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## ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL

Washington Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council

Sonia Bumpus EFSEC Manager PO Box 43172

Subject: Extension Request for High Top Solar, LLC Project and Ostrea Solar, LLC Project

Dear Ms. Bumpus,

On behalf of Cypress Creek Renewables, LLC, project proponent, this letter requests the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council's (EFSEC) agreement that the processing time of the High Top Solar, LLC Project and the Ostrea Solar, LLC Project Application for Site Certification (ASC) be extended an additional 10 weeks, to October 20, 2022.

The High Top Solar, LLC Project and the Ostrea Solar, LLC Project ASC was filed with EFSEC on April 7, 2022. Through discussions with EFSEC staff, we understand the review of the ASC application and the expediated requested has taken longer than anticipated due to delays in the formal agency response and staffing challenges.

While we certainly hope that a recommendation from EFSEC and a decision by the Governor will occur before the end of 2022, we also want to allow adequate time for all parties and agencies to review the ASC application, coordinate on the mitigation requests, and be able to conduct the requested reviews and approvals at the regularly scheduled EFSEC council staff meetings.

Sincerely

Tai Wallace

Senior Director, Development Cypress Creek Renewables, LLC

cc:

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