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Good afternoon, Ms. Hopkins,

DCA has no objection to the motion.

Best,
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Debbie,

Vote Solar is not participating in the appeal and has no objection.

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On behalf of the South Carolina Solar Business Alliance , Inc., we do not oppose the Motion.

Richard Whitt.

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Ms. Hopkins,

Sierra Club is not participating in the appeal, but has no objection to the motion.

Regards,  
Bridget Lee

On Tue, Jun 9, 2020 at 10:01 AM Gudrun Thompson <[gthompson@selcnc.org](mailto:gthompson@selcnc.org)> wrote:

Dear Ms. Hopkins,

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