

APPENDIX Q
VILLAGE OF SAG HARBOR CORRESPONDENCE



December 8, 2021

Mayor James Larocca
Village of Sag Harbor
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Re: LIPA Bridgehampton to Buell 69 kV Underground Cable

Dear Mayor Larocca,

Thank you for meeting with PSEGLI staff on Tuesday, November 30, 2021. As discussed in the meeting, PSEGLI is seeking conceptual agreement from the Village of Sag Harbor to conduct habitat restoration on a ± 0.39 acre portion of parcel number 0900-0400-01-3.1 located on the east side of Bridgehampton Sag Harbor Turnpike, approximately 4,250 feet south of Clay Pit Road. Restoration is being proposed as habitat enhancement for the Eastern Tiger Salamander (*Ambystoma tigrinum*) to compensate for the temporary habitat loss that will occur as a result of construction activities associated with our Bridgehampton to Buell 69 kV transmission cable project. Approximately 0.33 acres of temporary habitat loss will occur on LIPA owned land located on the west side of Bridgehampton Sag Harbor Turnpike in association with the project. Generally, restoration will include removal of debris and invasive species on this parcel, and revegetating the target areas with native species. Full details of restoration will be provided to the Village for review and comment once said details are fully developed. Restoration plans will also be submitted to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation for review and approval. By response to this letter, we request confirmation that the Village has no objection to PSEGLI undertaking this restoration on a conceptual basis subject to further restoration details which will be provided upon completion of development of said details. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you have further questions regarding this matter.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Sy Gruza".

On Behalf Of
Sy Gruza
Senior Environmental Counsel, PSEG Long Island

Cc: Lynn Bertrand (PSEG Long Island)

