

**Full Environmental Assessment Form**  
**Part 1 - Project and Setting**

**Instructions for Completing Part 1**

**Part 1 is to be completed by the applicant or project sponsor.** Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification.

Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information; indicate whether missing information does not exist, or is not reasonably available to the sponsor; and, when possible, generally describe work or studies which would be necessary to update or fully develop that information.

Applicants/sponsors must complete all items in Sections A & B. In Sections C, D & E, most items contain an initial question that must be answered either “Yes” or “No”. If the answer to the initial question is “Yes”, complete the sub-questions that follow. If the answer to the initial question is “No”, proceed to the next question. Section F allows the project sponsor to identify and attach any additional information. Section G requires the name and signature of the applicant or project sponsor to verify that the information contained in Part 1 is accurate and complete.

**A. Project and Applicant/Sponsor Information.**

Name of Action or Project: Lake Hawkeye Data Campus (also referred to as Cayuga Data Campus)		
Project Location (describe, and attach a general location map): 228 Cayuga Drive, Lansing, NY 14882 (see attached site location map)		
Brief Description of Proposed Action (include purpose or need):  The Lake Hawkeye (the “Project”) is a data center campus supporting high-performance computing operations located at the former Cayuga power generation site. The Project modernizes an existing utility-scale industrial property into infrastructure that directly supports computing, consistent with the site’s historic use as utility-scale infrastructure. The Project will be developed in a staged, modular sequence totaling approximately 300 MW of computing infrastructure. Phase I will consist of the construction of three 50-MW buildings. Phase II will consist of an additional 150 MW of computing infrastructure. This sequential development model mirrors the successful approach implemented at TeraWulf’s Lake Mariner campus in Barker, NY, allowing the Project to scale responsibly in alignment with site readiness, final design approvals, and utility interconnection upgrades funded by the Applicants. Each building is anticipated to require approximately 12–14 months from Notice to Proceed through commissioning. Staged deployment ensures continuity of local construction trades, minimizes site disturbance, and enables infrastructure development to advance in a manner consistent with both grid capacity timing and community-facing coordination.		
Name of Applicant/Sponsor: TeraWulf Inc. (Lake Hawkeye Data)		Telephone:(720) 698-1557
		E-Mail: skobylarz@beowulfed.com
Address:228 Cayuga Drive		
City/PO:Lansing	State:NY	Zip Code:14882
Project Contact (if not same as sponsor; give name and title/role): Scott Kobylarz, Director of Construction		Telephone:(720) 698-1557
		E-Mail:skobylarz@beowulfed.com
Address: 228 Cayuga Drive		
City/PO: Lansing	State: NY	Zip Code: 14882
Property Owner (if not same as sponsor): Cayuga Operating Company LLC		Telephone:
		E-Mail:
Address: 228 Cayuga Drive		
City/PO: Lansing	State: NY	Zip Code:14882

**B. Government Approvals**

**B. Government Approvals, Funding, or Sponsorship.** (“Funding” includes grants, loans, tax relief, and any other forms of financial assistance.)

Government Entity	If Yes: Identify Agency and Approval(s) Required	Application Date (Actual or projected)
a. City Council, Town Board, or Village Board of Trustees <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Town of Lansing Town Board	March 2026
b. City, Town or Village Planning Board or Commission <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Town of Lansing Planning Board	March 2026
c. City, Town or Village Zoning Board of Appeals <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Town Zoning Board of Appeals	December 2025
d. Other local agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
e. County agencies <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Tompkins County Planning Board	March 2026
f. Regional agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
g. State agencies <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	NYSDEC, NYSDOT, SHPO	
h. Federal agencies <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	USACE, USFWS	
i. Coastal Resources.		
i. Is the project site within a Coastal Area, or the waterfront area of a Designated Inland Waterway?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
ii. Is the project site located in a community with an approved Local Waterfront Revitalization Program?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
iii. Is the project site within a Coastal Erosion Hazard Area?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

**C. Planning and Zoning**

**C.1. Planning and zoning actions.**

Will administrative or legislative adoption, or amendment of a plan, local law, ordinance, rule or regulation be the only approval(s) which must be granted to enable the proposed action to proceed? Yes No

- **If Yes**, complete sections C, F and G.
- **If No**, proceed to question C.2 and complete all remaining sections and questions in Part 1

**C.2. Adopted land use plans.**

a. Do any municipally- adopted (city, town, village or county) comprehensive land use plan(s) include the site where the proposed action would be located? Yes No

If Yes, does the comprehensive plan include specific recommendations for the site where the proposed action would be located? Yes No

b. Is the site of the proposed action within any local or regional special planning district (for example: Greenway; Brownfield Opportunity Area (BOA); designated State or Federal heritage area; watershed management plan; or other?) Yes No

If Yes, identify the plan(s):

Cayuga Lake Watershed Restoration & Protection Plan  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

c. Is the proposed action located wholly or partially within an area listed in an adopted municipal open space plan, or an adopted municipal farmland protection plan? Yes No

If Yes, identify the plan(s):

Town of Lansing Open Space Conservation Plan, Town of Lansing Agriculture & Farmland Protection Plan  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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**C.3. Zoning**

a. Is the site of the proposed action located in a municipality with an adopted zoning law or ordinance.  Yes  No  
If Yes, what is the zoning classification(s) including any applicable overlay district?

