

Mark V. Territo
Commissioner

Town of Clay



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STATE ENVIRONMENT QUALITY REVIEW NOTICE OF ESTABLISHMENT OF LEAD AGENCY

To: Involved Agencies and Interested Parties

Date: September 8, 2021

Re: Applicant: **VP Road Solar, LLC**

This notice is issued pursuant to Part 617 of the implementing regulations pertaining to Article 8 (State Environmental Quality Review Act) of the Environmental Conservation Law.

The Town of Clay Planning Board at its regular meeting, scheduled on September 1, 2021, declared that this is a Type I Action and that it shall be the lead agency for the environmental review of the proposed action described below:

NAME OF ACTION(S): **Special Permit for Utility Substation. VP Road Solar, LLC
4936 Ver Plank Road, Clay, NY 13041 (Ver Plank / Van Hosen)**

DESCRIPTION OF ACTION: Development of a 4.975MW and a 4.0MW ground mounted solar photo-voltaic array on 96 acres of land, tax map # 047.-01-07.0 and 047.-01-09.1.

REASONS SUPPORTING THIS DETERMINATION: This agency has the broadest governmental powers for investigation of the impact of the proposed action; *and* this agency has the greatest capability for providing the most thorough environmental assessment of the proposed action.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that this determination, subject to agreement of the agencies involved, shall become effective 30 calendar days from the date hereof. You may wish to notify the Town of Clay of any concerns regarding the substance of this project before this date.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

CONTACT PERSON: Mark V. Territo, Commissioner of Planning and Development

ADDRESS: 4401 NYS Route 31
Clay, NY 13041

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (315) 652-3800

Copies of this notice have been sent to all involved agencies and interested parties.

VP Road Solar, LLC- Ver Plank Road North & South Solar

Site Plan Approval

SEQR DISTRIBUTION LIST 9/8/2021

LEAD AGENCY	(X) R. Daniel Makay
(X) Planning Board, Town of Clay	(XX) Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer
4401 N.Y. State Route 31	NY State Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation
Clay, NY 13041	P.O. Box 189
	Waterford, New York 12188-0189
INVOLVED AGENCIES	
(X) Mr. Jeffrey Till	(X) Ms. Margaret A. Crawford, Biologist
(XX) Onondaga County Health Department	(XX) U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Public Health Engineer	Auburn Field Office
Division of Environmental Health	7413 County House Road
421 Montgomery St., 12 th Floor	Auburn, NY 13021-8216
Syracuse, New York 13202	
	(X) Mr. Kevin Balduzzi
(X) Andrew Kormacki, Chief of Public Affairs	(XX) N.Y.S. Dept. of Environmental Conservation
(XX) US Army Corps of Engineers	Environmental Analyst
Buffalo District	615 Erie Boulevard West
1776 Niagara Street	Syracuse, New York 13204
Buffalo, New York 14207	
(X) Mr. Patrick Sherlock	
(XX) Water Systems Construction Engineer	
Onondaga County Water Authority	
P.O. Box 4949	
Syracuse, New York 13221	
	INTERESTED PARTIES
(X) Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Cncl.	(X) Syracuse-Onondaga County Planning Agency
(XX) <i>Attn: James D'Agostino</i>	(XX) 421 Montgomery Street
100 Clinton Square, 126 N. Salina St., Suite 100	Syracuse, NY 13202
Syracuse, New York 13202	(X) Town Attorney, Robert Germain
	(X) Town Engineer, Ron DeTota, C & S
(X) Onondaga County Department of	(X) Town Clerk, Jill Hageman-Clark
(XX) Water Environment Protection	
650 Hiawatha Blvd. West	
Syracuse, New York 13204	
	NOTIFICATION
	(X) Town of Clay Website: www.townofclay.org
(X) Mr. Martin Voss	(X) NOPL Public Library
(XX) Onondaga County Dept. of Transportation	
421 Montgomery Street, 11 th Floor	
Syracuse, New York 13202	
	APPLICANT:
	(X) VP Road Solar, LLC
	143 West Street, Suite C201
	New Milford, CT 06776
(X) Town Supervisor	ITEMS DISTRIBUTED:
(X) Town Board Members (6)	(X) NOTICE OF ESTABLISHMENT OF LEAD AGENCY
	(XX) FULL EAF, LOCATION MAP