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Subject: Greater Waterbury Bus Storage and Maintenance Facility

On March 18, 2014, The Connecticut Department of Transportation published a Notice of Scoping in the Environmental Monitor to solicit public comments for the proposed project involving the construction of a bus storage and maintenance facility in Watertown, CT. State agencies, and other interested persons/parties were allowed to comment on any potential environmental impacts or concerns regarding the proposed project until April 25, 2014. During this time written comments were received from the Department of Public Health (DPH), and the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (CTDEEP).

A public scoping meeting for this project was not held since there were no requests from the public or from the various state agencies to hold a public scoping meeting, however a Public Information Meetings were held.

This project was previously reviewed under CEPA and a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) was issued in May 1999. The project was scoped in the Environmental Monitor due to the long period of time that elapsed between the FONSI being issued and the project moving forward.

Attached please find the Environmental Assessment Checklist for the above referenced project. Based upon this assessment, it has been determined that the preparation of an Environmental Impact Evaluation is not warranted.