The Project satisfies permitted IR District classification: General processing, light manufacturing and assembly per the Town of Lansing Zoning Board of Appeals December 22, 2025 decision. Adjacent parcels are zoned Residential/Agricultural (RA) and Lakeshore (L1).

b. Is the use permitted or allowed by a special or conditional use permit?  Yes  No

c. Is a zoning change requested as part of the proposed action?  Yes  No

If Yes,

i. What is the proposed new zoning for the site? \_\_\_\_\_

**C.4. Existing community services.**

a. In what school district is the project site located? Lansing Central School District

b. What police or other public protection forces serve the project site?  
Tompkins County Sheriff's Office and the New York State Police

c. Which fire protection and emergency medical services serve the project site?  
Lansing Fire Department, Cayuga Medical Associates, and ambulance service by Bangs Ambulance.

d. What parks serve the project site?  
The Cayuga Shores Wildlife Mgmt Area is located approx 1 mile north of the Project site, Taughannock Falls & Three Falls State Parks are located approximately 3 miles to the southeast across Cayuga Lake. Additional nearby public recreational resources include Myers Park and Salt Point.

**D. Project Details**

**D.1. Proposed and Potential Development**

a. What is the general nature of the proposed action (e.g., residential, industrial, commercial, recreational; if mixed, include all components)? General processing (light manufacturing equivalent) associated with computational operations

b. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? \_\_\_\_\_ ±434 acres

b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? \_\_\_\_\_ ±125 acres

c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? \_\_\_\_\_ ±434 acres

c. Is the proposed action an expansion of an existing project or use?  Yes  No

i. If Yes, what is the approximate percentage of the proposed expansion and identify the units (e.g., acres, miles, housing units, square feet)? % \_\_\_\_\_ Units: \_\_\_\_\_

d. Is the proposed action a subdivision, or does it include a subdivision?  Yes  No

If Yes,

i. Purpose or type of subdivision? (e.g., residential, industrial, commercial; if mixed, specify types) \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Is a cluster/conservation layout proposed?  Yes  No

iii. Number of lots proposed? \_\_\_\_\_

iv. Minimum and maximum proposed lot sizes? Minimum \_\_\_\_\_ Maximum \_\_\_\_\_

e. Will the proposed action be constructed in multiple phases?  Yes  No

i. If No, anticipated period of construction: \_\_\_\_\_ months

ii. If Yes:

- Total number of phases anticipated 2
- Anticipated commencement date of phase 1 (including demolition) June month 2026 year
- Anticipated completion date of final phase Feb month 2032 year

• Generally describe connections or relationships among phases, including any contingencies where progress of one phase may determine timing or duration of future phases: \_\_\_\_\_

Phase I will include site preparation, grading, utility extension, and construction of the three buildings. Each of these three buildings will have its own sub phase (i.e. Phase 1A, 1B, 1C). Phase II will consist of the construction of the additional buildings comprising the balance of the campus buildout.

f. Does the project include new residential uses?  Yes  No

If Yes, show numbers of units proposed.

	<u>One Family</u>	<u>Two Family</u>	<u>Three Family</u>	<u>Multiple Family (four or more)</u>
Initial Phase	_____	_____	_____	_____
At completion	_____	_____	_____	_____
of all phases	_____	_____	_____	_____

g. Does the proposed action include new non-residential construction (including expansions)?  Yes  No  
\* Maximum building height of 35 feet. An additional 30 feet is expected for mechanical equipment on roof.

If Yes,

i. Total number of structures 5 (Phase I), additional (Phase II) \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Dimensions (in feet) of largest proposed structure: ±65\* height; ±235 width; and ±454 length

iii. Approximate extent of building space to be heated or cooled: ±107,000 per building square feet

h. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that will result in the impoundment of any liquids, such as creation of a water supply, reservoir, pond, lake, waste lagoon or other storage?  Yes  No

If Yes,

i. Purpose of the impoundment: Management of stormwater runoff in accordance with SWPPP requirements

ii. If a water impoundment, the principal source of the water:  Ground water  Surface water streams  Other specify: Stormwater

iii. If other than water, identify the type of impounded/contained liquids and their source.  
NA

iv. Approximate size of the proposed impoundment. Volume: TBD million gallons; surface area: TBD acres

v. Dimensions of the proposed dam or impounding structure: \_\_\_\_\_ height; \_\_\_\_\_ length

vi. Construction method/materials for the proposed dam or impounding structure (e.g., earth fill, rock, wood, concrete):  
Earth fill

**D.2. Project Operations**

a. Does the proposed action include any excavation, mining, or dredging, during construction, operations, or both?  Yes  No  
 (Not including general site preparation, grading or installation of utilities or foundations where all excavated materials will remain onsite)

If Yes: i. What is the purpose of the excavation or dredging?  
Excavation limited to building foundations, utilities, laydown areas, roads, and stormwater.

ii. How much material (including rock, earth, sediments, etc.) is proposed to be removed from the site?

