

# TOWN OF BURRILLVILLE

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## Burrillville Town Council Resolution Opposing the Siting of the Clear River Energy Center in Burrillville, RI

- WHEREAS, on October 29, 2015 Invenergy Thermal Development LLC filed an application to Construct the Clear River Energy Center Power Plant in Burrillville, RI with the Rhode Island Energy Facility Siting Board (EFSB); and
- WHEREAS, in the months since the filing of that application, the Town of Burrillville has conducted extensive study of the application with and through credentialed professionals, including studies of noise, water, traffic and air quality, among others; and
- WHEREAS, after considering expert testimony and conducting thorough public hearing the Burrillville Planning Board and Zoning Board of Review have advised the EFSB that Burrillville, RI is not a suitable site for the Clear River Energy Center; and
- WHEREAS, the Burrillville Building Inspector and Burrillville Tax Assessor, have also submitted advisory opinions to the EFSB expressing the impact the proposed Clear River Energy Center would have on the Town of Burrillville; and
- WHEREAS, during the past eleven months, many citizens of the Town of Burrillville have expressed clear opposition to the siting of the Clear River Energy Center for reasons including the impacts on property, environment, water and traffic; and
- WHEREAS, the Burrillville Town Council joins with the citizens and officials of Burrillville expressing concerns and objections to the siting of the Clear River Energy Center in Burrillville, RI..

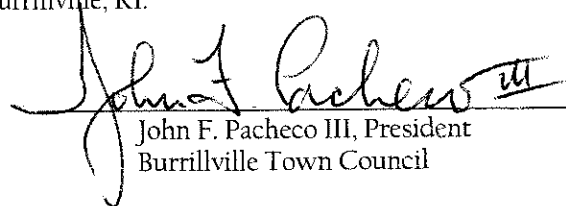
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Town Council of the Town of Burrillville, do hereby oppose the siting of the Clear River Energy Center in Burrillville, RI.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Burrillville Town Council President John F. Pacheco III, is hereby authorized and directed to testify before the EFSB to express the opposition of the Town to the siting of the Clear River Energy Center in Burrillville, RI.

Adopted this 22nd day of September 2016

ATTEST:

  
Louise R. Phaneuf, Town Clerk

  
John F. Pacheco III, President  
Burrillville Town Council