

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. EMP-117, SUB 0

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of		
Application of Shawboro East Ridge)	
Solar, LLC, for a Certificate of Public)	ORDER GRANTING
Convenience and Necessity to Construct)	EXTENSIONS OF DEADLINES
a 150-MW Solar Facility in Currituck)	
County, North Carolina)	

BY THE PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: On August 12, 2021, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Hearings, Filing of Testimony, Establishing Procedural Guidelines, and Requiring Public Notice in this docket. According to the schedule established in that order, the Public Staff and other intervenors shall file direct testimony and exhibits on or before Tuesday, September 21, 2021, and the Applicant shall file rebuttal testimony and exhibits on or before Thursday, October 7, 2021.

On September 13, 2021, the Applicant filed a Motion for Extensions of Time. The Applicant states that it received Data Request No. 1 from the Public Staff on September 2, 2021, and that the Public Staff requested the Applicant's responses by September 13, 2021. The Applicant asserts that certain personnel key to preparing the responses have been unavailable and requests an extension until September 27, 2021, to complete its responses. The Applicant states that the Public Staff does not object to the extension if there are corresponding extensions of the deadlines for testimony. The Applicant requests that the deadline for the Public Staff and other intervenors to file testimony be extended to October 5, 2021, and that the Applicant's deadline for rebuttal testimony be extended to October 21, 2021.

The deadline for the responses to the Public Staff's data requests was not set by the Commission and will not be extended by the Commission. Since, however, the parties appear to agree to that extension between themselves, the Presiding Commissioner finds good cause, based on the Applicant's motion and the record herein, to grant the other extensions the Applicant seeks.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

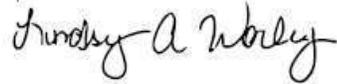
1. That the deadline for direct testimony and exhibits of the Public Staff and other intervenors is extended to October 5, 2021; and

2. The deadline for the Applicant's rebuttal testimony and exhibits is extended to October 21, 2021.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 15th day of September, 2021.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lindsey A. Worley". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'L' and 'W'.

Lindsey A. Worley, Acting Deputy Clerk