- Volume (specify tons or cubic yards): Phase I: ±900,000 cubic yards. Phase II: ±500,000 cubic yards.
- Over what duration of time? Phase I: Approx. 6-10 months. Phase II: Approx. 3-6 months.

iii. Describe nature and characteristics of materials to be excavated or dredged, and plans to use, manage or dispose of them.  
Combination of rock and overburden. On-site re-use to the extent possible based on suitability of material. Material not usable for fill will be disposed of off site in accordance with applicable state and federal regulations.

iv. Will there be onsite dewatering or processing of excavated materials?  Yes  No  
 If yes, describe. Dewatering needed to maintain dry excavation and on-site processing (e.g., crushing) for material reuse.

v. What is the total area to be dredged or excavated? \_\_\_\_\_ ± 70 acres

vi. What is the maximum area to be worked at any one time? \_\_\_\_\_ ± 20 acres

vii. What would be the maximum depth of excavation or dredging? \_\_\_\_\_ ± 60 feet

viii. Will the excavation require blasting?  Yes  No

ix. Summarize site reclamation goals and plan: \_\_\_\_\_  
Blasting, if required, will be controlled and temporary. On-site re-use to the extent possible based on suitability of material. Material not usable for fill will be disposed of off site in accordance with applicable state and federal regulations.

b. Would the proposed action cause or result in alteration of, increase or decrease in size of, or encroachment into any existing wetland, waterbody, shoreline, beach or adjacent area?  Yes  No

If Yes:

i. Identify the wetland or waterbody which would be affected (by name, water index number, wetland map number or geographic description): See the Draft Wetland and Stream Delineation Report prepared by Ramboll (November 26, 2024), which has been previously submitted to the Town..

ii. Describe how the proposed action would affect that waterbody or wetland, e.g. excavation, fill, placement of structures, or alteration of channels, banks and shorelines. Indicate extent of activities, alterations and additions in square feet or acres: Jurisdictional wetlands and waterbodies will be avoided to the maximum extent practicable. Impacts, if any, will be subject to NYSDEC and USACE permitting.

iii. Will the proposed action cause or result in disturbance to bottom sediments?  Yes  No  
If Yes, describe: Bottom sediments within identified streams and ditches located inside the limits of disturbance (see delineation report provided).

iv. Will the proposed action cause or result in the destruction or removal of aquatic vegetation?  Yes  No  
If Yes:

- acres of aquatic vegetation proposed to be removed: ±2.3(PH-I), ±3.0 (PH-II)
- expected acreage of aquatic vegetation remaining after project completion: \_\_\_\_\_
- purpose of proposed removal (e.g. beach clearing, invasive species control, boat access): Removal for building construction
- proposed method of plant removal: Excavation.
- if chemical/herbicide treatment will be used, specify product(s): Not applicable

v. Describe any proposed reclamation/mitigation following disturbance: Wetland mitigation areas may be required and will be designed in coordination with USACE and NYSDEC, if jurisdiction is confirmed.

c. Will the proposed action use, or create a new demand for water?  Yes  No  
If Yes:

i. Total anticipated water usage/demand per day: ±30k average daily/ ±700k max gallons/day

ii. Will the proposed action obtain water from an existing public water supply?  Yes  No  
If Yes:

- Name of district or service area: Southern Cayuga Lake Intermunicipal Water Commission (Bolton Point)
- Does the existing public water supply have capacity to serve the proposal?  Yes  No
- Is the project site in the existing district?  Yes  No
- Is expansion of the district needed?  Yes  No
- Do existing lines serve the project site?  Yes  No

iii. Will line extension within an existing district be necessary to supply the project?  Yes  No  
If Yes:

- Describe extensions or capacity expansions proposed to serve this project: Applicant to coordinate with TOL & BP to confirm system capacity & implement any required infrastructure upgrades
- Source(s) of supply for the district: NA No adverse impact to system capacity or existing users is anticipated

iv. Is a new water supply district or service area proposed to be formed to serve the project site?  Yes  No  
If Yes:

- Applicant/sponsor for new district: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date application submitted or anticipated: \_\_\_\_\_
- Proposed source(s) of supply for new district: \_\_\_\_\_

v. If a public water supply will not be used, describe plans to provide water supply for the project: \_\_\_\_\_

vi. If water supply will be from wells (public or private), what is the maximum pumping capacity: \_\_\_\_\_ gallons/minute.

d. Will the proposed action generate liquid wastes?  Yes  No  
If Yes:

i. Total anticipated liquid waste generation per day: ±4,500 gallons/day

ii. Nature of liquid wastes to be generated (e.g., sanitary wastewater, industrial; if combination, describe all components and approximate volumes or proportions of each): -4,500 gallons per day of sanitary wastewater to be generated. Separately, mechanical room drains will be discharged to holding tanks associated with each building and transported off-site in accordance with state and federal regulations. Volume is TDB. No process wastewater discharge is proposed.

