

## RRPC REGIONAL COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2023, 6:00 PM

#### **MEETING DETAILS**

Virtual: <u>Teams Meeting</u>, ID: 224 634 587 902, Pass: dBEdSy I Call: 1-802-440-1368, ID: 641 278 173# In-Person Option: The Opera House, 67 Merchants Row, Rutland, VT 05701

### **MEETING AGENDA**

6:00 PM CALL TO ORDER

APPROVAL OF JANUARY 17, 2023 AGENDA

APPROVAL OF NOVEMBER 15, 2022 MINUTES

6:05 PM SECTION 248

 Triland Partners LP – Preferred Site Letter Request - 500kW Net Metering Solar Electric Generation Facility, 598 Plains Road, Pittsford

6:20 PM OPEN TO PUBLIC

6:30 PM ADJOURN

Questions? Need special accommodations? Contact: Ed Bove at ebove@rutlandrpc.org or (802) 775-0871.

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COOPERATIVE PLANNING IN THE REGION

### TRILAND PARTNERS LP

November 7, 2022

Vermont Public Utility Commission 112 State Street Montpelier, VT 05620-2701

Re: Designation as "Preferred Site" under Net Metering Rule 5.100

Dear Commissioners:

In accordance with Net Meter Rule 5.100, and specifically Section 5.103(7), the Town of Clarendon Select Board and Town of Clarendon Planning Commission, along with the Rutland Regional Planning Commission, are submitting this letter of joint support for designation of an approximate four (4) acre parcel of land as a preferred site for a solar net metering facility.

Triland Partners ("the Developer") proposes to utilize the designated preferred site (see attached Exhibit) for the siting of a net metered solar facility. This preferred site lies within our jurisdiction and we have collectively discussed the proposed use with the Developer, reviewed numerous materials for the preferred site (including ANR mapping data), to evaluate aesthetic and other potential impacts. Guided by this due diligence, and discussions with the Developer and land owner, we submit this joint letter of support.

Please note that neither the Town of Clarendon Select Board, nor the Town Planning Commission, nor the Rutland Regional Planning Commission take a position certifying or approving the proposed solar facility's compliance with any other applicable provisions of Vermont law, in particular Section 248. Our collective goal by this letter is to state our joint support for designation of this property as a preferred site under Net Meter Rule Section 5.103(7), "Preferred Site" definitions. Please see the aerial image identifying the location of the preferred site attached as an exhibit to this letter.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Thomas T. Garden

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[SIGNATURES FOLLOW ON SEPARATE PAGES]



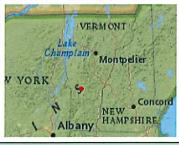


# **Natural Resources Atlas**

**Vermont Agency of Natural Resources** 

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## Roads

InterstateUS Highway; 1

State Highway

Town Highway (Class 1)

Town Highway (Class 2,3)

Town Highway (Class 4)

## **NOTES**

Pinkowski proposed "preferred site"; North Clarendon, VT. Map created using ANR GIS mapping technology.

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November 7, 2022



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1" = 432 Ft. 1cm = 52 Meters THIS MAP IS NOT TO BE USED FOR NAVIGATION DISCLAIMER: This map is for general reference only. Data layers that appear on this map may or may not be accurate, current, or otherwise reliable. ANR and the State of Vermont make no representations of any kind, including but not limited to, the warranties of merchantability, or fitness for a particular use, nor are any such warranties to be implied with respect to the data on this map.