BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Joint Petition of Ohio)	
Power Company and Carroll Electric)	Case No. 06-1274-EL-PEB
Cooperative, Inc. Requesting Revision to a)	
Territorial Boundary Map.)	

ENTRY

The Commission finds:

- Ohio Power Company (OP) and Carroll Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Carroll) are electric suppliers as defined in Section 4933.81, Revised Code.
- (2) Certification by the Commission of the territories of OP and Carroll was approved by entries in Case No. 78-1311-EL-ORD.
- (3) OP and Carroll have jointly petitioned the Commission to reallocate their service territories in Knox Township, Jefferson County, Ohio. Specifically, they request the following relocation:

On Quadrangle Map K-34, beginning at a point on the existing east-west boundary line where it crosses Edward and Connie Trushel's east property line, adjacent to Township Road 242, proceed North approximately 1,180 feet to the Northeast property corner as described in Volume 253 Page 489; thence Northwest 89 degrees-36 minutes along the property line approximately 2,640 feet; thence southerly along the property line approximately 1,170 feet until intersecting with the existing East-West HB Boundary Line; thence continuing westerly along the existing HB territorial boundary line.

(4) In support of their request, OP and Carroll state that the existing boundary dissects the property of Edward and Connie Trushel (previously owned by E. Featheringham, Volume 253 Page 489; Knox Township, Jefferson County). OP is unable to secure the right-of-way necessary to extend electric facilities to the property. Carroll has facilities in close proximity and is willing and capable of providing electric service to the load center. This reallocation of service territory will also further the intent of the Certified

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Territory Act to avoid the unnecessary duplication of electric facilities and potential future confusion.

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(5) Section 4933.83 (E), Revised Code, provides in pertinent part:

Notwithstanding the effectuation of certified territories established by or pursuant to sections 4933.81 to 4933.90 of the Revised Code, and the exclusive right of electric suppliers to serve within such territory, and notwithstanding any other provisions of such sections establishing rights of electric suppliers to furnish electric service, any two or more electric suppliers may jointly petition the commission for the reallocation of their own territories and electric load centers among them and designating which portions of such territories and electric load centers are to be served by each of the electric suppliers.

- (6) No exception to the change described in Finding (3) has been brought to the Commission's attention.
- (7) The Commission finds that granting the requested relief will promote the purposes of Sections 4933.81 to 4933.90, Revised Code, and will further promote the provision of adequate service to all territories and electric load centers affected by the relocation. Accordingly, the Commission shall order the appropriate modification of the territorial boundary of OP and Carroll.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the request of OP and Carroll to relocate their territory boundary is granted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the change on quadrangle map K-34, described in finding (3), be approved to show the boundary line change. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the petitioners provide, within 14 days, two copies of the approved revised quadrangle map K-34 to our Docketing Division to be date stamped and placed in the Commission's map files. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon each party of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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