iii. Will the proposed action use any existing public wastewater treatment facilities?  Yes  No  
If Yes:

- Name of wastewater treatment plant to be used: \_\_\_\_\_
- Name of district: \_\_\_\_\_
- Does the existing wastewater treatment plant have capacity to serve the project?  Yes  No
- Is the project site in the existing district?  Yes  No
- Is expansion of the district needed?  Yes  No

• Do existing sewer lines serve the project site?  Yes  No  
 • Will a line extension within an existing district be necessary to serve the project?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 • Describe extensions or capacity expansions proposed to serve this project: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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iv. Will a new wastewater (sewage) treatment district be formed to serve the project site?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 • Applicant/sponsor for new district: \_\_\_\_\_  
 • Date application submitted or anticipated: \_\_\_\_\_  
 • What is the receiving water for the wastewater discharge? \_\_\_\_\_

v. If public facilities will not be used, describe plans to provide wastewater treatment for the project, including specifying proposed receiving water (name and classification if surface discharge or describe subsurface disposal plans):  
 Sanitary wastewater will be discharged to a proposed septic system.  
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vi. Describe any plans or designs to capture, recycle or reuse liquid waste: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Not Applicable  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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e. Will the proposed action disturb more than one acre and create stormwater runoff, either from new point sources (i.e. ditches, pipes, swales, curbs, gutters or other concentrated flows of stormwater) or non-point source (i.e. sheet flow) during construction or post construction?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. How much impervious surface will the project create in relation to total size of project parcel?  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Square feet or ±46.4 acres (impervious surface)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Square feet or ±434 acres (parcel size)  
 ii. Describe types of new point sources. All storm water will be treated, overflow from green infrastructure practices to be directed to new point sources that drain to existing swales, culverts & ultimately Cayuga Lake via existing drainage infrastructure.  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 iii. Where will the stormwater runoff be directed (i.e. on-site stormwater management facility/structures, adjacent properties, groundwater, on-site surface water or off-site surface waters)?  
 Stormwater will be directed to Green Infrastructure standard practices for runoff reduction and water quality treatment. This will be addressed using Best Management Practices including biofiltration, bioretention, infiltration practices, and proprietary practices with high-rate biofiltration as needed.  
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 • If to surface waters, identify receiving water bodies or wetlands: Cayuga Lake  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 • Will stormwater runoff flow to adjacent properties?  Yes  No

iv. Does the proposed plan minimize impervious surfaces, use pervious materials or collect and re-use stormwater?  Yes  No

f. Does the proposed action include, or will it use on-site, one or more sources of air emissions, including fuel combustion, waste incineration, or other processes or operations?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, identify:  
 i. Mobile sources during project operations (e.g., heavy equipment, fleet or delivery vehicles)  
 Short-term particulate emissions (dust) and equipment exhaust emissions will be temporary and limited to construction activities.  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 ii. Stationary sources during construction (e.g., power generation, structural heating, batch plant, crushers)  
 Power generation and crushers  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 iii. Stationary sources during operations (e.g., process emissions, large boilers, electric generation)  
 Three 2,500 KW (limited use) emergency generators (For each Phase).  
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g. Will any air emission sources named in D.2.f (above), require a NY State Air Registration, Air Facility Permit, or Federal Clean Air Act Title IV or Title V Permit?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Is the project site located in an Air quality non-attainment area? (Area routinely or periodically fails to meet ambient air quality standards for all or some parts of the year)  Yes  No  
 ii. In addition to emissions as calculated in the application, the project will generate:  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/year (short tons) of Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/year (short tons) of Nitrous Oxide (N<sub>2</sub>O)  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/year (short tons) of Perfluorocarbons (PFCs)  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/year (short tons) of Sulfur Hexafluoride (SF<sub>6</sub>)  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/year (short tons) of Carbon Dioxide equivalent of Hydroflouorocarbons (HFCs)  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/year (short tons) of Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs)

h. Will the proposed action generate or emit methane (including, but not limited to, sewage treatment plants, landfills, composting facilities)?  Yes  No

If Yes:

i. Estimate methane generation in tons/year (metric): \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Describe any methane capture, control or elimination measures included in project design (e.g., combustion to generate heat or electricity, flaring): \_\_\_\_\_

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i. Will the proposed action result in the release of air pollutants from open-air operations or processes, such as quarry or landfill operations?  Yes  No

If Yes: Describe operations and nature of emissions (e.g., diesel exhaust, rock particulates/dust):  
 Short-term particulate emissions (dust) and exhaust associated with construction activities. Dust mitigation through the use of water trucks and road sweepers. \_\_\_\_\_

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j. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels or generate substantial new demand for transportation facilities or services?  Yes  No

Traffic expected to be materially lower than historic peak operations compared to former power plant. During construction traffic will increase

