LLC, for the 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located in Martin County, at the corner of Mill Pond Road and U.S. Highway 64, near Jamesville, North Carolina.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 12th day of November, 2014.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



Gail L. Mount, Chief Clerk

Commissioner Jerry C. Dockham did not participate in this decision.

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Mill Pond Solar, LLC
192 Raceway Drive
 Mooresville, NC 28117

is hereby issued this

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
PURSUANT TO G.S. 62-110.1

for a 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility

located

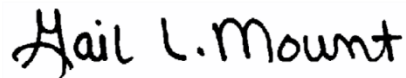
in Martin County, at the corner of Mill Pond Road and U.S. Highway 64, near
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subject to all orders, rules, regulations and conditions
as are now or may hereafter be lawfully made
by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

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