Hon. Kathleen H. Burgess, Secretary New York State Department of Public Service Agency Building #3, Albany, NY 12223-1350 E-mail: secretary @dps.ny.gov Re: Case No.18-F-0087, Application for Flint Mine Solar LLC for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need Pursuant to Article 10 for Construction of a Solar Electric Generating Facility located in the towns of Coxsackie and Athens,

Greene County.

Dear Secretary Burgess:

I am in favor of the Flint Mine Solar Project for the following reasons:

The solar project will bring much needed revenue into the towns of Coxsackie and Athens.

Solar Power is a renewable, clean source of energy that does not cause air pollution or greenhouse gases that contribute to global climate change.

The solar project will help the local watershed because the farmers will not be plowing the land, which can cause runoff, or using fertilizer and pesticides that make their way into the local waterways.

The solar project will give purpose to clay-based farmland that cannot support crops.

Flint Mine Solar is a well sited project that will be largely hidden from the public view and will cause little, if any, visual impacts.

Flint Mine Solar is sited all along the existing high tension power lines.

Climate change is already threatening the global environment and I am in favor of transitioning to renewable energy sources quickly so that we can help address the situation before it is too late.

Other:

Please help this community by approving the Flint Mine Solar Project., Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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