If Yes:

i. When is the peak traffic expected (Check all that apply):  Morning  Evening  Weekend  
 Randomly between hours of \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

ii. For commercial activities only, projected number of truck trips/day and type (e.g., semi trailers and dump trucks): \_\_\_\_\_

iii. Parking spaces: Existing \_\_\_\_\_ Proposed \_\_\_\_\_ Net increase/decrease \_\_\_\_\_

iv. Does the proposed action include any shared use parking?  Yes  No

v. If the proposed action includes any modification of existing roads, creation of new roads or change in existing access, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

vi. Are public/private transportation service(s) or facilities available within 1/2 mile of the proposed site?  Yes  No

vii. Will the proposed action include access to public transportation or accommodations for use of hybrid, electric or other alternative fueled vehicles?  Yes  No

viii. Will the proposed action include plans for pedestrian or bicycle accommodations for connections to existing pedestrian or bicycle routes?  Yes  No

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k. Will the proposed action (for commercial or industrial projects only) generate new or additional demand for energy?  Yes  No

If Yes:

i. Estimate annual electricity demand during operation of the proposed action: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approximately 150 MW in Phase I (3 x 50 MW buildings), expanding to approximately 300 MW total in Phase II

ii. Anticipated sources/suppliers of electricity for the project (e.g., on-site combustion, on-site renewable, via grid/local utility, or other):  
 Local Utility - NYSEG

iii. Will the proposed action require a new, or an upgrade, to an existing substation?  Yes  No

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l. Hours of operation. Answer all items which apply.

<p>i. During Construction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday - Friday: _____ 24 hours per day*</li> <li>• Saturday: _____ 24 hours per day*</li> <li>• Sunday: _____ 24 hours per day*</li> <li>• Holidays: _____ 24 hours per day*</li> </ul>	<p>ii. During Operations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday - Friday: _____ 24 hours per day</li> <li>• Saturday: _____ 24 hours per day</li> <li>• Sunday: _____ 24 hours per day</li> <li>• Holidays: _____ 24 hours per day</li> </ul>
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\*Construction activities exceeding existing ambient noise levels will not occur between the hours of 9pm - 6am.

m. Will the proposed action produce noise that will exceed existing ambient noise levels during construction, operation, or both?  Yes  No  
 If yes:  
 i. Provide details including sources, time of day and duration:  
 Construction: Temporary noise will be limited in duration and mitigated through standard best-practices. Operation: The facility is designed to comply with applicable local noise standards at the property boundary, with verification through post-construction testing.

ii. Will the proposed action remove existing natural barriers that could act as a noise barrier or screen?  Yes  No  
 Describe: Tree removal will be required for construction; however, the project includes replanting and landscape screening to restore and enhance vegetative buffers.

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n. Will the proposed action have outdoor lighting?  Yes  No  
 If yes:  
 i. Describe source(s), location(s), height of fixture(s), direction/aim, and proximity to nearest occupied structures:  
 Outdoor lighting to include light poles and exterior building-mounted fixtures required for personnel safety. Fixtures will be shielded and downward-facing to minimize glare and minimize night-sky light pollution with dark-sky compliance and eliminating light trespass.

ii. Will proposed action remove existing natural barriers that could act as a light barrier or screen?  Yes  No  
 Describe: Tree removal will be required for construction; however, the proposed project includes planting of trees to provide screening.

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o. Does the proposed action have the potential to produce odors for more than one hour per day?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, describe possible sources, potential frequency and duration of odor emissions, and proximity to nearest occupied structures:

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p. Will the proposed action include any bulk storage of petroleum (combined capacity of over 1,100 gallons) or chemical products 185 gallons in above ground storage or any amount in underground storage?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Product(s) to be stored: No. 2 fuel oil, food-grade glycol/water mixture in closed loop cooling system.  
 ii. Volume(s) see below per unit time \_\_\_\_\_ (e.g., month, year)  
 iii. Generally, describe the proposed storage facilities:  
 Up to four ±12,100-gallon No. 2 fuel oil aboveground storage tanks. Food-grade glycol chiller system.

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q. Will the proposed action (commercial, industrial and recreational projects only) use pesticides (i.e., herbicides, insecticides) during construction or operation?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Describe proposed treatment(s):  
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 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Will the proposed action use Integrated Pest Management Practices?  Yes  No

