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MEMORANDUM

TO: Lucas Rogers
CC:
FROM: Laura DeGaetano, Sr. Natural Resource Planner
DATE: March 2, 2021
RE: SEQR Compliance
SUBJECT: Solar installation at 897 Watervliet Shaker Rd.

The project includes the design and construction of a solar installation on the southern portion of the 33.9 acre County-owned property at 897 Watervliet Shaker Road in the Town of Colonie. The installation would be a 3.21 Megawatt solar farm with 4.091 gigawatt hours of annual production. The County will be the sole off-taker or the power to offset County electricity use via a Power Purchase Agreement (PPA).

As described above, this project has been determined to be a Type I Action under 6 NYCRR Part 617 SEQRA 617.4 (b)(9). Accordingly, the county must take steps to seek and establish lead agency status, coordinate a review with involved agencies, prepare a determination of significance, and comply with all necessary notifications consistent with review as a Type I action.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to call me at your convenience.