

## 486 Anson Rd Solar Project – Landscaping Plan

To prepare the site for construction, trees and shrubs will be removed and stumped within the array area. The extent of this land clearing is shown on our site plans via the depiction of the new tree lines and the location of the array. Following the construction phase, the array area (within and immediately outside of the perimeter fence) will be seeded with a low-growth grass mix to re-stabilize the ground. This grass will be mowed approximately twice annually. Moreover, trees near the array will be trimmed over time to prevent shading on the panels.

In order to maintain a visual buffer from Anson Rd (Route 43), the vegetation in a 30' strip parallel to Anson Rd, with the exception of the access road and areas needed for utility equipment, will be left vegetated on the 1,250' of frontage. This approximate area is depicted in the red rectangle in Exhibit A, below. For clarity, the applicant is not proposing the addition of new plantings in this area.