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r. Will the proposed action (commercial or industrial projects only) involve or require the management or disposal of solid waste (excluding hazardous materials)?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Describe any solid waste(s) to be generated during construction or operation of the facility:  
 • Construction: \_\_\_\_\_ ±2,000\* tons per \_\_\_\_\_ 44 months (unit of time)  
 • Operation : \_\_\_\_\_ tons per \_\_\_\_\_ (unit of time)  
 ii. Describe any proposals for on-site minimization, recycling or reuse of materials to avoid disposal as solid waste:  
 • Construction: Recycling and reuse will include pallets, wooden crates, scrap metal and debris from the future demolition of the former coal stack. \*Quantity does not include any rock/overburden that may need to be disposed of off-site.  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 • Operation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 iii. Proposed disposal methods/facilities for solid waste generated on-site:  
 • Construction: Local landfill.  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 • Operation: Local landfill.  
 \_\_\_\_\_

s. Does the proposed action include construction or modification of a solid waste management facility?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Type of management or handling of waste proposed for the site (e.g., recycling or transfer station, composting, landfill, or other disposal activities): \_\_\_\_\_  
 ii. Anticipated rate of disposal/processing:  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/month, if transfer or other non-combustion/thermal treatment, or  
 • \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/hour, if combustion or thermal treatment  
 iii. If landfill, anticipated site life: \_\_\_\_\_ years

t. Will the proposed action at the site involve the commercial generation, treatment, storage, or disposal of hazardous waste?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Name(s) of all hazardous wastes or constituents to be generated, handled or managed at facility: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 ii. Generally describe processes or activities involving hazardous wastes or constituents: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 iii. Specify amount to be handled or generated \_\_\_\_\_ tons/month  
 iv. Describe any proposals for on-site minimization, recycling or reuse of hazardous constituents: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 v. Will any hazardous wastes be disposed at an existing offsite hazardous waste facility?  Yes  No  
 If Yes: provide name and location of facility: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 If No: describe proposed management of any hazardous wastes which will not be sent to a hazardous waste facility:  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

**E. Site and Setting of Proposed Action**

**E.1. Land uses on and surrounding the project site**

a. Existing land uses.  
 i. Check all uses that occur on, adjoining and near the project site.  
 Urban  Industrial  Commercial  Residential (suburban)  Rural (non-farm)  
 Forest  Agriculture  Aquatic  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  
 ii. If mix of uses, generally describe:  
 The proposed project area will be located on land previously utilized by the former electric generating station or on undeveloped forested land. Surrounding area is mix of forested, agricultural, rural and residential use. Table below details Phase I & Phase II impacts.

b. Land uses and covertypes on the project site.

Land use or Covertypes	Current Acreage	Acreage After Project Completion	Change (Acres +/-)
• Roads, buildings, and other paved or impervious surfaces	±40	±120.17	+80.17
• Forested	±228	±153	-75
• Meadows, grasslands or brushlands (non-agricultural, including abandoned agricultural)	±61.7	±43.7	-18
• Agricultural (includes active orchards, field, greenhouse etc.)	0	0	0
• Surface water features (lakes, ponds, streams, rivers, etc.)	±3	±6	±3
• Wetlands (freshwater or tidal)	±9.83	±2.53	-7.3*
• Non-vegetated (bare rock, earth or fill)	±37.5	±37.5	0
• Other Vegetative landscaping Describe: _____	0	±17.1	+17.1

\*Wetland mitigation areas may be required and, if so, will be developed in consultation with USACE and NYSDEC.

c. Is the project site presently used by members of the community for public recreation?  Yes  No  
i. If Yes: explain: \_\_\_\_\_

d. Are there any facilities serving children, the elderly, people with disabilities (e.g., schools, hospitals, licensed day care centers, or group homes) within 1500 feet of the project site?  Yes  No  
If Yes,  
i. Identify Facilities: \_\_\_\_\_

e. Does the project site contain an existing dam?  Yes  No  
If Yes:  
i. Dimensions of the dam and impoundment:  
• Dam height: \_\_\_\_\_ feet  
• Dam length: \_\_\_\_\_ feet  
• Surface area: \_\_\_\_\_ acres  
• Volume impounded: \_\_\_\_\_ gallons OR acre-feet  
ii. Dam's existing hazard classification: \_\_\_\_\_  
iii. Provide date and summarize results of last inspection: \_\_\_\_\_

f. Has the project site ever been used as a municipal, commercial or industrial solid waste management facility, or does the project site adjoin property which is now, or was at one time, used as a solid waste management facility?  Yes  No  
If Yes:  
i. Has the facility been formally closed? A NYSDEC letter dated November 28, 2023 confirms that the final cover system for the landfill was substantially completed on October 13, 2020.  Yes  No  
• If yes, cite sources/documentation: \_\_\_\_\_  
ii. Describe the location of the project site relative to the boundaries of the solid waste management facility:  
Area to the east is identified in DEC InfoLocator as an inactive solid waste landfill.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
iii. Describe any development constraints due to the prior solid waste activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
None

g. Have hazardous wastes been generated, treated and/or disposed of at the site, or does the project site adjoin property which is now or was at one time used to commercially treat, store and/or dispose of hazardous waste?  Yes  No  
If Yes:  
i. Describe waste(s) handled and waste management activities, including approximate time when activities occurred:  
The proposed action is not expected to generate hazardous waste beyond standard operational materials managed in accordance with applicable regulations.  
\_\_\_\_\_

h. Potential contamination history. Has there been a reported spill at the proposed project site, or have any remedial actions been conducted at or adjacent to the proposed site?  Yes  No  
If Yes:  
i. Is any portion of the site listed on the NYSDEC Spills Incidents database or Environmental Site Remediation database? Check all that apply:  Yes  No  
 Yes – Spills Incidents database Provide DEC ID number(s): Various closed spills  
 Yes – Environmental Site Remediation database Provide DEC ID number(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Neither database  
ii. If site has been subject of RCRA corrective activities, describe control measures: \_\_\_\_\_  
Not Applicable  
iii. Is the project within 2000 feet of any site in the NYSDEC Environmental Site Remediation database?  Yes  No  
If yes, provide DEC ID number(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
iv. If yes to (i), (ii) or (iii) above, describe current status of site(s): \_\_\_\_\_

v. Is the project site subject to an institutional control limiting property uses?  Yes  No

