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To: [Faunce, Jasmin - FS, NH](#)
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Subject: RE: Eversource Getech Investigations
Date: Wednesday, February 12, 2025 8:09:52 AM
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Hi Jasmin.

I appreciate your efforts on this. I did receive confirmation from NHF&G today. That should be sufficient for NHDES. I've attached a signed copy of the permit.

Thank you.

From: Faunce, Jasmin - FS, NH <jasmin.faunce@usda.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 2025 3:04 PM
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Subject: RE: Eversource Getech Investigations

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Hi Kurt,

Like Marianne stated below, the approval of this project is predicated on working on frozen ground. While it'd be unfortunate if you missed the work window, we have no issues with the later start date. I adjusted the expiration date to April 30, 2025 and edited the activities description to include the frozen ground stipulation. Please review the updated version attached.

Would you like to wait until you receive confirmation with the NH state agencies to finalize the permit? It's not ideal on my end to make adjustments once a permit is signed and issued.

Thanks,
Jasmin

From: Nelson, Kurt I <kurt.nelson@eversource.com>
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Subject: RE: Eversource Getech Investigations

Good morning Jasmin,

Thanks for following up. We've been in communication with our drilling contractor. They've informed us that their helicopter contractor availability for this project is April 1, which is a later start than what we were hoping for, but based on current weather projections, we think there is a very good chance there will be snow cover during that work window at the elevation we will be working. The work duration is still projected to be 16 days.

We've been in communication with the NH state agencies about the timeframe and are seeking their approval for the later start date.

Please let me know if there are any issues or concerns with the later start date.

Thank you.

From: Faunce, Jasmin - FS, NH <jasmin.faunce@usda.gov>

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Hi Kurt,

I'm following up on the approval for the proposed geotechnical investigations with a temporary permit attached for you to review, sign, and return to me. Please confirm that March 15, 2025 is an appropriate expiration date. The associated SPD Form 1 and Final Summary documents will be attached to the permit as Exhibits A and B. Also enclosed is the permit bill. Please keep me informed on your schedule and progress and let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Thanks,



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Subject: FW: Eversource Getech Investigations

Please see below. This is all predicated on working on frozen ground. Please let Jasmin know when you plan to start. Thank you. -M.



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Subject: Eversource Getech Investigations

Hi Marianne,

Thank you for coordinating the review of the proposed geotechnical investigations for X178 with our specialists and sharing they have no concerns with these activities. This action is approved under a categorical exclusion, 36 CFR 220.6(d)(8)- Approve minor short-term special uses, and does not require a decision memo.

This category is applicable for this project because the geotechnical investigation work is temporary and of short duration to inform the proposed project which is located within an existing and maintained utility line right-of-way (ROW). Upon completion of the investigation, the transmission line ROW will continue to function and be maintained as an electrical utility line corridor.



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