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February 5, 2019

Ms. Tanowa Troupe Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, OH 43215-3716

Re: Case No. 19-49-EL-BLN / Duke Energy Ohio Garver Tloop Substation Project

Dear Ms. Troupe:

In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07, Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., (Company) is hereby filing its notice of compliance with requirements concerning service and public distribution of the application filed in the above-referenced proceeding.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection at the main office of Duke Energy Ohio at 139 E. Fourth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202, and at the offices of the Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

It is also available on the Duke Energy Ohio website, at: https://www.duke-energy.com/our-company/about-us/electric-transmission-projects/garver-transmission-lines, together with instructions on how to obtain a paper copy. Additionally, the application is on the Ohio Power Siting Board's website, at: www.opsb.ohio.gov. Lastly, a notice of the application filing has been sent to the MidPointe Library Middletown.

The attached correspondence demonstrates that on January 31, 2019, the Company electronically served a copy of the application on the following individuals:

- Stella Tompoulidis, MidPointe Library Middletown Branch Manager, at stompoulidis@midpointelibrary.org
- Donald Dixon, President of the Butler County Commissioners, at commissioners@bcohio.us
- T.C. Rogers, Vice President of the Butler County Commissioners, at tc.rogers@bcohio.ohio.us
- Cindy Carpenter, Butler County Commissioner, at cincy.carpenter@bcohio.us
- David Fehr, Acting County Administrator, at david.fehr@bcohio.us
- Dennis Dickard, Building & Zoning Administrator, at dennis.dickard@bcohio.us
- Michael McNamara, Development Administrator, at Michael.McNamara@bcohio.us
- P. Zeb Acuff, Planning Administrator, at zeb.acuff@bcohio.us
- Larry Mulligan, Jr., Mayor, at larrym@cityofmiddletown.org

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- Talbott Moon, Vice Mayor, at talm@cityofmiddletown.org
- Douglas Adkins, City Manager, at dept_citymanager@cityofmiddletown.org
- Ashley Combs, Planning Director, at ashleyc@cityofmiddletown.org
- Jackie Phillips, Health Commissioner, at dept_health@cityofmiddletown.org
- Community Revitalization at dept_communityrevitalization@cityofmiddletown.org

Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Jeanne W. Kingery

Jeanne W. Kingery Associate General Counsel From: Olive, Emily A.

"stompoulidis@midpointelibrary.org" To: Kingery, Jeanne W.; D"Ascenzo, Rocco Cc:

Bcc:

Subject: Duke Energy Ohio Case No. 19-49-EL-BLN / Garver Substation Tloop Project

Date: Thursday, January 31, 2019 3:24:00 PM

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Letter to Library-Garver T-line.pdf

Good Morning:

Please see attached letter relating to the above-referenced matter.

Thank you.

Emily A. Olive, CP

Paralegal | Duke Energy Law Department

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January 31, 2019

MidPoint Library Middletown 125 South Broad Street Middletown, OH 45044

Via Electronic Mail

Letter of Notification F7581/F7582/F5689– 138kV Garver Substation TLoop

Dear Madam:

Please find below a link to an electronic copy of a Letter of Notification that Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., (Duke Energy Ohio) has filed with the Ohio Power Siting Board regarding its plan to construct and route three existing 138-kilovolt (kV) transmission lines into Garver substation, located at 3431 Cincinnati Dayton Road, in Middletown, Ohio. This project will support the area's growing energy needs.

The construction for three existing 138-kV transmission lines will involve the replacement of a lattice tower and 6 wood utility poles with steel poles. Construction also will include the installation of 11 new steel poles to route the transmission lines into the new 138-kV section of the substation. The poles have a height of 60-to-115 feet above ground. The base of the poles increases in diameter according to pole height, which makes the poles stronger and more reliable.

In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-1-01 Appendix A, we are required to prepare this Letter of Notification for the Ohio Power Siting Board and, in compliance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07, we are hereby providing you with a link to an electronic copy.

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Cordially,

Duke Energy Ohio, Inc.

/s/ Chris Gruber

Chris Gruber Project Manager II From: Olive, Emily A.

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"zeb.acuff@bcohio.us"; "larrym@cityofmiddletown.org"; "talm@cityofmiddletown.org";

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"dept_citymanager@cityofmiddletown.org"; "ashleyc@cityofmiddletown.org";

"dept_health@cityofmiddletown.org"; "dept_communityrevitalization@cityofmiddletown.org";

"commissioners@bcohio.us"; "Michael McNamara"

Kingery, Jeanne W.; D"Ascenzo, Rocco Cc:

Bcc: Gruber, Chris

Subject: Duke Energy Ohio Case No. 19-49-EL-BLN / Garver Substation Tloop Project

Thursday, January 31, 2019 3:26:00 PM Date:

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Letter to Public Officials-Garver T-line.pdf

Good Afternoon:

Please see attached letter relating to the above-referenced matter.

Thank you.

Emily A. Olive, CP

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January 31, 2019

PUBLIC OFFICIAL

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Chris Gruber Project Manager II