- If yes, DEC site ID number: \_\_\_\_\_
- Describe the type of institutional control (e.g., deed restriction or easement): \_\_\_\_\_
- Describe any use limitations: \_\_\_\_\_
- Describe any engineering controls: \_\_\_\_\_
- Will the project affect the institutional or engineering controls in place?  Yes  No
- Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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**E.2. Natural Resources On or Near Project Site**

a. What is the average depth to bedrock on the project site? \_\_\_\_\_ ±10.5 feet

b. Are there bedrock outcroppings on the project site?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, what proportion of the site is comprised of bedrock outcroppings? \_\_\_\_\_ %

c. Predominant soil type(s) present on project site: Lodgement Till \_\_\_\_\_ ~100%  
 \_\_\_\_\_ %  
 \_\_\_\_\_ %

d. What is the average depth to the water table on the project site? Average: \_\_\_\_\_ ±6.6 feet

e. Drainage status of project site soils:  Well Drained: \_\_\_\_\_ % of site  
 Moderately Well Drained: ~100% of site  
 Poorly Drained \_\_\_\_\_ % of site

f. Approximate proportion of proposed action site with slopes:  0-10%: ±33 % of site  
 10-15%: ±36 % of site  
 15% or greater: ±31 % of site

g. Are there any unique geologic features on the project site?  Yes  No  
 If Yes, describe: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

h. Surface water features. Refer to the Draft Wetland/Stream Delineation Report previously submitted to the Town.

i. Does any portion of the project site contain wetlands or other waterbodies (including streams, rivers, ponds or lakes)?  Yes  No

ii. Do any wetlands or other waterbodies adjoin the project site?  Yes  No

If Yes to either *i* or *ii*, continue. If No, skip to E.2.i.

iii. Are any of the wetlands or waterbodies within or adjoining the project site regulated by any federal, state or local agency?  Yes  No

iv. For each identified regulated wetland and waterbody on the project site, provide the following information:

- Streams: Name See Draft Wetland/Stream Delineation Report Classification \_\_\_\_\_
- Lakes or Ponds: Name \_\_\_\_\_ Classification \_\_\_\_\_
- Wetlands: Name See Draft Wetland/Stream Delineation Report Approximate Size \_\_\_\_\_
- Wetland No. (if regulated by DEC) \_\_\_\_\_

v. Are any of the above water bodies listed in the most recent compilation of NYS water quality-impaired waterbodies?  Yes  No  
 If yes, name of impaired water body/bodies and basis for listing as impaired: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

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i. Is the project site in a designated Floodway?  Yes  No

j. Is the project site in the 100-year Floodplain?  Yes  No

k. Is the project site in the 500-year Floodplain?  Yes  No

l. Is the project site located over, or immediately adjoining, a primary, principal or sole source aquifer?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Name of aquifer: \_\_\_\_\_

<p>m. Identify the predominant wildlife species that occupy or use the project site:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 33%;">White tailed deer</td> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 33%;">Cottontail rabbit</td> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; width: 33%;">Red Fox</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Opposum</td> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Pheasant</td> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Woodchuck</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Wild turkey</td> <td style="border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Geese</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	White tailed deer	Cottontail rabbit	Red Fox	Opposum	Pheasant	Woodchuck	Wild turkey	Geese		
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Opposum	Pheasant	Woodchuck								
Wild turkey	Geese									
<p>n. Does the project site contain a designated significant natural community? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. Describe the habitat/community (composition, function, and basis for designation): _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Source(s) of description or evaluation: _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">iii. Extent of community/habitat:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Currently: _____ acres</li> <li>• Following completion of project as proposed: _____ acres</li> <li>• Gain or loss (indicate + or -): _____ acres</li> </ul>										
<p>o. Does project site contain any species of plant or animal that is listed by the federal government or NYS as endangered or threatened, or does it contain any areas identified as habitat for an endangered or threatened species? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. Species and listing (endangered or threatened): _____</p> <p>The EAF Mapper identified Lake Sturgeon as a protected aquatic species; however, no in-water or shoreline work is proposed, and no disturbance will occur within or immediately adjacent to Cayuga Lake. The site is also within the range of Northern Long-Eared Bat (Endangered) and Monarch Butterfly (Candidate), but no habitat-impacting activities are anticipated and also not shown in EAF Mapper.</p>										
<p>p. Does the project site contain any species of plant or animal that is listed by NYS as rare, or as a species of special concern? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. Species and listing: _____</p>										
<p>q. Is the project site or adjoining area currently used for hunting, trapping, fishing or shell fishing? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If yes, give a brief description of how the proposed action may affect that use: _____</p> <p>Cayuga Lake is used for recreational fishing. No impacts are anticipated.</p>										
<p><b>E.3. Designated Public Resources On or Near Project Site</b></p>										
<p>a. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in a designated agricultural district certified pursuant to Agriculture and Markets Law, Article 25-AA, Section 303 and 304? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes, provide county plus district name/number: _____</p>										
<p>b. Are agricultural lands consisting of highly productive soils present? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. If Yes: acreage(s) on project site? _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Source(s) of soil rating(s): _____</p>										
<p>c. Does the project site contain all or part of, or is it substantially contiguous to, a registered National Natural Landmark? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. Nature of the natural landmark: <input type="checkbox"/> Biological Community <input type="checkbox"/> Geological Feature</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Provide brief description of landmark, including values behind designation and approximate size/extent: _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>										
<p>d. Is the project site located in or does it adjoin a state listed Critical Environmental Area? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. CEA name: _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Basis for designation: _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">iii. Designating agency and date: _____</p>										

e. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or district which is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the Commissioner of the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to be eligible for listing on the State Register of Historic Places?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Nature of historic/archaeological resource:  Archaeological Site  Historic Building or District  
 ii. Name: The Cayuga Operating Company LLC coal fired power plant is listed as an Eligible Building.  
 iii. Brief description of attributes on which listing is based:  
 Listing is based on Criterion A: Industry & Criterion C: Architecture as an intact and increasingly rare example of a once substantial industrial enterprise in NYS.

f. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for archaeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory?  Yes  No

g. Have additional archaeological or historic site(s) or resources been identified on the project site?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Describe possible resource(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 ii. Basis for identification: \_\_\_\_\_

h. Is the project site within five miles of any officially designated and publicly accessible federal, state, or local scenic or aesthetic resource?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Identify resource: Cayuga Lake Scenic Byway & Blueway Trail / Cayuga Shores Wildlife Mgmt Area, Taughannock Falls & Three Falls State Park  
 ii. Nature of, or basis for, designation (e.g., established highway overlook, state or local park, state historic trail or scenic byway, etc.): Scenic Byway, Wildlife Management Area, and State Park  
 iii. Distance between project and resource: \_\_\_\_\_ ±0.60 (Byway) miles.

i. Is the project site located within a designated river corridor under the Wild, Scenic and Recreational Rivers Program 6 NYCRR 666?  Yes  No  
 If Yes:  
 i. Identify the name of the river and its designation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ii. Is the activity consistent with development restrictions contained in 6NYCRR Part 666?  Yes  No

**F. Additional Information**

Attach any additional information which may be needed to clarify your project. Please refer to Construction Sequence and Impact Minimization Narrative (March 2026).

If you have identified any adverse impacts which could be associated with your proposal, please describe those impacts plus any measures which you propose to avoid or minimize them.

**G. Verification**

I certify that the information provided is true to the best of my knowledge.  
 Scott Kobylarz 03/25/2026

Applicant/Sponsor Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature Scott Kobylarz Title Director of Construction



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B.i.i [Coastal or Waterfront Area]	No
B.i.ii [Local Waterfront Revitalization Area]	No
C.2.b. [Special Planning District]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Potential Contamination History]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.i [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Listed]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.i [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Environmental Site Remediation Database]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.iii [Within 2,000' of DEC Remediation Site]	No
E.2.g [Unique Geologic Features]	No
E.2.h.i [Surface Water Features]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.2.h.ii [Surface Water Features]	Yes - Digital mapping information on local, New York State, and federal wetlands and waterbodies is known to be incomplete. Refer to the EAF Workbook.
E.2.h.iii [Surface Water Features]	Yes - Digital mapping information on local, New York State, and federal wetlands and waterbodies is known to be incomplete. Refer to the EAF Workbook.
E.2.h.v [Impaired Water Bodies]	No
E.2.i. [Floodway]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.2.j. [100 Year Floodplain]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.2.k. [500 Year Floodplain]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.

E.2.l. [Aquifers]	No
E.2.n. [Natural Communities]	No
E.2.o. [Endangered or Threatened Species]	Yes
E.2.o. [Endangered or Threatened Species - Name]	Lake Sturgeon
E.2.p. [Rare Plants or Animals]	No
E.3.a. [Agricultural District]	No
E.3.c. [National Natural Landmark]	No
E.3.d [Critical Environmental Area]	No
E.3.e. [National or State Register of Historic Places or State Eligible Sites]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.3.f. [Archeological Sites]	No
E.3.i. [Designated River Corridor]	No



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### SITE LOCATION

### FIGURE 01



**Cayuga Operating Company, LLC.**  
 228 Cayuga Drive  
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 ENGINEERING SOLUTIONS, INC.  
 A RAMBOLL COMPANY

